

CONGRESS TO ACT ON PHOSPHATE DEPOSITS

RICH DEPOSITS IN NORTHWEST
TO ATTRACT ATTENTION.

Surveys Indicate Northwest is Rich
in Deposits—Congress to Act.

Washington, Oct. 18.—At the coming session of congress the legislators will probably be called upon to act upon the report of the Geological Survey in regard to the immense phosphate deposits in the Northwest. All public lands containing such deposits have been withdrawn from public entry pending further examination into the extent and value of the deposits. Congress will decide their disposition when the experts have decided the question.

It is stated on good authority that the reports of the geologists have been purposely conservative, and that future investigations will certainly prove that the phosphate fields of Utah, Wyoming and Idaho are by far the richest in the world. While not so alluring as gold or silver "finds," the phosphate fields will prove a great source of wealth to the northwestern states.

Incomplete advance reports of the most conservative nature estimate the high grade phosphate rock at about 300,000,000 tons, and this figure will probably be doubled before the deposits of paying rock are exhausted. Deposits already examined show the rock to be of pebble formation, varying in size from mere grains to pebbles of half an inch in diameter, ranging in color from gray to black and containing some calcite and corboniferous matter.

SHIPPERS WIN IN RATE SUIT

LA GRANDE AND OTHER NEIGHBOR TOWNS TO BENEFIT.

Large Sum to be Divided Between
Eastern Oregon Shippers Soon.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 18.—Shippers in Eastern Oregon, along the O. R. & N. will soon divide \$150,000 among them through the agency of the transportation department of the Portland chamber of commerce. Order of the state railroad commission, affecting the distributive rates on railroads made in April became effective on May 12. The case was tried in the courts until it finally reached Judge Wolverton of the federal court who found in favor of the defendants.

As a result the railroad company will pay rebates to the shippers who paid under the old rate after the reduction of rates had been ordered by the commission. It is understood the rebates will be returned soon.

Jersey City Celebrates.

New York, Oct. 18.—Jersey City's 250th anniversary celebration was marked today by a great congress of patriotic societies under the auspices of the Society of Colonial Wars. Tonight a great public meeting will be held to commemorate 250 years of consecutive municipal life in state, county and city. Tomorrow the school children of the city and country will celebrate.

Billiard Title at Stake.

New York, Oct. 18.—As the result of the acceptance by De Oro of the championships in three-cushion billiards will be held this week at Doyle's Academy, beginning tonight and continuing three nights. The men will play for a \$250 side bet, the entire gate receipts and the diamond-studded Lambert trophy. They will play fifty points a night. John Daly has challenged the winner and posted a forfeit.

IVANHOE OPENS CAMPAIGN

"THE COLONEL" HAS BEEN FORCED
TO OVERLOOK INTERESTS.

Goes Into Campaign Field When Official
Duties Are Wound Up.

Held at his post of duty by an overabundance of official business, District Attorney F. S. Ivanhoe has finally reached the bottom of an enormous heap of work, and for a week or two will be able to attend to the affairs of his campaign for re-election. As is his policy, he flatly refused to do any campaigning while his office required his constant attention and personal presence. For several months he has had his nose to the grindstone in the district attorney's office, prosecuting anyone and everyone with the same fair-minded, and impartial purpose. His campaign for re-election was entirely forgotten during the heat of the trials just coming to a close, and practically every case that has been heard before the circuit court during the past three months has had Mr. Ivanhoe as the prosecutor for the state.

A True Republican.

Mr. Ivanhoe is and always has been a staunch Republican. He supports the Republican ticket named by the people and no matter how the factions within the Republican ranks may act, he is loyal to his party. He has never "bolted" any candidate on the ticket and does not intend to do so now. He has always conceded the rights of others to differ with him and this has won for him a host of Democratic friends.

So with duties of state temporarily cleaned up and with a lull in official business now existing, he is planning for a thorough campaign of Union and Wallowa counties. He is not adopting the speech-making plan but will meet his constituency man to man, but he will respond to any party demand for public speaking. He is always ready to defend his public record.

Just Plain "Colonel."

The "Colonel" is just a plain individual and no matter what a person's religion, politics or social standing, he has always found that the district attorney could be approached on any matter of office at any place and any time and be accorded the consideration that the office of district attorney should accord any one. It is primarily his close attention to his duties and desire to be fair with every man, that has established his popularity in his district.

SENATORS ARE HONOR GUARD.

