OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Events Occurring Throughout the State During the Past

Evidence of Fraud

Salem.-Announcement has been made by C. D. Babcock, member of the compensation commission, that the checking of names on petitions, asking for a reference of the compensation act to determine whether they are bona fide has been completed, but that the matter of bringing a suit to restrain the secretary of state from putting the measure on the ballot is problematical because of the lack of

We found plenty of evidence of fraud, and I believe that, had we the money to gather evidence and prosecute a salt, we could enjoin the secretary of state from putting the measure on the ballot," said Mr. Babcock.

Mill at Dee Burns

Hood River.-Entailing a clear loss of slightly more than \$100,000, the big sawmill and 1,000,000 feet of lumber, of the Oregon Lumber company, were destroyed at Dee, the flames for several hours menacing the entire town, and engaging the crew of 250 men in a fierce conflict. The origin of the fire is unknown.

WILL OPEN LAND TO ENTRY Government to Hasten Classification

in Siuslaw Forest Section Portland.-Because residents of the sections of Tillamook, Lincoln and Lane counties adjacent to the Siuslaw national forest have been accusing the United States forest service of delay in opening agricultural lands within the bounds of the reserve to settlement, the forest service has taken up the matter of extensive land classification in that territory. The work will be pushed forward, and if land is found which in the opinion of the experts is more valuable as agricultural land than as forest land, such territory will be opened at once to home steaders.

The Saddle Mountain project includes national forest lands in five townships, located 15 miles southeast of Waldport on Alsea bay, in western Lane county. The total area in this project, now to be classified, is approximately \$1,000 acres. Much of this land was patented as timber and stone lands before the Siuslaw was made a national forest in 1907.

As soon as the classification is complete, any lands which are found to be chiefly valuable for agriculture and not needed for public purposes will be immediately opened to settlement and entry under the homestead lands.

Sheriff Arrests Doctor Vale.-Sheriff Kerfoot, after search

ing the surrounding country for a week, is satisfied that the alleged auto stage robbery between this place and Nyssa on June 18 was a faked scheme on the part of the driver, G. Franklin Ross, and Dr. C. S. Delong of this city. As a result of the investigations, Dr. Delong was arrested on a charge of improper conduct and is being held to the grand jury in default of \$700 bail.

ELKS PLAN TROUT FEAST

A Sunday Late in July to See High Jinks on Mountain Stream

Eugene.-The Elks of Eugene will invite all the Elks of the state of Oregon to this city for a huge picnic and high tinks, either on the banks of the Mohawk river or the McKenzie river near the city, on Sunday, July 20 or July 27. It is planned to run excursion trains here on that day, from north and south, and to take the "Bills" out to the river in automobiles and feed them on fried trout. Committees are already at work upon the details of the monster pienic. Fishing parties will whip the several streams nearby for two days previous to the celebration and catch enough trout for all that will be expected to come. The members of the local lodge have held an annual links on the Mohawk for several years past, but this time they are going to invite their brothers from all parts of Oregon to participate in the day's pleasures.

Salmon Prices Are Fixed Astoria.-Selling prices of the 1913 pack of Columbia river canned salmon have been fixed as follows, per dozen cans: Talls, \$1.95; Fats, \$2.00; half pounds, \$1.25; ovals, \$2.55.

These prices were declared warranted by the fact that the run thus far has not been large and there is a strong demand for the Columbia river product, which is in a class by itself.

Man in Duel is Killed

St. Helens.-Robert McPherson was finstantly killed and Green Adams was shot through the leg in a duel, in which the two men engaged at Vernonia. It is said that McPherson had attributed his separation from his wife to Adams. Adams is in Juli at this

CHARLES F. MURPHY



Charles F. Murphy, Leader of Tam many Hall, who is accused by Governor Sulzer of blocking passage of re

MILITANTS ATTACK OFFICIALS

Make An Unsuccessful Attempt to Capture Cabinet Ministers

London-Miss Sylvia Pankhurst. daughter of Mrs. Emmaline Pankhurst the suffragette leader, led an attacking party to Downing street for the purpose of imprisoning the cabinet ministers. The expedition was unsuc cessful, but the victory of the police was not won without a series of fierce scrimmages, in which both policemen and women were injured.

Miss Pankhurst appeared at a demonstration in Trafalgar Square in favor of free speech. She denounced the Right Honorable Reginald McKenna, the Home Secretary, for "killing my mother." Then she invited the crowd to go to Downing street and "imprison the ministers in their own houses."

The police, however, had been apprised of the intentions of the demonstrators and had thrown a strong cordon around Downing street. workers in the attacking party tried to break through and some of the women went to their aid, but were severely handled.

Private Crawford Choked, is Verdict Hoquiam, Wash.-The death of J. A. Crawford, the soldier from Fort Stevens, whose body was found on the north jetty of Grays Harbor a week ago, was due to strangulation, according to the verdict of the coroner's jury which held an inquest over the disinterred body here. The inquest was held at the request of the commanding officer of Fort Stevens. 1

CHRISTIAN LEADERS OF WORLD MEET

Portland.-For eight days, beginning Sunday and closing July 6, Portland is to be the capital of the religious world while representatives of the nations of the earth voice their views in the deliberations of the second World's Christian Citiznship Conference, which opened Sunday afternoon in the Multnomah stadium.

Social purity, intemperance, gambling, international peace, Christianity, public education, prison reform, immigration, child labor, socialism, juventle delinquency, civic reform and old age pensions are only a few of the subjects that will receive treatment at the conference.

