

ITEMS OF INTEREST THROUGHOUT OREGON

Chronicle of Important Events of Interest to Our Readers.

Clock Balks When Wound.

Salem.—Secretary of State Olcott stirred things up for a few minutes when he endeavored to wind the Western Union observatory clock at his offices. Climbing up a stepladder he assailed the clock, but it refused to wind. Becoming disgusted he went to the telephone and notified the Western Union Company that he had been trying to wind the clock for several minutes, but it failed to respond. "The clock sets itself by electric-ity," was wafted back over the wire, "and it doesn't need to be wound."

Plaintiffs to Be Chosen.

Eugene.—Judge R. S. Bean, of Portland, president of the Board of Regents of the University of Oregon, issued a call for a meeting of the executive committee of the board to be held in the administration offices. It is presumed that the meeting will be to consider the selection of plaintiffs for the university appropriation referendum case, which is soon to be instituted in Salem for the purpose of outlawing the referendum petitions.

ASTORIA IS IN TANGLE

Dispute Over Centennial Advertising Literature Is International.

Astoria.—When a customs official at Vancouver, B. C., held up the literature which John Day, a member of the Astoria Centennial committee, was taking into Canada to advertise the Astoria Centennial, to be celebrated August 19 to September 3, he did not think that international complications would result. So far Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the British ambassador at Washington, D. C., the British foreign office in London and Senator Chamberlain, of Oregon, have become entangled in the routine of official protest.

Mr. Day, when his literature was held up, wired a protest to Senator Chamberlain at Washington and a similar plea to the Canadian premier, declaring that the literature was educational matter and free from duty. The customs inspector said it was common printing.

Tubbs Is Awarded \$20,000.

Albany.—For the loss of his left leg and other injuries sustained when he was run over by an Albany street-car last summer, Elmer W. Tubbs was awarded \$20,000 damages against the Portland, Eugene & Eastern Railway Company by a jury in Judge Kelly's department of the state circuit court here. Tubbs sued for \$75,000.

Fire Is Blow to Springfield.

Springfield.—Over 250 men are out of employment and a payroll of between \$20,000 and \$25,000 a month has ceased as a result of the fire, according to the official statement of Manager Dixon, of the Booth-Kelly Company's mill, which was destroyed by fire.

County Urged to Help with Exhibit. Eugene.—The Eugene Commercial Club has passed a resolution asking the Lane county court to appropriate a sum of money for a suitable exhibit of the county's resources at the state fair in Salem this fall.

TO DEVELOP ALASKA URGED

Prominent Men Advocate Action at Mass Meeting.

Portland.—An audience of 500 persons at the Armory Saturday heard Governor West, Mayor Rushlight and Circuit Judge McGinn advocate the immediate development of Alaskan coal lands by the government. The meeting was called by Mr. Rushlight and a committee of citizens as a demonstration in support of the movement initiated by petition in this state urging action by Congress.

Mr. Rushlight explained the purpose of the meeting and endorsed the demand for government development of the coal lands of Alaska as a "step in the interest of humanity."

Experiment Station Wanted.

Hood River.—A campaign is now being conducted by a number of enthusiastic citizens and orchardists of the valley to secure from the state government an experimental station here.

60 Buy Fishing Licenses.

Modford.—Breaking all records in the memory of the county clerk, \$1.85 in fees was paid in at the Jacksonville office Wednesday. Sixty fishing and hunting licenses were sold.

Three Metolus Saloons Burn.

Metolus.—Fire originating in the Wible & Ness saloon destroyed four buildings, three of them saloons.

NEWS PARAGRAPHS FROM OTHER CITIES IN OREGON

The Soldiers' Home at Roseburg will have a commissary building in the near future.

Arrangements are being made for building a sheep-shearing plant and stock yards at Lakeview.

Astoria has been granted the presence of the Pacific fleet of torpedo-boats of the United States navy.

A carload of machinery for the dredge being built by the Port of Toledo has arrived and will be installed at once.

