ROAD EXTENSION LIKELY.

Harriman Officials Will Look Over

Route at Condon.

of the Harriman system

listance of 20 miles.

tension that has been asked.

alumni headquarters.

fourth Year Exercises.

841. Reserved seat tickets for all the exercises may be obtained by alumni at headquarters. Reserved seats are

held only until five minutes before the

granted by the railroads for commence-

rates for the session begin June 18 and

tickets may be purchased at any time between that date and August 6, good

Prune Growers Form Pool.

pool, with about 50 crops represented,

being the first year that a pool has been

New Line to Baker City.

Union-The Pacific States Telepho

PORTLAND MARKETS.

per ton. Corn-Whole, \$32; cracked, \$33 tor

Hay—Track prices: Timothy, Willamette valley \$20@21 per ton; Eastern Oregon, \$22@24; alfalfa, \$15@16;

grain hay, \$17@18. Oats—No. 1 white, \$25@26 per ton. Fresh Fruits—Strawberries, \$1.50@

2.25 per crate; apples, \$1.50@3 per box; cherries, Oregon, 3@10c pound;

gooseberries, 5@6c; apricots, \$1@1.50 per box; blackberries, 75@\$1 per crate; raspberries, \$2.75 per crate, loganber-

ries, \$1.75@2 per crate.
Potatoes—Old Oregon, 60@75c per hundred; new California, 13/4@2c per

en; peas, 4@5c; radishes, 15@20c per

85c@\$1; beets, \$1.50; parsnips, 75c

Onions-Bermuda, \$1.50@1.75 per

crate; red, \$2@2.25 per sack.
Butter—City creamery, extras, 29c;

fancy outside creamery 28@29c per pound; store, 20@23c. Butter fat

6c; valley, 82c.

One and one-third rates have been

beginning of the exercises.

Condon-Members of the committee,

#### CURRENT EVENTS OF THE WEEK

#### Doings of the World at Large Told in Brief.

General Resume of Important Events carried off a sack of high-grade gold acres from the Wallowa national for-Presented in Condensed Form for Our Busy Readers.

prizes at the annual horse show in

to have killed 150 persons.

the Japanese mill hands, about 30 in number, out of Darrington, Wash.

mediate danger. The estate of the late "Lucky" Baldwin is appraised at \$10,930,801,62. His famous thoroughbred horses are appraised at \$25 to \$50 each.

The water tank on the roof of the six-story building of the Herald, at Montreal, Canada, crushed its supports and fell through the building to the basement, killing and injurying about 30 employes.

James E. Woodbury, held under arrest at Los Aageles for the passing of bad checks, has been positively inden-tified as J. E. Marcell, who is alleged to have robbed the State bank of Highland, Kan., of \$350,000.

stal of the state from Guthrie to Okla-homa City, and the governor has al-ready moved his office to the new capto law to fight the move.

A free municipal day nursery has been opened at New Brighton, Eng-

Charles K. Hamilton flew seven times around Governor's island, New umphant. An escort of four mounted New York she had shipped a carload of York harbor, in a pouring rain. York harbor, in a pouring rain.

A St. Louis multi-millionaire has deeded \$3,000,000 worth of property to trade school which he had founded, keeping only \$3,000 a year for himself.

The beef trust has again raised the price of beef in New York. It is now a cent a pound higher than when the people began the boycott gainst it sev-

London to make a business of recover- Japanese banker, fatally wounding an- that has been continuously cropped for ng cash bullion and other valuables other Japanese from the many wrecked ships about the through the shoulder of a third last

has succeeded in stopping a number of them. In recognition of his services the city makes him and ordered "hands up."

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A Lincoln, Neb., boy cut the parachute rope of a balloon just as it was ready to ascend, and leaving the aero-

A big red touring car containing two persons plunged over the trestle lead-ing from Portland to the Vancouver ferry slip at 11:30 o'clock at night, into 75 feet of water in the Columbia slough. The wrecked car has been recovered but the bodies cannot be found.

