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# Snapp's La Grande Pharmacy

ALVIN SNAPP, Proprietor MAIN 40

**Should Never Have Left Sarah.**  
"My dear," said an old lady, "I felt I ought never to have taken the holiday. Scarcely had I set foot in my apartments when I was handed a telegram from Sarah. Parrot laid an egg. Wire instructions."

**Good Humor Comes First.**  
Honest good humor is the oil and wine of a merry meeting, and there is no jovial companionship equal to that where the jokes are rather small and the laughter abundant.—Washington Irving.

**Success at Last.**  
"Ah!" said the golfer, who was skulking as the tee gave way beneath him. "at last I have developed a perfect follow through."—Boston Transcript.

**Injuries by Falls.**  
The greatest number of deaths charged to any one accidental cause 11,114 or 148 per 10,000 is shown for falls. The rate for this cause varies but slightly from year to year.

## GIGARETTES GO UP IN SMOKE

SMOKES DESIGNED FOR ARMY BURNED IN PARIS

Fire Was American Red Cross Sacrificial Fire—Lighted Under Compulsion and Guarded By Police.

PARIS, Jan. 22.—(Correspondence of Associated Press.)—American cigarette smoke obscured the northern horizon of Paris for 48 hours this week when 99,000 pounds of cigarettes originally brought here for the United States army were burned.

Relays of 18 policemen were required to keep off raiders, who had ardent desires to burn the cigarettes one at a time, in the usual manner.

It was an American Red Cross sacrificial fire—lighted under compulsion.

There were 632 metal-lined cases of cigarettes burned. They were condemned by French authorities and destroyed according to law. They were part of two lots of rain-soaked in shipment through faulty lining in the cases. Many cases, not too badly damaged, were salvaged when the French authorities could be convinced that a moist cigarette would be more welcome than none at all to some smokers.

## TELEGRAPH COMPANY SUES CONTRACTOR OF ROAD FOR DAMAGES

EUGENE, Feb. 21.—Alleging that its telephone and telegraph lines extending along the highway between Seginaw and Cottage Grove were damaged and put out of commission at intervals by blasting while the new highway was under course of construction during the summer and fall of 1919, the Postal Telegraph company began suit against the Western Construction company, the highway contractor, for damages.

It is alleged that on account of such interruption of service the company lost business to the amount of \$793.40 and on account of the blasting was compelled to employ men to remain there and repair damage as soon as it occurred, at an outlay of 752.05, the total amount sued for being \$1545.45.

**Integrity First of All.**  
Integrity is the first step to true greatness. Men love to praise, but are slow to practice it—to maintain it in high places costs self-denial; in all places it is liable to opposition, but its end is glorious, and the universe will yet do it homage.—C. Simmons.

## GAINS WEIGHT IN OLD AGE

Portland Man Overcomes Troubles Of 40 Years By Taking Taniae.

"There is bound to be something unusual about a medicine that will make a man of my age gain twenty-eight pounds," declared L. Gray, 284 East 87th St., South, Portland, in relating his remarkable experience with Taniae.

"By taking Taniae I have gotten rid of a case of rheumatism which had troubled me more or less for forty years. Two years ago I got so I couldn't walk a block, couldn't even get out of the yard. My whole system seemed to be affected and for a long time I couldn't move my hands, was not even able to put on my shoes and I suffered so I could hardly keep from yelling out every time I tried to move. A pain would catch me in my back when I stooped over, and it hurt terribly when I straightened up. My muscles cramped and seemed like they were drawn in knots and my kidneys bothered me a great deal.

"I had been told so many times that nothing could help me that I thought I would never be well again. But I finally decided to see what Taniae would do for me and I have improved so much some of my friends hardly know me. Although I am now seventy-three years old, I don't feel that old by a good many years, and this past summer I put in full time at my work, something I hadn't done in a long time."

Taniae is sold in La Grande by Silverthorn's Drug Store; Putnam Drug Store; Clyde Kiddle, of Island City, and by the leading druggists in every town.—Adv.

**Festival of the Quail.**  
In the Mediterranean, no bird is better known than the quail. Twice a year he passes over the great inland sea. His coming is quite a festival, and many an outstanding bill and many a pensioner's overdue rent is paid at his expense.

**Skin Thick on Palms.**  
Among other interesting facts that have been determined by the tireless investigators scientists is this: That the skin on the palms of the hand is normally 20 times as thick as the skin on the eyelids. The palms of the work-languan are even thicker.

**Progenitor of the Galosh.**  
The great-grandfather of the galosh was the Englishman's Jack boot, black as the leather bottles from which he drank his ale—hard and unpliant as iron, square-toed and clumsy. Even the present-day Puritans strode the streets with this one-frivolous of dress flaring at the tops. It wasn't the "sewing of boots" that was the shame, mourned one commentator upon this style, "but the generality of the wearing and the manner of cutting boots out with huge, slovenly, immoderate tops."



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## State News

More than 4,000,000 trout eggs have arrived at the McKenzie river hatchery for distribution in the streams of Lane county. They were brought from Elk lake, in the heart of the Cascades.

More than a score of former state, county or municipal officials have organized an X-club in Pendleton and will devote their efforts to giving present and future officials the benefit of their experience.

Interest in the drilling at the Trigon oil well in Jackson county has much increased in the past week, during which oil indications have become more pronounced. The 800 feet of 10-inch casing has all been set.

From 50 to 75 messages from every American Legion post in Oregon were dispatched to Senator McNary, requesting him to support the appointment of Senator George E. Chamberlain as a member of the United States shipping board under the Harding administration.

Senator McNary secured the adoption of an amendment to the agricultural appropriation bill increasing the appropriation for forest fire prevention and forest preservation from \$125,000 to \$625,000. This money will be used in co-operation with the states of the northwest.

There were two fatalities due to industrial accidents in Oregon during the week ending February 19, according to a report prepared by the state industrial accident commission. The victims were William Campbell, carpenter, Portland, and Orville Smith, logger, Deschutes.

Two Deschutes county townships, Harper and Imperial, existing only on paper for years, will cease to appear on the map within two more months. Taxes delinquent since 1913 are the basis for a judgment order signed by Circuit Judge Duffy which authorizes a sheriff's sale of the properties.

With the top of the head chopped off, probably with an ax, the body of Geh Hansen, 67-year-old recluse, lying in a three-room shack on the bank of the Columbia river, west of the Dalles, was found lodged among a pile of boulders at the foot of a 40-foot cliff which dropped to the river, below his shack.

Allegations that the Deschutes Lumber company cut 1,297,000 feet of pine timber belonging to the Alworth Washburn company during the past year are contained in a complaint filed by the latter corporation in circuit court at Bend, in which recovery of \$15,000 is sought, together with some damages.

Stockholders Must Be Native Stockholders in private banks in Oregon must be native citizens.

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