OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Important Occurrences of Past Week Briefly Compiled for Gur Readers.

Oregon's metal production for 1910 will exceed \$3,000,000 in value.

A co-operative cream shippers' assoefation was organized at Dayton. The Grangers of Linn county plan

to open a public market in Albany.

at Hood River. for the improvement of the Heppner- government whereby the state will re-Lexington road.

was formed at a convention of factory owners in Coquille.

J. L. Stockton, of Salem, president pariment. of the Oregon Retail Merchants' associstion, has resigned.

at the Oregon agricultural college, has laid her thousandth egg.

lumber mills in Baker county is plan- by the citizens' employment commit- Pershing, it was learned, has decided ned within the next few weeks.

As the result of mass meetings held last week, a beet sugar factory is grant, other than mineral land, which tains. These men know the hiding assured for Sutherlin next year.

be given to the boy corn growers at classified as timber land, under an

sale of 50,000,000 feet of Coos bay on public lands. spruce lumber to the Russian government

H. A. Ray and George Haff are reported to have discovered a ledge of war department is now engaged in Gold Hill.

Governor Withycombe has issued a proclamation designating the first for dredging operations. week in April "Western Club Women Consumers' Week."

For the week ending March 16, 188 industrial accident commission, of which five were fatal.

Professor George Haskell Collier. one of the first members of the faculty of the University of Oregon, died at Eugene, aged 89 years.

by the state association of county the road laws of Oregon.

as the Oregon Naval Militia auxiliary will be formed at Portland.

Stock holders of the Willamette have voted an increase of \$500,000 in the capital stock of the company. Cornelius Mowerson, a convict em-

a trusty teamstor, escaped while employed in work outside the prison.

The citizens of Enterprise are discussing spending \$40,000 for additions to its grade schools and the erection

Bridges and Oliver Riesbeck of Salem. engaged in a fight with a beer bottle and a knife and both were severely injured.

saugene is preparing to entertain the state encampments of the Grand Army of the Republic, the Spanish-American War Veterans, the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic and the Women's Relief Corps June 14, 15 and 16. Between \$8000 and \$9000 is to be spent on the McKenzie highway within the Cascade national forest this year, according to B. J. Finch, senior highway engineer in the United States office of public roads. The work will be done weat of the summit.

Arrangements are about completed at Portland for the holding of a reunion by the members of the old Company K. O. N. G. The company was formed originally as a 90-day organi-A \$30,000 or \$35,000 school build- zation at the time of the anti-Chinese his present probable whereabouts in have moved to the Rainbow mine. ing is to be erected in the near future riots in the Pacific northwest in 1886.

A contract has been signed by State An agitation is on in Morrow county Forester Elliott with the United States ceive \$5000, its portion of the Weeks there in defiance of the laws of Mex-The Coos-Curry Cheese association fund, for use in fire patrol work. The money is to be expended under the mountains to the west offer countless supervision of the state forestry de-

Abolition of private employment agencies and consolidation of all parts of a peon and flee so far into the south "Oregona," a White Leghorn hen of the municipal and state govern- that it would be exceedingly difficult, ment pertaining to labor into one de- if not impossible, to apprehend him. partment, to be known as the state General resumption of all the idle department of labor, is now proposed

tee of Portland. All land in the Oregon & California lived all their lives in these mouncarries a stand of more than 300,000 One hundred dollars in prizes will feet of timber to the 40 acres, will be dits are sure to take refuge, if hard the Wasco county fair next September. amendment to the Chamberlain bill will fall the task of trailing Villa to A contract has been closed for the adopted by the house sub-committee

As the result of a campaign begun neveral years ago by the Hood River commercial club, the United States sheclite tungsten three miles north of making a survey of the water front along the Columbia at Hood River preparatory to making recommendations

To make possible the running of a large number of cattle in Eagle valley, near Baker, for which grazing priviaccidents were reported to the state leges were denied by the forestry service, the Cattle and Horse Raisers' association of the section will lease all privately owned range lands remaining on Pine creek.

The mine-planter Ringgold, commanded by Captain Cowley, Coast Ar-Preliminary steps have been taken tillery Corps, has arrived at Fort Stevens for mine planting and instrucjudges and commissioners to revise tion for the Thirty-Fourth company, commanded by Captain Long. A period An organization to be composed en- of six weeks will be devoted to methtirely of attorneys and to be known ods of loading, planting and firing submarine mines.

The county court of Gilliam county has ordered that no auto truck shall Valley Southern Railway company carry a load exceeding 500 pounds when the roads are muddy and soft enough to require chains on the wheels to prevent them from slipping. ployed af the Oregon penitentiary as It has been further ordered that no traction engine shall be allowed to own bill." haul any load without a permit of the county court.