Body of Late Senator Will Lie in State
at His Home Until Funeral.

Fort Dodge, Iowa, Oct. 18.—Senator Dolliver's body today lies in state at his home here, and will remain until the funeral. It is guarded by state militiamen. They will remain there throughout tomorrow and part of the night. A committee of United States senators were appointed by Taft, who will act as a guard of honor and will arrive today.

Want to Kill Japs.

Olympia, Oct. 18.—Two men are under arrest today and five others are sought for the alleged complicity in the dynamiting plot to blow up some Jap laborers at the Gate city where there has been much friction between the whites and Japs.

Sticks of Dynamite ready to explode were found under the Japs' bunkhouse.

Train in the Ditch.

El Paso, Tex., Oct. 18.—Twenty-three persons were injured when eight cars of the Sunset Limited left the rails at Collado today. They were brought here on a special today for treatment. A majority of the injured were western home seekers in the tourist coaches. None were fatally hurt.

Textile Workers.

New York, Oct. 18.—One of the most important labor conventions of the year opened in New York today by the United Textile Workers of America. All the centers of the textile industry are represented by delegates who will discuss many subjects of interest to the trade.

INJUNCTION IS PERMANENT

COURT UPHOLDS FORMER DECISION
IN UNION CASE.

School Board Permanently Enjoined
From Building New Structure.

This afternoon Judge Knowles made the temporary injunction in the Union school district case permanent. The case is one of interest and grew out of an attempt on the part of the Union school board to purchase a building site without the voters' approval. So far as the circuit court is concerned this is the final decision, but it may be possible that it will be carried up to a higher tribunal.

JUDGE KNOWLES AFFIRMED

Circuit Court Hands Down Decision in
Shaw-Profit-Carter Case.

Judge Knowles has been affirmed in his decision in the John Shaw vs. T. N. Profit and Joe Carter. The supreme court reached a decision last week affirming the lower court's action.

Balloons Pass Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Oct. 18.—Five balloons entered in the International race, flying 25 miles an hour, passed over Milwaukee this forenoon within hailing distance of each other. They were about 1000 feet up. The names were undiscernable.

Reports this morning say that nine of the ten balloons entered in the international race today are still up. One landed at Caledonia, Wis., this morning. The balloon Dusseldorf sailed over the Big Bend this morning, going northerly about 600 feet above the earth. The balloon Isle de France passed over Zion City, Wis., this morning headed west by north. Officials of the Aero club of America who are promoting the race are enthusiastic and say that it looks like some international records will be broken.

Open Land to Settlers.

Washington, Oct. 18.—Thousands of acres of unappropriated lands which were eliminated from the national forests and restored to the public domain by the recent proclamation of President Taft were thrown open to homestead settlement today. The lands include tracts in Colorado and Washington, which become subject to settlement today and to entry on Nov. 17. Forest lands in other states will become subject to settlement later in the week.

Ripe Berries on Exhibition.

Ripe strawberries and ripe raspberries grown by Jess Bryant of Cove are on exhibit at the La Grande Investment company this afternoon. The berries are luscious in taste and attract considerable attention by their size and general color. These are exactly similar to those grown earlier in the season.

Victim of Drink Needs Orrine.

Drink cunningly destroys the will power, and while the drunkard wants to do what you tell him, he wants a thousand times more the drink that he craves. Medical treatment is necessary. Orrine will destroy the desire for liquor, so that the drink will not be missed and restores the patient to health.

This remedy is thoroughly scientific and is so uniformly successful that it is sold with a registered guarantee to refund your money if it fails to effect a cure. Booklet on "How to Cure Drunkenness," free on request. The Orrine Co., 574 Orrine Building, Washington, D. C. Sold in this city by Silverthorn's Family Drug store.

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the Partnership existing by and between Allen J. Webb and Lavon Zundell in conducting the business of the Grill formerly Spokane restaurant, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent, and Lavon Zundell retired. Allen J. Webb assumes all bills and obligations due said co-partnership and will pay all outstanding bills against the same.

ALLEN J. WEBB,
LAVON ZUNDELL.

Want ads pay, one cent a word.



All Good Dressers

Will be interested in looking at the Fall and Winter suitings and overcoatings shown by The Royal Tailors, of Chicago and New York. We have the complete assortment—nearly five hundred different styles—something to fit all tastes and all purses. The suit or overcoat you buy will be made to your measure. It will fit you. It will be stylish and it will cost you less than any other correctly-fitting, right-in-style dress proposition that we know anything about. We are willing to take your order and assume all the risk of satisfying you on these points.

