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courts.

GOVERNMENT TIMBER Sold on Terms Which Will Pre-

vent Monopoly.

In a sale of 50 million feet of national forest timber to the Mount Graham Lumber C ompany, of Thatcher Ari- property in Jacksonville. zona, a contract has been entered into effective safeguards against possible last week. monopoly. The timber is located on the Mount Graham Division of the Crook National Forest and flumes will be constructed by the company for taking the lumber from the mountain 'nto Gila Valley. Under the terms of the sale these flumes, which will form an outlet for the Mount Graham Range timber generally, are to be available for the use of the Government or of any other purchasers from the Government.

The timber contracted for consists of Douglas fir and Engelmann spruce, with small quantities of western yel- Anderson, low pine, white fir, and Mexican white pine. The initial price of \$2 per thousand feet board measure is subject to readjustment in accordance with market values at the end of three years, the contract period extending over six years.

A feature of the sale is the fact that the lumber will be used solely to supply consists in part of the agricultural districts developed along the Gila River, but chiefly of the large copper mines at Globe, Clifton, and Morenci. This market has hitherto been supplied almost exclusively by lumber produced on the northern Pacific Coast, shipped by steamer to San Pedro, California, Pacific.

Buncom Reports.

Wilbur Cameron was in the city recently.

with relatives in Medford last week. George Pursell did trading in Jack-

sonville Saturday.

Co. Saturday

Miss Ella Parks and Miss Letha Buck on the head with it.-Sun of Ashland visited home folks Satur-

last week. Mrs. Joe Donahue took the train for Portland last week. Nelson and Charlie Pursell have purchased a fine young team.

Lee Saltmarsh was in Jacksonville

day.

Mrs. S. E. Cantral has sold her ranch on big Applegate and has moved to her

Mrs. C. C. Pursell and daughter Eswhich, Forester Graves says, contains ter was the guests of Mrs. S. F. Crump A. S. Kleinhammer and wife were in

town on business matters Tuesday and Wednesday.

The following ones took dinner at J. Goldsbys Sunday, Mrs. J. Parks, Mrs. C.C. Buck, Grace Buck, Nelly Parks, Tiny Combest, Chester Pursell, clared adopted. Felix Cimborski and William Anderson,

Frank Silva was on the streets in Jacksonville first of the week. Clarence Buck was in town Sunday.

Bryan Hamilton is working for Paul

Mrs. Amos McKee was in town last week.

Wilt Louden is riding in the hills at this date.

visiting relatives at Phoenix Saturday | ted. and Sunday

Bert Goldsby met with unfortunate which he valued high, also a fine colt.

M. R. Buck was visiting his family in Ashland recently.

Boy Freed on Assault Charge

The case against Virgin Basom, the nd thence inland over the Southern fifteen year old Phoenix boy, for assault with a dangerous weapon, against Julius Wattenburg, was dismissed Mon-

had started the trouble.

MEETING OF COUNCIL

Adjourned Session Held Friday Night. 3 Ordinances Enacted.

The city council, pursuant to the adjournment of June 3, convened in regular session Friday evening. Present-Mayor Britt; Councilmen Fick, Florey, McIntire and Ulrich; Recorder Stansell; Attorney Hanna.

Ordinance No. 191 fixing a schedule of water rates and providing for the collection of same, etc. was introduced and passed to its third reading when

the rules being suspended it was placed upon its final passage and receiving a Culy of Ashlard James Cantral, Hollis majority of all the votes cast was de-

Ordinance No. 190 declaring the Jacksonville Post, the official newspa- fighter in court, has refused to obey per of the City of Jacksonville, was regularly introduced, read, and under ing the mandates of the supreme court suspension of the rules, passed third and final reading.

Ordinance No. 192 prohibiting the judges, governors and senators and has running at large of certain animals, plead his cause in season out of season, fowls, etc. within the citv limits, and by word of mouth, newspaper adverproviding for the impounding and sale tisements, handbills, and letters adof same, was then introduced, read dressed to judges, governors and other

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Anderson was the required number of times and adop- officials. On motion duly made and seconded,

the needs of the local market, which luck this week, lost his little mare was reconsidered on account of irregu- stated that at one time he had filed 39 larities in same and on motion duly complaints seeking indictment of varimade and seconded it was placed upon ous indiviuals. final passage and adopted.

day, June 11.

