

### Interviewing First Found Favor In Days of Civil War

WASHINGTON (AP)—The collection and distribution of news is one of the most ancient of occupations, but one phase of news gathering, the interview, is comparatively modern American origin.

Interviewing in the form in which it is known today, appears to have originated in Washington about the time of the Civil War, when there was a great demand for news bearing on the internal situation.

The reading public, always with a ready appetite for personalities, received this style of reporting with so much favor that a few years later President Andrew Jackson was credited with expressing a preference to giving an interview to sending a message to congress, for "everybody seemed to read the interview and nobody seemed to read the messages."

One of the earliest of these interviewers was "Mack," the correspondent for the Cincinnati Commercial, says Harper's Magazine, January, 1874. The first interview was with Alexander H. Stephens, and was the result of a two-day's visit at the latter residence in Georgia during the summer of 1867.

During the ensuing winter the impeachment project was reviewed in Washington, and "Mack" applied the interviewing process to Andrew Johnson.

The matter discussed was nearly always the pending impeachment; the manner was that of a quiet talk, each party asking and answering questions in turn. Neither

### King Cal?



American art would be better if there were more pomp and ceremony in government, according to Frank O. Sautsbury, English painter, who is visiting in this country. The lack of color and dignity in official circles creates a corresponding lack of material for artists, he believes. This picture shows President Coolidge as he would appear in the state robes of the king of England.

### Deputy Returns Boxer

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore.—Joe Coffman, ex-Portland lightweight boxer, arrived at Yreka, Cal., in custody of a deputy sheriff to face trial on a charge of murdering an unidentified logger at West last August. He was arrested at his former home at Jackson, Tenn. last week. Siskiyou county authorities announced the arrest of T. L. Kennedy, Wreod laborer, for complicity in the same crime, on information furnished, it was reported, by Coffman as he was being brought back.

Oscar Schuler, disabled ex-service man, whose partial confession to complicity in the alleged crime led to the arrest of Coffman, is being sought. After release from jail Schuler was admitted to the Letterman hospital at San Francisco. Two days after Coffman was reported captured Schuler disappeared from the hospital.

### Offender Admits His Guilt

OREGON CITY, Ore.—John P. DeMange of this city, indicted on a charge of possession of a still, in circuit court pleaded guilty. He will be sentenced by Judge Campbell tomorrow. Robert Castle, Roy Smith and Robert Hillary, all of Portland, indicted jointly for larceny of an automobile, and Floyd Reinhold of this city, indicted for larceny of a gold watch from the Crown-Willamette lockers, will be arraigned Wednesday.

### Gasoline Tax Case Appealed

SALEM, Ore.—The suit brought in the federal court in Portland to state gasoline tax 1234566... will be constitutionally of the test. The constitutionality of the state gasoline tax law, will be appealed to the United States supreme court for final determination, according to announcement made at the attorney-general's office here. Judge Wolvorton of the federal court held that the gasoline tax law is constitutional.

### STATE HAS OLD FIDDLER

PENDLETON, Ore.—Al Johnson, 83, who came west 63 years ago over the old Oregon trail, has consented to play his fiddle Friday night at radio broadcasting station KQWW at Walla Walla, and if Henry Ford happens to be tuned in he will have the privilege of listening to one of the oldest fiddlers in the northwest.

Mr. Johnson has been fiddling a long time. The fiddle he will play Friday night was fashioned by hand and he used it 63 years ago to furnish music for members of the emigrant train with which he traveled west.

### Charter Body to Be Chosen

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore.—Appointment of a charter commission to study and submit a proposed charter for the city manager form of government will be made within the next few weeks, according to announcement by Mayor Goddard. The appointment of such a committee was urged in a recent report of the budget committee. It is planned to hold a special election early this fall if sentiment appears to favor the city manager form of government.

### ROAD DISTRICT VOTED

ROSEBURG, Ore.—Although official returns from the Union road improvement district election held in the lower Umpqua territory, have not yet been received, the unofficial returns, showing a vote of 1116 to 70 in favor of the district, have caused much elation here.

The practically unanimous approval given the project means the early completion of the Drain-Redsport section of the Umpqua highway, and the construction of the Roosevelt highway from the Coos county line north to Redsport.

The government already has received bids for the grading of the gap section of the road between Drain and Redsport, but has held up the contract pending the outcome of the election.

### TRUCK UPSET, TWO HURT

THE DALLES, Ore.—Joe Dimick of Bend, driving a Bend-Portland truck, suffered cuts about the face and William Masters, relief driver, asleep in the back of the vehicle, received severe back and possible internal injuries when the truck went over the grade east of Rowena shortly before day-break this morning. The driver was blinded by the lights of an approaching car, he said.

The truck rolled for a considerable distance down the embankment before coming to a stop against a tree. The accident was similar to one that occurred about a fortnight ago near Corbett, when a truck of the same line went over the grade, killing the relief driver, Richard Livingstone of Bend.

### SPRAGUE RIVER BAN HIT

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore.—Members of the Klamath Sportsmen's association were drafting a resolution to the Oregon state game commission asking that body to reopen the north fork of the Sprague river, which was ordered closed for a period of ten years by recent action of the commission. The sportsmen of Klamath were declared to be practically unanimous for keeping this river open for fishing during the regular season. The absence of fish screens in

### Fishing's Good in Texas



A party of anglers from Fort Worth, Tex., made what they believe a record catch of fish when they dropped their lines off the Sabine light in the Gulf of Mexico. They landed 14 "waraw" fish, a variety of deep sea bass, weighing a total of 2300 pounds. Part of their haul is shown above.

the irrigation ditches causes the loss of thousands of trout annually, they said, and for that reason it would do no good to close the streams unless fish screens were installed to protect the young trout.

TIMBER DRINGS \$162,752

SALEM, Ore.—The state land board sold to Frank Boutin of Portland approximately 20,000,000 feet of yellow pine timber in Klamath county for a consideration of \$162,752. Mr. Boutin's bid was accompanied by a check in the amount of \$10,000, representing approximately 25 per cent of the price of the timber. Two other bids were received by Richard H. Hovey of San Francisco, \$121,200; by J. C. Lorenz, \$121,000.

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Enterprise	7:50	11:20	2:20
Lostine	8:10	11:35	2:35
Arrive Wallowa	8:25	11:55	2:50
Leave Wallowa	8:30	12:00	3:00
Minam	8:40	12:10	3:10
Elgin	10:00	1:30	4:30
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