All the leading lawyers in Salem have signed an agreement that they will close their offices each afternoon at 2 o'clock until September 1.

The Cowhead Lake irrigation scheme in Klamath county, which is under good headway, is attracting large numbers of settlers to the northern part of Surprise Valley.

Derangement of six years' standing resulted in commitment to the asylum of Henry J. Miller, a wealthy hop grower of Aurora and candidate for representative in the last Legislature.

J. W. Stephenson, of Baker, has returned from Crater Lake, where he spent the past 10 days in a vain attempt to find the body of B. B. Bakowski, his old business partner and friend, who is believed to have perished in Crater Lake.

Mrs. W. H. Littlepage, probably the only woman irrigation and soil expert in the world, is a guest of Klamath Falls, having been sent there by the Reclamation Service from Washington, D. C., to study the soils and irrigation conditions in the Klamath project.

The Hood River grange will fight any effort to call a special session of the Legislature to pass good roads laws on the ground that the Legislature has proven itself incompetent or unwilling to legislate on good roads matters to the best advantage of the state.

Lumbermen from Puget Sound, Grays Harbor and Willamette and Columbia River points met in Portland and voted to amalgamate the Pacific Coast Lumber Inspection Bureau and the Oregon & Washington Lumber Inspection Bureau under the title of the former organization.

Josephine county is going to do some good road building in the near future if the county authorities' plans now laid are worked out, and the finances are on hand to push the project. The heaviest of the highways will be macadamized along the center with a traveling bed 16 feet wide.

After repeated warnings to speed maniacs who persisted in driving their machines at high speed through the grounds of the state university at Eugene, the authorities of the institution closed all the straightaway drives, forcing automobiles to traverse the grounds by an exceedingly roundabout course.

When the State Board of Building Commissioners authorized the payment of warrants to T. M. Barr and Mrs. J. Bason, the board succeeded in securing all of the land needed for the new capitol building, with the exception of one small tract. The Barr warrant was for \$13,000 and the Bason warrant for \$8500.

No decision as to whether a special session of the Legislature will be called for the purpose of good roads legislation will be made until after the first meeting of the general good roads committee, to reach a conclusion as to legislation of this nature. This committee consists of a member from every county in the state and five from Multnomah county.

The last class which will ever complete a course in the old Pharmacy building at O. A. C., made its final drug mixtures and analyses in June, for the frame structure, a landmark on the campus for nearly a quarter of a century, is doomed to oblivion by the regents. They have selected that particular spot as the site of the new \$31,000 dairy building.

Pay cash for advertising and receive cash for transportation is the advice which has been offered to President Gerlinger, of the Salem, Falls City & Western Railroad, by the State Railway Commission. President Gerlinger wished to gain information as to the basis on which he should transact business with the newspapers of the state.

Much interest centers in the future of the Carey act irrigation project near Paisley since the action of the state land board in cancelling the rights of the Portland Irrigation Company in connection with the project. That the lands will be restored to entry has been virtually decided by the board. What company will secure the contract for the project, however, is still a problem.

In a communication received by Governor West from Secretary Wilson of the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., the latter states that neither Oregon nor any other state in the West in which government forest reserves are located, is entitled to the benefits of co-operation between states for the prevention of forest fires as provided in the Weeks law recently passed by Congress.

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Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been, by the county court of Crook county, State of Oregon, duly appointed Administrator of the estate of George W. Barnes, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to said administrator at the law office of C. C. Brix, in Prineville, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated and published first time July 13th, A. D. 1911.
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Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon.

Notice is hereby given that Robert W. Bland of Grizzly, Oregon, who, on November 14th, 1904, made Homestead No. 13974, Serial No. 9376, for SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 22, Township 12 South, Range 15 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Warren Brown, county clerk at his office, at Prineville, Oregon on the 30th day of August, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses: Charles McKenzie, Antone Fogle, Henry Montgomery; Joseph F. Montgomery, all of Grizzly, Oregon; C. W. MOORE, Register.

Wanted

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