Grants Pass, June 9.-Supervisor day on the grounds that Virgin had Macduff of the Siskiyou forest reserve sane. acted in self-defence. Wattenburg's has received a heliograph outfit for incompanions admitted the Medford boy stallation in the reserve to aid in the reporting of fires within the territory. Julius, according to the testimony, Mess ages are transmitte by these in had gone to Phoenix in search of work struments by the means of mirror Vivian Crump spent several days and failing to find it, had sought Bear flashes, and the ones received here are

creek for a swim. He had determined the regular U. S. army type. One of to "lick" the first Phoenix boy he met, the instruments will be established at who was young Basom, quietly work- Snow camp, at the head of the Pistol ing at his father's fence. Wattenburg river in Curry county, and another on Bert McKee returued from Del Norte ing at his father's fence. Wattenburg river in curry county, and alkanet on the Win- Debenger Gap Ranch took some hogs from him, and in the scuffle that fol- chuck, 25 miles distant, and it is ex- and wool to Medford Wednesday re- million acres of phosphate lands, more the East and establishing themselves. Gladys Wolf is visiting in Medford. lowed, Basom struck him a hard blow pected that no difficulty will be experi- turning via Central Point Thursday.

enced in reading the mirror flash messages at this distance on reasonably

in the United States; and that is saving a good deal, for this is distinctly the country of high schools. A percentage of attendance of 95 per

cent out of a total enrollment of 613 pupils, 79 of whom were neither absent nor tardy during their attendance, 26 attending every day of the year without being tardy, are some of the records tral Point was again prominent in court that are the proud boast of the Cottage

circles Tuesday, being brought before Grove schools for the past school year. County Judge TouVelle on a charge of A small ranch in Wheeler county insanity preferred by W. T. Grieve and that was offered for sale at \$1000 less Prosecuting Attorney Kelly. The hearing brought out many facts tending to prove that Boosey was a monomaniac upon the subject of litigation and court records for the past fif-

teen or twenty years show that there would consider ridiculously low. has scarcely been a time when he has An amusement famine is sweeping not had suits either civil or criminal over Stayton, of which the Mail says. and sometimes both, pending in the "Now that the billiard halls have been

Mr. Boosey has been a tenacious of forming a "horseshoe club." Seems like they just must do something. the orders of the court even disregard-Most of us are to lazy to hoe the garden and don't care to attend church, and has been imprisoned for contempt. so there you are. Let 'er buck!" He has defied and denounced lawyers,

A unique fly swatting record is held by a woman of The Dalles, who reports was a novel method of attack. Instead of waiting for the flies to come into the house she went outside and Three district attorneys stated that Boosey had worn them out by his never got 'em. She didn't find more than tance is offered. It is pointed out the final passage of Ordinance No. 189, ceasing appeals for litigation. It is two dozen flies in her home durin; May.-Journal

Mineral lands withdrawn.

Under suthority of the withdrawa! was a controversy over the ownership of a strip of land along the boundary act of June 25, 1910, the United States of his farm, worth perhaps \$10. or \$15. Geological Survey during the fiscal Judge TouVelle after hearing the ev- year 1912 recommended the executive from each community are much better withdrawal of more than one and oneidence decided that Mr. Boosey should third million acres of oil reserves and be restrained and ordered his committment to the State asylum for the inand almost one and one-fifth million acres of phosphate reserves, based on

> geologic data; of more than one-third million acres of water-power sites and

Mrs. M. H. Gordon and son Sammie of Beagle were Central Point visitors these outstanding withdrawals are ap- tions are said to be excellent with pro-Teal Gage and Bird Johnson of the than one and four-fiths million acres of Students of forestry at the Oregon

taken quite ill last Tuesday evening ment, nearly one hundred thousand practical work this Summer and are

PORTLAND LETTER

NO. 6

all Sections of Oregon Urged to Prepare Land Show Exhibits.

