

OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Events Occurring Throughout the State During the Past Week.

Investigating Beetle Pests.
Corvallis.—H. F. Wilson, assistant professor of entomology and crop pest expert at Oregon Agricultural College, returned from Portland, Hillsboro, Yamhill and Carlton, where he has been making a continued investigation into the ravages of a species of beetle found in these sections. His object was to discover whether this particular pest attacks healthy trees. Professor Wilson did not find as many of the pests as on his previous trip last spring and found them only in the prune and cherry trees.

Douglas Fair Success.
Roseburg.—Although somewhat hampered on account of rainy weather during the first three days of the fair, the 18th annual exhibition of the Douglas County Agricultural Society proved one of the most successful events ever held in this section of the state.

BRIDGE CREW HEIRS WIN

Douglas County to Pay \$1000 to Families of Men Killed.

Roseburg.—Acting upon the advice of hundreds of taxpayers, together with petitions from various granges of Douglas County, the county court authorized the payment of \$1000 to the legal heirs of the six members of the county bridge gang who were killed as a result of the collapse of the Umpqua bridge on August 24. Mrs. Alice McFarlane, of Curry County, widow of Peter McFarlane, a victim of the accident, accepted the compromise and tendered the county a sufficient release from damages. It is believed that a like compromise also will be effected in the other cases.

According to the order filed by the court, the county denies all liability as a result of the accident. This allegation, they aver, is based upon court decisions in parallel cases in which it was held that the county was not liable. The commissioners contend that the money was not authorized with a view of satisfying the claims, but was tendered with a view of assisting those dependent upon the victims.

Loot Is Barrow's Burden.

The Dalles.—While seven operators were at work in the next room, robbers entered the business office of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company here and carried out a safe. It was loaded on a wheelbarrow at the back door and taken to the river beach, where it was blown open. The safe contained \$22.

Knox and Wilson Hit.

Medford.—Characterizing Secretary Knox as an agent for the brewers and Secretary Wilson as honorary president of the beer-makers' league, Mrs. Ada Wallace Unruh, state president of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, delivered an address at the state convention now being held in this city.

ELECTRICITY LOGS LAND

Marshfield Concern Plans Test of Clearing Stumps.

Marshfield.—Tests of the possibilities of logging by electricity have been started by the Smith-Powers Logging Company. Machinery has been installed in the timber near the mill and the Oregon Power Company of this city is furnishing power. A big logging engine is being used. The experiment as conducted so far, it appears, will be a success. Logging by electricity will be continued for some time and the faults and benefits studied so that the details can be worked out. It is thought that the work of logging on the Pacific Coast will be revolutionized if the tests prove successful. When the details of machinery have been decided upon it is likely that the Smith-Powers Company will plan to do all its logging by machinery.

Drainage District Asked.

Hillsboro.—A petition is filed with the county court here asking for a drainage district in the Lousmont Lake and Dairy Creek sections, affecting more than 50 valuable farms. The proposed ditch will reclaim several thousand acres of the richest beaverdam and bottom lands in Washington County.

Sight Loss Value \$10,000.

Eugene.—Because the cold chisel, which he was using to sever a piece of gas pipe, broke, and a chip of the metal flew into his eye, causing injuries which may result in the loss of sight, Logan P. Harris, a gas fitter, is suing the Oregon Power Company for \$10,000 damages.

BRIEF NEWS OF OREGON

The run of salmon in the Coquille River far exceeds that of a year ago and canneries are running on full time.

Governor West has issued a pardon to Maurice Lederman of Eugene who was recently fined \$50 for selling an old deer horn to a deputy game warden.

Much interest is being taken in the arrangements now under way for the first Clatsop County fair, which will be held at Gearhart Park, October 11, 12 and 13.

The question whether or not Woodburn will license the sale of intoxicating liquors during the coming year, will again be voted on at the next city election to be held on November 7th.

"The hog and field pea special" is the official name for the farming demonstration train that the O. W. R. & N. and the Oregon Agricultural College will send to eastern and central Oregon next week.

The farmers in Harney Valley are having trouble to get their grain threshed, as there are only three machines in the field. The crop is so large this year that three outfits are not enough to handle all the grain.

A movement has been started in Pendleton to secure a commission form of government and to that end the Progressive Nonpartisan Municipal League has been formed with many of the leading business and professional men of the city enlisted as members.

For the purpose of allowing the sale of the tract of land in Forest Grove where the Chemawa Indian School was formerly located, Representative Hawley will introduce a bill at the next session of Congress. The land is owned by the Department of Indian Affairs.

State Capital Gleanings

Oregon now has a woman convict at the penitentiary, Elizabeth Vance, sent up from Astoria on a charge of larceny.

Following a visit of Governor West to the Baby Home in Portland, he has inaugurated an investigation of the expenditure of funds of that home, inasmuch as it is a state-aided institution.

There will probably be over a dozen cases of incendiarism to come before the grand jury in various districts where the fires of last summer raged, according to reports received at the state forester's office.