Every building in the town of Hahn's Peak, Colo., was destroyed by fire.

President Taft announces that he feels he has made good his promises.

An airship dashed into the grand-stand at Buda Pest, Germany, injuring

Texas rangers and other armed guards are protecting strikebreakers working on the Gulf road in Texas.

A delegation of Jewish rabbis took up with the president the question of the expulsion of Jews from Russian

Colonel Roosevelt slips quietly away from London to avoid a big sendoff, and goes for a long hike through the

A lone highwayman held up a Texas enger train, robbed every person in the Pullman car, and escaped across the desert into the mountains.

At Worcester, England, an aeroplane fell on the spectators, killing one wo

man and injuring several persons. The sviator himself was uninjured. President Taft refused to receive

Representative Harrison as chairman of a Jewish delegation, because of criticisms regarding the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy.

The Colorado anti-coercion law er acted 20 years ago, which provides lie instruction, "progressives," that no employer shall discharge any employe because he belongs to a labor

ROBBERS PLUNDER MINE.

wo Men Get Away With Vastly Rich Sack of Ore.

National, Nevada, June 13. - Two robbers held up three miners in the stope above Tunnel No. 31/2, of the property of the National Mining com- 203,635 Acres Eliminated From Walpany, of Nevada, locally known as "The Mint," on account of its great

Sheriff Lamb and a number of deputies hurried from Winnemucca to day and are now investigating the robbery. American horses are winning many This is considered one of the most daring crimes committed in the state in recent years. At the time of the rob-A cloudburst in the Ahr valley in bery the night shift, numbering about the Efel district of France is reported 75 men, was busy at work, all the men within 3,000 feet of tunnel No. 334. Under cover of darkness the despera-A mob of a 100 white men drove all does succeeded in getting past the various armed guards and hid near the mouth of the tunnel. Just at 11 The brief in the Ballinger-Pinchot o'clock a carman rolled a car of ore case has been filed by the investigating from the tunnel. He was promptly committee, and covers over 1,000 covered with guns by the robbers. In accordance with instructions he led the The royal Mail steamer Etruria is ashore at the entrance to the port of Cartagena, Colombia, but is in no immanway, 60 feet long.

One of the desperadoes stood guard over the miners, while his partner descended the manway with a sack of exceedingly rich ore, telling the miners that any move on their part meant death. The second man then descended the manway and disappeared with his partner.

An alarm was immediately sounded and search of the mountains began, but no trace of the robbers was discov-

BOYS RIDE 2,300 MILES.

Young Friends of Roosevelt Make Long Trip on Bronchos.

By a large majority the people of Oklahoma have voted to move the capbut the Guthrie citizens will go on a pair of Oklahoma bronchos being Newtown trees. a 65-mile ride from Trenton through

Over 15,000 delegates will stand in line to receive Roosevelt upon his arrival in New York.

Charles K. Hamilton flew seven a string of waiting automobiles two purchased, but was determined to buy blocks long.

TRAPPED, ROBBERS SHOOT.

Japanese Banker Killed, Two Other Countrymen Wounded.

Instead of obeying, the crowd attacked the intruders. The door was guarded and one of the robbers was guarded and one of the robbers was guarded and one of the robbers was been very great, but it has nevhas not been very great, but it has not been very great but it has not been ve knocked down with a chair.

rope and made a 6,000-foot flight, alighting safely in a shallow lake.

A hig red total

More Testimony Coming.

Chicago, June 13.-An intimate inside story of the workings of the various cliques that make up the legisla-ture is to be drawn from Charles A. against the Oregon Railroad commis-White, the lawmaker, whose confession brought about the present senatorial scandal, when he submits to crossexamination at the hands of Represen- of the decision. Clerk Moreland has tative Lee O'Neill Browne's lawyers.