On request of nine short line rallroads operating in Oregon, the public of a commodious high school building, service commission telegraphed Sen-Crazed from drinking alcohol, Oscar ators Chamberlain and Lane, asking them to investigate the merits of the bill proposed by Senator Phelan, of California, providing for the regulation of railway mail pay rates by the

State Engineer Lewis has directed interstate commerce commission for a rough survey of a proposed state annual weighing and other relief.

SCOUTS EMPLOYED TO TRAIL BANDITS

Washington Thinks That Campaign Will End Ouickly Unless Villa Flees.

Washington.-Washington officials are satisfied that if the Mexican bandit. Villa, makes a stand the campaign will end quickly, but it is believed that if he leaves his followers he can reach a haven of safety from less than a day's riding.

In the Guerrero district and in the country adjacent to Babricora, Villa is at home. For years he operated ico and its constituted authorities. The hiding places and routes of escape. If hard pressed, Villa, officials believe, might abandon his men, don the garb Scouts Know Country.

To meet this situation, General to employ men as scouts who have places and retreats in which the banpressed. On them as a final resort. earth. Elaborate scouting plans are understood to have been completed.

The war department has, at the request of the state department, sent explicit "instructions to the forces in Mexico not to occupy Mexican towns. Such occupation, it is said, might have the result of stirring up resentment among the Mexicans.

Army Bill Ready For Amendments. With virtually unanimous declarations for national preparedness, the house army increase hill reached the amendment stage after 10 hours of general debate. The house began discusaion of details in earnest Monday. but there are indications that opposition to the measure as a change in national policy has collapsed. No opponent appeared during the debate except Meyer London, the socialist representative from New York.

The senate's army bill also came up Monday, with administration leaders urging that the senate sidetrack all other business until it is disposed

Interest centered in President Wilscn's attitude as between these two measures, which differ essentially.

Bill Called "President's Own." Chairman Hay, of the house military committee, described the house bill during debate as "the president's

President Wilson let it be known that, while he approves the general features of the Hay bill, he has not committed himself as to its details. Administration officials are looking to the conference committee which will adjust the house and senate bills after passage to produce a measure which will have the president's full approval. Speaker Clark closed the general de-

bate in the house, expressing approval of the Hay bill and declaring it was

MALHEUR ITEMS the week

Lew Sutherland of Boaita was in

Snow is still going, the reservoir

Most all of the stock men have

turned their stock out on the range.

The grass is growing very fast and

there will not be so great a loss in

hosiptal at Ontario to undergo an

operation. He is reported as im-

proving according to latest reports.

Mr. S. Derrick was taken to the

Women kiss when they meet, men

shake hands, and animals rub noses.

Malheur over night on his way to the

has reached the high water mark and

Rainbow mine.

pleted several years ago.

stock as was feared.

Mrs. Dow Adams and family have moved from the Humboldt Mine to their farm near town.

Mrs. Thos. Wheelock and daughter Mary returned home from Pendleton where they have been visiting for some time.

Mr. Geo. Parrott of Pendleton is here looking after a new homestead location Frank L. Morfitt has gone to On-

tarlo for a visit with friends. Ed. Hulery of Ontario was here today on his way to Bridgeport.

Dr. J. B. White was a county seat visitor this week on land busines.s

Mrs. Caley Jones and children eo. Dobson and family are moving

to their homestead near town. J. E. Hill went to Baker for a few

days. William Sargent is acting post But what will Villa and the devil No do when they meet? master during Mr. Hill's absence.

C. H. Morfitt, Earl Oliver, William The wise man, you know, is a man Sargent, Mert Mondy and Riley among men, but the fool is just only Banks were all Vale visitors during a fool.

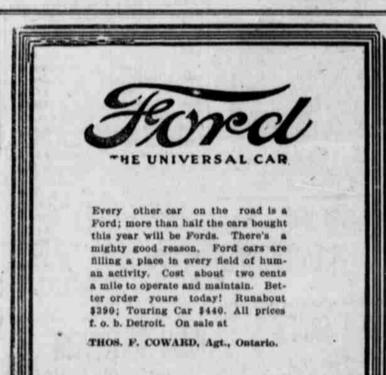
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from all indications there will be much more water than there has O. S. L. TIME TABLE been since the reservoir was com-

Westward

he is a fool.

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VALL & BROGAN BRANCH

Westward

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Eastward

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- Mixed from Brogan &
- vale daily except Sunday 3:30 p. m.

The Homedale train leaves Nyssa at 1:30 p. m. on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, returning same day, erriving at Outario at 5:20 p. m.

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road through McMinnville, up Yamhili river and across the mountains to Til- the proposed regulations governing and as good as could be expected in lamook.

A rich strike of gold ore at the per ton.

by defeating Washington state college to apply to railways in this state. three bouts to two, in a meet held at Corvallia.

state roads.

tco. There are about 100 veterans qualified candidate" in almost every power. in the county.