Many eighth grade schools of Oregon, especially rural schools, will hold their graduating exercises next spring in groups. Recommendations are being sent out to this effect by State superintendent Alderman.

The state's brief, prepared by the attorney-general in the case of the State of Oregon versus the Pacific States Telephone & Telegraph Company, to file with the United States supreme court in the pending case, which will decide the validity of the initiative and referendum, is in the hands of the printer and contains about 30,000 words.

Making the Bachelors' Club of Woodburn immune from prosecution, at least until such time as the supreme court passes on the decision of Judge Galloway in the equity court here, Judge Kelly held that the grand jury could not indict the proprietors of the club for selling liquor without a license, as the general license law exempted cities and towns and placed them under the jurisdiction of such cities and towns.

Portland Notes

The American Contractors' figures on building in the leading cities for the past nine months show that Portland leads on the Pacific Coast, having gained 13 per cent over last year's nine months.

The highway bills drafted and approved by the state-wide good roads committee will be put into form for submission to the people at the next election by a special committee called to meet Tuesday.

By taking advantage of a mere technicality in the indictment, J. W. Bailey, state food and dairy inspector, escaped trial in the circuit court on a charge of failing and refusing to publish a monthly bulletin of work done in his office.

By the terms of a decision of the United States circuit court of appeals, which was handed down in the United States district court here, railway companies are made responsible for all damage done by forest fires started by sparks from engines on forest reserves.

The sale of tags for the Louise Rescue Home netted a total of \$2000. This money when added to the \$2000 already in the hands of the superintendent, W. G. McLaren of the benevolent institution, will enable the superintendent to commence the construction of the building which is to house homeless babies and unfortunate mothers.

LOS ANGELES COURTHOUSE



The Los Angeles courthouse, in which the trial of the McNamara brothers for alleged dynamiting will be held.

Brief News of the Week.

Royalists are fighting to put Manuel back on the throne of Portugal and several small engagements have taken place.

Revolution has broken out in full-fledged form throughout Mexico, with a total of five battles and 110 dead and scores of wounded.

The Senate committee appointed to investigate the election of Senator Lorimer of Illinois resumed its sessions Monday in Chicago.

Each citizen of the United States, under an equal division, would have \$24.35, the per capita circulation on October 2, according to the circulation statement of the treasury department.

The International Dairy Show, one of the greatest expositions of dairy cattle and dairy products and machinery ever held in the world, opened in Milwaukee Tuesday to continue for 10 days.

The retaining by the independent tobacco dealers of Louis D. Brandeis of Boston, famous for his activities in the Ballinger-Pinchot affair, foreshadows a big legal battle between the independent dealers and the tobacco trust.

The first gun of the Woodrow Wilson presidential campaign in the West was fired in Sacramento, Cal., with the organization of the first Wilson League in California at a meeting of some of the most prominent party leaders of the state.

At a special election Tuesday the voters of California voted on several proposed amendments to the state constitution. Most interest centered in the proposed granting of suffrage to women. Another of the amendments provides for the initiative, referendum and recall.

News of Noted Persons.

United States Circuit Judge Joseph V. Quarles, formerly United States senator for Wisconsin, is dead.

Booth Tarkington, author, and his wife have separated. Mrs. Tarkington says her husband is too gay to suit her.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the veteran Canadian premier, has relinquished the reins of government which he held continuously for 15 years.

Dr. Charles W. Elliot, president emeritus of Harvard University, is to make a tour of the world, leaving the United States November 7.

William Elery Curtis, of Washington, traveler, journalist and writer on political topics, died suddenly in his room in a Philadelphia hotel.

The engagement of Miss Fela La Follette, daughter of United States Senator La Follette, to George Middleton, a playwright of New York, is announced.

Mrs. Lulu Glaser Herz, known to theatergoers as Lulu Glaser, a singer, has begun suit for divorce against Ralph C. Herz, also known in musical comedy.

Lieutenant-Governor Nichols, of Batavia, Ohio, representing Governor Harmon, has been sounding the sentiment of Democrats in the Pacific Northwest as to their choice for president.

Spokane-Inland Machinists Out.

Spokane.—The entire force of machinists in the Spokane & Inland shops here struck when the railroad officials served an ultimatum to the unions' committee refusing to reinstate Secretary Neff of the local machinists' organization, who, they declared, was dismissed without cause.

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Oregon Trunk Railway

Portland train daily leaves Opal City 8:00 a. m. Culver 8:15 a. m. Metolius 8:25 a. m. Madras 8:33 a. m. arrives Portland 6:00 p. m.

Through fares, train schedules, and other details will be furnished on request.

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Percheron Stallion For Sale.

On October 1st I will have a fine black registered Percheron stallion in Prineville. He will be on exhibition during Fair week. Anyone wishing a good young horse will do well to see him. Leave your name at the Journal office. J. O. WHITTAKER, 9-21-4t-p Hampton, Or.

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