If the plans of the accused legislator's tempt to appeal to the Supreme court attorneys work out, White may be compelled to add details to his confessions that he reverse intended about the supreme court of the United States, but it is not becompelled to add details to his confessions that he reverse intended about the supremental states are supported by the supremental states and the supremental states are supported by the supported by the supremental states are supported by the supported by sion that he never intended should be successful. see the light of day.

the Pacific coast in foreign bottoms, the secretary of the navy explains that American shipowners do not want this business at a price which the navy business at a price which the navy nust pay under the law, and they no longer compete for these transporta-tion contracts. He explains that coliers cannot be used for this purpose.

Dakota's Vote in Doubt.

still remain in doubt-lieutenant governor, land commissioner and railroad water heating system served by placcommissioner. It probably will take official returns to decide these contests. It was conceded today that Johnson, treasurer, and Anderson, auditor, "stalwarts," and Polley, secretary of state; Johnson, attorney gen-eral; Lawrence, superintendent of pub-

#### INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND PROGRESS OF OUR HOME STATE

TAFT OPENS BIG TRACT.

lowa Forest Reserve.

Washington-The president has signwealth, about 11 o'clock last night and ed a proclamation eliminating 203,635 ore weighing 100 pounds and valued at est, in Oregon. The elimination is the result of a careful examination made by the United States department of agriculture during the past summer, which disclosed the fact that the areas now eliminated were either open grass land with very little timber, or tim-bered areas so largely alienated that further administration by the forest service was considered impracticable. The lands released are not needed for watershed protection, and are not considered to be chiefly valuable for na-

tional forest purposes.

The principal eliminations occur in townships 1 and 2 south, range 47 east; townships 1 and 2 north, ranges 45, 46, 47 and 48 east; township 3 north, range 42 east; township 4 north, 42 and 43 east; townships 5 and 6 north, range 46 east, and township 6 north, range 47 east. In addition, a strip of land from one-half mile to three miles wide is eliminated along the southern boundary of the forest, in ranges 42 to 47 east. Section 6 and the west half of section 5, township 4 north, range 42 east, is transferred from the Wallowa to the Wenaha forest, the area having been isolated from the Wallowa by the large eliminations.

25 ACRES BRING \$45,000.

New York Capitalist Invests in Hood River Orchard Land.

Hood River-Hood River orchard land to the amount of \$59,000 was disposed of by the Hood River Realty company to Eastern purchasers this

The other sale was made to Mrs. the rain. An hour after their arrival they were tucked into their bed at the Hotel Breslin, after an enthusiastic reception all along the line.

Mary Lamonte, a wealthy New York woman who bought a ten-acre or-chard from R. Jarvis, in the Oak Grove district, for \$14,000. Mrs. an apple orchard at Hood River if money would obtain it.

Bumper Wheat Sample Shown.

The Dalles-An evidence of the durability of the soil of this locality is on Ogden, Utah, June 13.—Trapped in exhibition at the rooms of the Business an assemblage they had attempted to rob, two outlaws made a desperate re-A company has been organized in sistance and escaped, after killing a stead on Ten Mile, taken from a field

y wounding a bullet at years.

The stalks are four feet high, the heads plump and well filled. The en-A dozen or more prominent Japanese tire field from which the sample is tabusiness to stop runaway horses, and were holding a business meeting in ken will yield not less than 40 bushele

> Some years the yield from this land In the struggle that followed one of the robbers fired right and left into the average yield has been about 35 bush-

To Appeal Rate Case.

Salem—Complying with a request made upon Attorney General Craw-ford, Clerk Moreland, of the Supreme court, has sent to the Inferior court the

Pullet Lays at Four Months. Klamath Falls-A pullet that began Washington, June 13.—In reply to a laying when four months old is owned letter from Congressman Humphrey protesting against the shipment of navy coal from the Atlantic coast to the Pacific coast in foreign bottoms, and three days from the time of hatching. The chickens are the Imperial

Novel Heating System.