Mrs. Anna Booth, found guilty by a ment at McMinnville.

Arie Van Vleit, ex-managing director of the horticultural exhibit of Holmoved to Ashland, where he will enrage in the nursery business.

Five hundred acres of burned-over \$29; democrats, 26,336; progressives, replanted by the government forest 2576; miscellaneous, 3147. service this summer. Work will begin as soon as the anow in the mountains melts.

With the acquisition of 1200 feet of ing concern.

will be brick and stone.

side and overhead clearances on Ore-

Champion mine in the Bohemia dis- at Salem at a conference between rep- die course trict near Cottage Grove has been resentatives of all Oregon roads, their made. The quartz assays about \$2500 employes and the public service commission. The conference was called O. A. C. won second place in the by the commission preparatory to its northwestern wrestling championship promulgation of standard clearances

> That there is a great scarcity of experienced teachers available for first

State Engineer Lewis is trying to class districts over the state is the standardize the practice of the state report of F. C. Ayer, director of the highway department with reference to University of Oregon appointment bulocation, work and construction of the reau. For the past few weeks he has been swamped with calls for Baker county Spanish War Veter- teachers, especially those fitted to ans are anxious to join the United teach history and English, and Pro- ably free from a southern invasion of

instance

With less than a month left in which jury of killing her husband, William to register for the primary election in Booth, near Willamina, on October 8 May, less than one third of the qualilast, was sentenced to life imprison- fied voters of Oregon are on the lists, according to reports from over the a third plant 150 miles distant from state, made to Secretary of State Olcott. The total registration for the Senators Vote to Assure Mexicana. land at the Panama exposition, has re- state is 103,890, the reports showed, and it was divided among the political parties as follows: Republicans, 68,-

mountain land in Linn county will be 635; prohibitionists, 2367; socialists,

After making a reconaissance survey of Coos county, Deputy Highway mously without debate by the senate. Engineer Cantine has recommended a

tentative plan of road improvement to frontage on Young's bay, the J. A. Mc- the county court. The routes he ad-Eachern company, of Seattle and As- vised are as follows: From the Curry toria, has completed final details that county line to Bandon; from Bandon will give Astoria a \$300,000 shipbuild to Coquille or a short distance west of known here, is to be named successor

Coquille; from there to Coos Bay; a Bids for the construction of the post road north from the bay to the Doug- United States senate. office building at Roseburg, to cost ias county line via Tenmile; one or \$100,000, will be opened April 24. The two ferries from North Bend to Kenstructure will be two stories and base- tuck inlet and North inlet; complement and the principal materials used tion of the road from Glasgow to connect with the Templeton highway.

An agreement on the main issues of satisfactory to the average American the circumstances. The nation as a gon railroads was tentatively reached whole, he said, wished to hold a mid-

Air Riches Are Sought.

Three government plants for taking nitrogen from the air for fertilizer. munitions of war and the arts, were recommended to the senate agricultural committee by Thomas H. Norton, former consul at Chemnitz, Germany, where he had made a close study of nitrogen manufacture. He was attached to the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce.

- Dr. Norton recommended one plant near the intersection of Georgia, North Carolina and Tennessee, to be reason-States troops in their invasion of Mex- fessor Ayer has had to answer "no a hostile army and near cheap water-

> A slightly larger plant he recommended in western Pennsylvania, to which place power could be conducted from Niagara. To avoid high freight rates on nitric acid, he recommended the Pacific littoral.

> A concurrent resolution by Senator LaFollette, declaring that congress approved the use of the army to pursue Villa and giving further assurances that the sovereignty of Mexico was not to be encroached on by the punitive expedition, was adopted unani-

> > Taggart to Be Senator.

Indianapolis .- Thomas Taggart, national committeeman from Indiana of the democratic party, it became of the late Benjamin F. Shively in the

Cardinal Gotti is Dead. Rome, via Paris .-- Cardinal Jerome Mary Gotti, prefect of the propaganda, died Sunday.



Yakima Valley in 1913-99% scale killed, in 1914-98% scale killed. Yakima Valley Wenatchee Valley in 1915-98% scale killed.

Note results obtained by-

District Inspector at North Yakima in 1914 with 20 lbs, to 100 gallons, 99% scale killed. Again three tests at different strength in 1915: 15 lbs. to 100 gallons-75% scale killed. 20 lbs, to 100 gallons-96% scale killed. 25 lbs. to 100 gallons-98% scale killed. This is an indisputable scientific record. 100-lb. drum......\$7.50 10-lb. can..... 1.25

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Circuit Court

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Circuit Court for Malheur county meets in Vale, the county seat, on the second Monday in January; on the fourth Monday in April; and on the first Tuesday in September for regular sessions. Hon. Dalton Biggs. Circuit Judge; W. H. Brooke, District Attorney; John P. Houston. Clerk.

County Court.

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