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Mrs. Elmira Meenes, 22 years old, is dead at Chico, Cal., of blood poisoning, caused by a playful scratch on her lip made by her baby.

Edward Morris, the meat packer, has replaced J. Ogden Armour as the largest individual owner of Chicago bank stocks, with holdings of \$3,796,000.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, submitted to an operation at Washington for the removal of a mastoid abscess, and his speedy recovery is predicted.

Damages against Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst and her two daughters and Pethrick Lawrence and Mrs. Tuke were awarded London merchants by a jury as the result of a suffragette window smashing campaign.

Prominent Japanese at Tokio are using every effort to quiet the agitation there for a boycott against the Panama-Pacific Exposition. Leading bankers and merchants favor sending to San Francisco the finest possible exhibit.

The secretary of state of Arizona has received petitions bearing a sufficient number of signatures to force an initiative vote upon the abolishment of capital punishment in that state.

Saturday will be the 136th anniversary of the adoption of the Stars and Stripes as the national emblem of the United States of America. In accordance with a custom that has become general throughout the country in late years, the day will be observed as Flag day by the public schools, patriotic societies and various other organizations.

Without the support of a single daily paper in Los Angeles, Henry H. Rose was elected mayor of that city by a majority of 8026 votes over John W. Shenk. Rose is a police judge, and ran as an independent candidate. Dr. E. J. Sweet, head of the vivisection department of the University of

Pennsylvania, was arrested on a charge of cruelty to dogs used in connection with university experiments. The society for the prevention of cruelty to animals cause his arrest. Lee Cage, an iron moulder, has confessed at Columbus, O., that he killed Detective John J. Reardon at Steubenville in 1910. Cage had previously been tried for the murder of Reardon and acquitted, and another trial on the same charge is barred under Ohio law.

Dilatory and expensive methods and failure to look after the interest of settlers on government lands were a few of the accusations made against F. H. Newell, head of the federal reclamation service, by L. W. Hill, chairman of the board of directors of the Great Northern railroad, at completion of a trip through central and eastern Oregon and parts of Idaho.

PROHIBITION SPEAKER HERE.

Rev. Dr. A. J. Bolster, of Portland, a representative of the Oregon Prohibition State committee, will be in Ontario next Saturday and Sunday, June 14 and 15, and will speak at the following meetings: On Saturday at 3 p. m., in the United Presbyterian church; Sunday morning at 11 o'clock he will preach in the Congregational church and Sunday evening at 8 o'clock he will have charge of a union meeting in the Methodist church.

On Monday evening, June 16, the Rev. Dr. Wilson, of Philadelphia, Pa., a leading member of the World's Conference of Christian Citizenship, will have charge of a union service in the United Presbyterian church at 8 o'clock. All are invited to these meetings.

PROSPECTS FOR RAILROAD TO M'DERMOTT ARE GOOD

Alfred Wilkerson, of McDermitt, is in the city this week, the guest of his old-time friend, Con Ryan. Mr. Wilkerson says the prospects for a railroad through his section looks brighter than ever before. The surveyors are now working along Soldier creek and report that they can cross the Owyhee on a one per cent grade. The grade from Wiamnucua through the Surprise valley and McDermitt country is good and the only difficulty for the engineers to overcome now is the approach to Snake river at Homevale, or whatever point they cross. Business conditions at McDermitt are good, prices of cattle and horses being satisfactory.

Report of the condition of the First National Bank at Ontario, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, June 4th, 1913. No. 5892.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$ 395 613 10
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	15 166 85
U S bonds to secure circulation	22 500 00
U S bonds to secure Postal Savings	1 500 00
Bonds, securities, etc.	13 468 12
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	6 203 94
Other real estate owned	2 742 31
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	12 873 93
Due from approved reserve agents	50 573 21
Checks and other cash items	272 19
Notes of other National banks	3 435 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	128 10
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, viz:	
Specie	21 954 05
Redemption fund with U S Treasurer (3 per cent of circulation)	1 125 00
TOTAL	\$ 547 545 82
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 50 000 00
Surplus fund	65 000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	6 421 26
National bank notes outstanding	22 500 00
Due to other national banks and bankers	9 390 24
Individual deposits subject to check	298 425 92
Demand certificates of deposit	960 00
Time certificates of deposit	94 680 20
Certified Checks	38 11
Cashier's Checks outstanding	55 09
Postal Savings deposits	80 00
TOTAL	\$ 547 545 82

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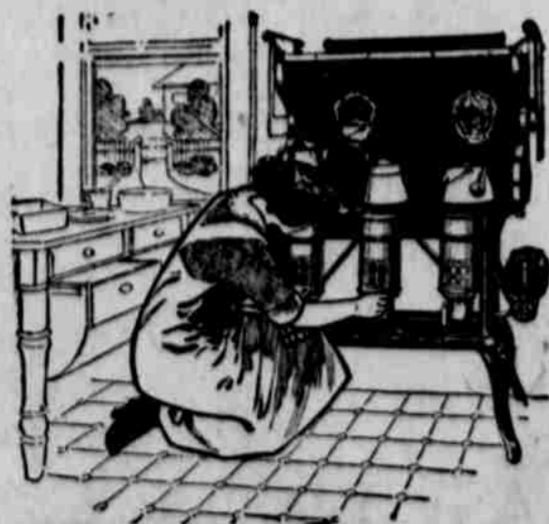
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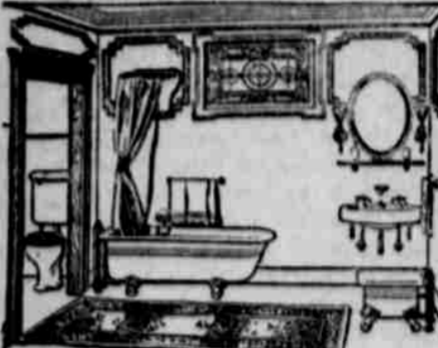
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