Klamath Falls - Paul Johnson Pierre, S. D., June 13.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 13.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 13.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 13.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 13.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 13.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 13.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 13.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 13.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 13.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 13.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 13.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 13.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 14.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 14.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 14.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 14.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 14.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 14.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 14.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 14.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 14.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 14.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 14.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 14.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 14.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 14.—Three praces building a \$6,000 residence in Queen pierre, S. D., June 14.—Three pierre, S. D., Jun building a \$6,000 residence in Hot

Malheur Fair Dates Set.

September 20, 21, 22 and 23 have September 20, 21, 22 and 23 have California, \$5.75@6; good to choice, county fair. September 19 will be encounty fair. September 19 will be entry day, when all exhibits will be placed in the buildings. The grounds are located near Ontario.

FIRE SWEEPS SEATTLE.

Will Aggregate Million-Many Lives May Be Lost.

Seattle, Wash., June 11 .- Fire or the waterfront in the northern part of the city late last night swept away nearly all the buildings on 10 blocks and caused the loss of \$1,000,000 worth of property and probably a number of lives, at least a score, it is thought. Firemen say that many lodgers in some of the wooden buildings destroyrepresenting the people of Southern Gilliam and Wheeler counties in their

campaign for improved transportation ed must have perished.

The burned area is bounded by Railroad avenue just east of the harbor facilities, has returned from Portland, bringing the assurance that their ap-peal will be considered by the officials front, Third avenue, Wall and Vine Not all the buildings in this area The committee held a conference

were destroyed, a hurricane blowing from the West having driven the with General Manager O'Brien and other officials of the Harriman interests and submitted data showing the flames toward some buildings and large volume of freight and passenger saved others. business which would become immedi-A violent wind sprung up about sun-

ately available through the requested set andtore down sign extension of the Condon branch of the ple from the streets. set andtore down signs and drove peo-At 10:20 o'clock an alarm of fire O. R. & N. from this city to Fossil, a

was turned in from the large threestore frame warehouse of Galbraeth, Bacon & Company at the foot of Bat-tery street. By the time the firemen had reached the scene the whole build-As a result of this conference, General Manager O'Brien, accompanied by R. B. Miller, traffic manager, and W. W. Cotton, general counsel, will come to this city shortly and look this secing and its inflammable contents were tion of the state over with a view to

a roaring furnace.

The wind from off the salt water determining the feasibility of the exwas blowing the flames and firebrands against other wooden buildings to the north and east, and the problem be-COMMENCEMENT AT EUGENE. came not one of saving property already attacked, but to prevent destruc-tion of a thickly-settled district occuinvitations Are Issued for Thirtypied by old wooden buildings of the University of Oregon, Eugene-Invitations are out for the Thirty-fourth

flimsiest construction. Dozens of lodging house and so annual commencement of the Univercalled hotels were among the buildings sity of Oregon. The program covers four days, June 19, 20, 21 and 22. Al-umni who desire private entertainment dsetroyed. They were two and three-story buildings, and burned like tinder. The police and firemen think that some may address Robert W. Prescott, asof the lodgers in these buildings must sistant alumni secretary, or inquire at have perished. The ruins are still blazing fiercely and it will be impossi-Tickets for the alumni dinner may be ble to explore them for some time. secured at alumni headquarters. Admission will be by ticket only. All alumni, their wives or husbands, are Three firemen were outside a burning warehouse at Wall street and First avenue when an explosion threw the wall invited. Alumni headquarters will be of the building on the men, who are in the main reception hall, men's dor-mitory. Every convenience will be provided. The phone number is Main believed to have perished.

HEIKE FOUND GUILTY.

Head of Sugar Trust Convicted-Pen and Fine is in Sight.

New York, June 11.-Charles R. Heike, the white haired secretary of the American Sugar Refining company, ment. Do not forget to ask the agent was convicted last night on one count of an indictment charging conspiracy to defraud the government of customs for a certificate when buying your ticket. The summer session opens June 27; closes August 6. Reduced

duty on sugar.