SEE US

The Fair Store

IF PLEASED TELL OTHERS, IF NOT TELL US

BEET INDUSTRY MAY GROW

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that two prominent Portland business men are in Baker City looking over the prospects of planting sugar beets on a large scale next year, and shipping the products to the La Grande factory. If such is the case and the acreage there is of any proportion at all it will mean that the logical point for the factory is La Grande, where the company itself operates many hundred acres, and in the center of the Baker and Wallowa county crops. Field Manager Bramwell is in Baker City today conferring with the men who are discussing the advisability of instituting the beet business in Baker county.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the many friends for the appreciated kindness and sympathy shown to us during the bereavement of our husband and father's death, who died Oct. 12, 1910. Our friends shall ever hold a place of dear remembrance in our hearts. May God's blessing rest upon them.

MRS. J. H. KIMBALL and Children.

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SPECIAL Sale

We have just received a shipment of Candies. They are fresh, delicious, dainty and pure. For One Week Ending Next Saturday We Run a Special Sale. The following is a sample of the Sale Prices:

Regular Price	Sale Price
50c Assorted Chocolates.	30c lb
50c Assorted Butter Scotch	30c lb
35c Horehound & Honey.	20c lb
40c Mint Lozenges	20c lb
60c Filled Cream Almonds.	25c lb
40c French Burnt Peanuts	18c lb

Remember this sale will last only one week.

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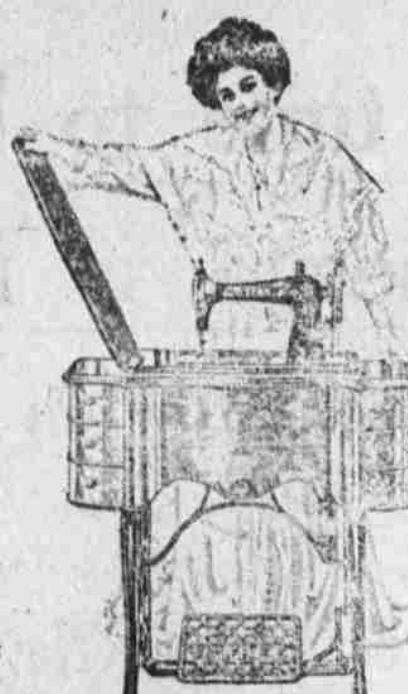
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The FREE Sewing Machine

This "different" machine, this "superior" machine, this perfect matter piece—the machine of your imagination which you sighed for every time the thread slipped around the spool pin of your old machine and broke, every time its shuttle wore out, every time its stitch slipped, every time its needle broke, every time your back became weary and your feet became tired, this machine with its 32 fault-removing inventions we now offer to you at your own terms as low as

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A Week**



The price is so low that we cannot tell Mr. Wm. C. Free, the inventor of this 20th Century machine that we would never punish it. You are accustomed to paying so much more for machines which are not near so good, that it will be hard for you to realize that the lower priced FREE sews faster, runs lighter, is more beautiful, lasts longer and makes a more perfect stitch than the highest priced machine on the market. To appreciate the price you must first come to our store and see the quality.

Then as an evidence of the implicit faith we have in The FREE ourselves, we want you to give it a

30 DAYS TRIAL

right in your own home. Sew on it. Test it on all sorts of material.

Then if after 30 days you are not entirely satisfied—if you are not absolutely convinced that it is the best machine you have ever sewed on—the most improved—the most up-to-date—and at its low price, the biggest bargain you ever made—return the machine to us and we will refund all you have paid on it so that the trial will not cost you one cent.

We make this offer because we know that when you notice for 30 days how ornamental its beautiful French Leg design, its golden oak finish and its dustless japanning are.

When you find out how convenient it is—

—how when the machine is closed, the drawers are automatically locked—

—how when you raise the lid, the head lifts automatically—the drawers unlock and the belt is on—

—how just a touch on the improved, Hept Latch button releases the head—

—how the 8 sets of Ball Bearings make it go light running that treadle will keep running 3 minutes longer than other machines—

—how the Rotocut Movement makes it faster than the fastest Rotary and simpler than the simplest Round Bobbin Machine—

—and how it has a score of other improvements—

—Then after you have enjoyed all these conveniences for 30 days, you will never be satisfied to be without The Free. Come tomorrow and take The Free home with you for a 30 days trial.

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