Portland, Ore. June 10 (Special)-From all indications Oregon will make than a year hence, the Fossil Journal a better showing in the Eastern Land predicts, will probably bring \$2000 or Shows this year than ever before. more. The Jounal says there are still The Oregon State Immigration, with many more good ranches, big and lit- headquarters at the Commercial Club, tle, for sale at prices that outsiders Portland, is urging commercial bodies of the state, as well as individuals, to

make suitable exhibits which will be included in the state display with no expense save that of gathering the closed on Sunday, the men are talking specimens and taking them to the depot. They will be shipped from the nearest railroad point to Portland, assembled in a general exhibit and will be sent east by the commission but each organization or grower will receive full credit for prolucts entered.

A circular is now being issued by the to the Chronicle that she killed 4000 commission giving directions for gathflies during the month of May. Hers ering and shipping the exhibits. Attention is called to the need for careful packing, the selection of only the best specimens and advice and assi that the cooperation of all parts of the state in necessary in order that the agricultural wealth of Oregon may be shown to the best advantage and that success may be attained in competition for prizes with the exhibits made by other states. It is suggested that the decision to choose exhibits for this pur pose should be made early in the seato show the East what Oregon can grow than a large quantity of sample grains, fruits and vegetables of mediocre quality.

Homesteaders in Central Oregon are 60,000 acres of irrigation-reservoirsites making good, declares President Jobased on hydrographic and topographic seph Young, of the Hill lines in Oresurveys; and of 86,000 acres of public- gon, who lately accompanied Louis W. water reserves essential to the control Hill, of the Great Northern, on an exof public grazing lands. The areas of tended tour of the State. Crop condiproximately four and three-fourths mil- spects of a big yield. Development lion acres of public lands chiefly valua- work of all kinds is going ahead well ble for oil and gas, three and one-third and new settlers are coming in from

Mr. Monroe Gordon of Beagle was lands essential to water-power develop- Agricultural College are enlisting in

The subject of Booseys litigation and the cause of his mental derangement Council adjourned to meet Wednes-

Sun Flashes to Fight Fires

Wellknown Lifigant committed to State Asylum Tuesday. W. J. Boosey who resides near Cen-

BOOSEY INSANE

day and Sunday. Tobe Stone of Forest creek was up to the saw mill last week. Harley Hall and wife were in town this week.

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W. R. Garrett was in Medford Mon-

The Best Medicine in the World. clear days.

ready covered with telephone.

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and has been unable to be about since

last Tuesday.

"My little girl had dysentery very bad. I thought she would die. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy cured her, and I can truthfully say that I think it is the best medicine in the world," writes Mrs. William Orvis, Clare, Mich. For sale by all dealers.—Advertisement. Later another set of two instruments is expected to arrive, and these will be established on High Dome and on Ship mountain. These four heliograph sta-tions will cover the territory not al-ready covered with telephone. the road west side Rogue River cross-

es Debenger Creek by Jasper Hanna's place. This always has been a much needed peice of work therefore it will be very greatly appreciated by all who has occasion to travel it.

Debenger Gap.

By Norman Gage.

The old Jesse Richardson place of Beagle was sold last Wednesday to D. B. Russel, who has for some time owned property joining his recent pur-chase. Consideration not known.

Walter C. Chapman, supervisor of road district No. 12 and Mr. Morrison, of Reagle made a trip to J. L. Marks Î sawmill at Trail last Saturday and got a load of lumber to be used for bridging purposes near the McCreight place. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hanna of Debenger Gap were business and social visitors at Central Point last Thursday and Friday.

> in 1895 and on Oct. 25, 1896 was mar- are now 4,000,000 adult male residents Western, \$68,680. ried to Miss May Johnson of Medford. of the United States who, though eligi-

returned to her home on Rogue river, izenship have not appealed to these Alex Rainey of Trail made a busi, people, but there may come a sudden ness trip to Central Point last Monday. Ray Watkins who is working at the Debenger Gap ranch spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents and brothers and sisters at Gold Hill.