Ernest W. Gerbracht, ex-superintendent of the Williamsburg (Brooklyn) refinery, was convicted on all six

for return at any time not later than For James F. Bendernagel, ex-cashier of the refinery, the jury stood 7 to 5 for acquittal. He will be tried Salem-The Salem Fruit Union prune

again. The verdict was announced at 10:30 was organized recently at the offices p. m., after the jurors had deliberated for 12 hours less 14 minutes. They was organized recently at the offices of the Fruit Union on Trade street. The pool fixed a selling price of  $3\frac{1}{2}$  cents for 40-50s, and decided to offer a premium on larger sizes. For sizes smaller than 40-50s,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  cents will be paid. The Salem Fruit Union is a new factor in the prune situation, this over the sale of the price of of t were taken.

This ends the government's second attempt to imprison the group of men responsible for the vast underweighing frauds to which the so-called trust virtually has confessed by the restitution of more than \$2,000,000 in duty.

company has a force of men working on the lines at Union, stringing two new lines from Baker City to Walla Heike is the highest official of the company upon whom blame has been fixed, and he now faces a possible sentence of two years in the Federal Wheat — Track prices: Bluestem, 83@84c; club, 77@78c; red Russian, penitenitary and a fine of \$10,000. He is 65 years old and broken in health and spirit. His counsel, in summing up, dectared repeatedly that a prison term meant nothing less than death. Barley-Feed and brewing, \$19@20

Recover Many Bodies. Calitri, Italy, June 11.—The ruins of Calitri, Italy, June 11.—The ruins of Calitri and adjoining villages were inspected today by King Victor Immanuel and Queen Helena. Most of the houses in Calitri were destroyed by the earthquake, and the people who escaped are camping in the fields.

Thirty-two bodies have been recov-ered and eight or ten more are thought to be still under the fallen walls. Two were taken out in the presence of the king. One section of the town is al-most completely buried under the walls of a feudal castle.

Vegetables—Artichokes, 60@75c per dozen; asparagus, \$1.25@2 per box; cabbage, 2½@2½c per pound; cauliflower, \$2 per dozen; head lettuce, 50 Harriman Lines Spend \$1,125,000. New York, June 11 .- Alba B. Johnson, vice president of the Baldwin Lo-@60c per dozen; hothouse lettuce, 50@ cometive works, announced today that \$1 per box; green onions, 15c per dozthe company had received an order from the Harriman lines for 85 passendozen; spinach, 8@10c per pound; rut-abagas, \$1.25@1.50 per sack; carrots, ger locomotives of the largest and heaviest type. The order means an expenditure of about \$1,125,000 by he Harriman system. It is the largest locomotive order placed in some time. Deliveries are to be made in October, November and December.

> Western Concerns Sold. New York, June 11.—Announce

prices average 11/2c per pound under was made today of the acquisition by the American Power & Light company Eggs—Oregon candled, 27c dozen. Pork—Fancy, 12@121/c per pound. of the Northwest Light & Water com-pany of Philadelphia, which controls electric light, gas and street rail-Veal—Fancy, 10@11c per pound.
Poultry—Hens, 18@18%c; broilers,
25@28c; ducks, 18@25c; geese, 12c;
turkeys, live, 20@22c; dressed, 25c; ways in Eastern Oregon and Washington. These properties include gas companies in Walla Walla and North squabs, \$3 per dozen.

Cattle—Beef steers, good to choice Yakima, Wash., Lewiston, Idaho, and Pendleton, Oregon. 5.75; fair to medium, \$4.25@4.75; cows and heifers, good to choice, \$4.25

Quart Whiskey Kills Boy. been declared invalid by Judge Sullivan, of Mesa county. This law is regarded as the strongest in Colorado for the protection of labor unions and has never before been attacked.

L. K. Bernard prophesies that in two years flying will be as common as motorcycling.

Enthusiasm Kills Man.

Peoria, Ill., June 13.—During the excitement at a ball game between peoria and Springfield yesterday, William Ristler, a retired farmer of Grain company's new mill is ready for active operations. It has a capacity of 280 barrels of flour daily. Last fall two years flying will be as common as motorcycling.

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San Luis Obispo, Cal., June 11.—

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