Oregon Sidelights.

Work on Albany's \$26,000 public li brary building is now in its initial stage. Completion early next fall is expected. will soon be drawing \$2500 a year, an ination. But the courts find they must advance of \$100, in accordance with often make examinations so rudimentgrowing business.

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Salem Statesman: In seven years termining a man's fitness for citizen-Salem has built up a high school with ship. Examinations are too forms'; an attendance of over 600; and it is they are confined too closely to educanow one of the very best high schools tional limits. - Journal

acres primarily valuable for irrigation gaining experience in the service of storage, and 86,000 acres of lands in- the government, or of private timber cluding springs or other watering places companies, in patroling timber holdunrestricted access to which, by the ings. Vacations spent in this way are public, is essential in connection with profitable not only in a financial way but the free use of the public range. The give the student a practical working areas thus described as withdrawn, knowledge of the business. however, include tracts of privately owned land, which are in reality unaffected by the orders of withdrawal, although located in the larger legal sub-

divisions enumerated in those orders. [From 33d Annual Report, Director Geological Survey.]

AIDING NATURALIZATION

Miss Mima Hanna who has been visi- | ble under the laws, have not taken out ting friends at Medford for some time citizenship papers. The benefits of cit- Highest Mountain In Philippines change of attitude, involving the potentiality of such a large vote, should it ever come under a concentrating influence, adverse to good government. Of late years the government has been paying more attention to the nuturalization process, but the chief defect of the present system is lack of any means by which the alien can be prepared for citizenship. The alien is still left to his own devices. If he has ini iative and opportunity he may succeed within the required time in suffici ently informing himself on American Postmaster Reitzenstein of Roseburg institutions to pass some sort of examary that they are of little value in de-

Improved plans for marketing the fruit crops of the principal northwestern districts have just been completed by the North Pacific Fruit Distributors Association and are expected to be of benefit to the fruit growers throughout the Northwest group of states. Better arrangements for marketing have been lacking and it is thought the scheme just perfected will supply this need.

Pacific coast states are directly int- The Southern Pacific Company will erested in Congressman Murdock's sug- spend millions on its Oregon lines durgestion for the appointment of a com- ing the next two years, according to a mission to investigate practical opera. formal statement of planned improvetion of the naturalization laws. The ments that has been submitted to the west is already attempting to absorb a California railroad commission. The large body of foreign immigrants, and company asks for permission to issue with opening of the Panama canal, bonds to the amount of \$30,000,000 and making European immigration to Paci- gives as a reason for the request the DIED-On May 27, 1913, Reuben fic ports almost as convenient as it number of heavy contemplated invest-Perry Daw at the home of his brother- now is to Atlantic ports, the propor- ments in this state. Among these are: in-law Bird Johnson of Debenger Gap. tion of aliens will be greatly increased. Electrification of lines in the Willam-He was born in Hopland, Cal. on Feb- These people shonl be Americanized in ette Valley; reconstruction of the Sherruary 21, 1865. His age at the time of the shortest possible time. When citi- idan-Willamina railroad at a cost of his death was 48 years 3 months and 6 zenship is conferred upon them, they \$2,501,880; Corvallis and Eastern R. R. days. He spent the early part of his should be intelligent and loyal citizens. \$270,580; Pacific Railroad & Navigation life in California and came to Medford The statement is made that there Co., \$134.540; Salem, Falls City &

The highest mountain in the Philippines is Mount Apo, on the Island of Mindanao, according to a statement by the United States Geological Survey. The height of this mountain above sea level is given in the Encyclopedia Britannica as 10,312 feet.

Money to loan on improve l. revenue producing furms, by the Eank of Jacksonvilla. Alv.

A Good Investment.

W. D. Magli, a well known merchant of Whitemound, Wis., bought a stock of Chaca-berlain's medicines so as to be able to supply them to his customers. After receiving them he was himself taken sick and sive that one small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was worth more to him than the cost of his entire stock of these medicines. For sale by all dealers. -Advertisement.

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