A prominent feature of the conference will be a great patriotic demonstration on the Fourth of July. In the forenoon of that day ten thousand Sunday school workers and children will form in line and march to the Multnomah stadium.

Among the foreign speakers will be Rev. John Lamond, of Edinburgh, Scotland, distinguished in social work and as a scholar and traveler. Prefessor Theophil Mann, of Frankforton-the-Main. Germany, is one of the most interesting foreign representatives. Rev. Robert J. Patterson, of Belfast, Ireland, originated the "Catch-My-Pal" organization, a unique tem-

perance movement. Charles W. Fuirbanks, of Indianapolls, ex-Vice-President of the United States, is the most distinguished layman in attendance

THE MARKETS.

Portland. Wheat-Club, 94c; bluestem, \$1.01;

red Russian, 92c. Hay-Timothy, \$18; alfalfa, \$13. Butter-Creamery, 28c.

Eggs-Candled, 21c. Eggs-Candled, 19c.

Wool-Eastern Oregon, 16c; Willamette valley, 15c.

Seattle.

Wheat-Bluestem, 99c; club, 92c; red Russian, 90c.

Eggs-10c. Butter-Creamery, 29c. Hay-Timothy, \$18 per ton; alfalfa, \$13 per ton.

BRIEF NEWS OF OREGON

To fester horse racing and the dedopment of good borses, the Lone Oak Driving Club of Oregon has been erganized at Salem.

Citizens and members of the Roseberg school board are formulating plans whereby manual training may be added to the school courses.

The South Umpqua river is higher than it was during the flood last January, and the highest ever known in

In a fit of anger at Corvallie, Mrs. E. S. Tunell shot her bushand and daughter and then turned the gun on herself. She is dead, but her victims may recover.

All the logging camps in the lower Columbia river district are now closed for the midsummer shut-down. Some of the larger camps will not start up until about August L.

"Asteria, the town to tie to," that is the slogan which has been selected by the special committee appointed to select one to be used in advertising

George Frye Herbert, son of Deputy Sheriff and Mrs. George A. Herbert, of Baker, has been appointed to the United States military academy at West Point, by Congressman N. J. Sinpott,

At a meeting of the Willamette Valley Prunegrowers' association it was decided not to form a pool for this senson in securing prices for the crop, as has been done heretofore.

"Glass Eye," the chief mourner of the Klamath Indians, is dead. For more than a half century the squaw attended every Indian burial on the Klamath reservation.

The registration totals 234 for the ummer term at the state normal at Monmouth. A large percentage of these teachers come from Oregon, though many register from other

At a meeting of the board of control held in Salem, it was decided that no Oregon convict will be worked at other state institutions or on road work hereafter except under the "honor system.

It is expected that approximately 1913 youngsters will take part in the 1913 exercises of the Willamette Valley Chautauqua at Gladstone, in a Supervised Play," to be directed by Miss Grace Lamkin of Chicago.

It is announced at Bay City that work will begin soon on the jetty construction at the mouth of Tillamook bay. The bonds, bearing 6 per cent per cent.

The stockholders of the Rogue Riv er Valley Fruit and Produce Association voted unanimously at a meeting held in Medford to issue \$40,000 in bonds for the erection of a storage and

club and the Inland Grain Growers' association sent telegrams to the mem bers of the Oregon congressional dele gation protesting against the placing of a 15 per cent duty on grain bags.

James Vittitoe, who left Eugene several weeks ago, leaving over \$1000 in bad bills, was arrested at Missoula, Mont. and was recently brought back for trial on a charge of larceny by ballee, was acquitted by a jury in the circuit court. The Lebanon creamery has been

awarded the contract by the state board of control for supplying the state institutions with butter during the month of July. The contract price is 28 cents for cubes and 29 cents for macks. About 2000 pounds will be used during the month. Special instructions from the treas

pry department received at Astoria direct that the reports from the Astor la office are hereafter to be forwarded to the head office of the customs dis trict of Oregon. The local Astoria of fice is to be turned over to a deputy by Collector Logan.

According to the traffic manager of the O-W, R. & N. Co., several thousand acres of field corn will be grown in Oregon this summer. The company distributed 10,000 pounds of seed corn, and this was all planted by the farmers, together with much other

Regardless of the fact that the pure seed law enacted by the last legislature says in section 16 that the law is to apply only to those dealers and warehousemen whose principal business is handling seeds, the attorney general has rendered an opinion that the law will apply to all dealers in agricultural seeds in the state.

Establishing a chair of political science, the university of Oregon board of regents took the first step in creating a preparatory law school at the university in Eugene. Hereafter university students may leave Eugene with one year's accredited law, which will permit them to enter the univer sity law school in Portland or any first class college as advance students.

The board of chief engineers has made an adverse report on the improvement of the Siuslaw river from Florence to Acme. The desired improvement centemplated dredging a channel 150 feet wide and 10 feet deep through the bar, and a preliminary survey was authorized in the last riv ers and harbors act.

A Hint to Buyers!

OFTEN have we met people, who after buying at Portland or somewhere else, say: Well, I did not know that you solu it at the same price," or, "I did not know that you folks had it." In buying at home you have the guarantee of your local merchant behind the goods, and we often exchange goods, after our customer discovers that they really wanted something else. And we in a good many cases can save you postage, express or breakage in shipping. For instance, that phonograph or record you can get right here at the same price as you pay anywhere, and save express or freight. And it r ally does not pay in the long run to buy inferior goods. Now here are some things we handle and sell at the same price as any place:

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Leave Portland 7:00 p. m., arrive Sherar 3:03 a. m.; Maupin, 3:26 a. m.; Mecca, 5:18 a. m.; Madras, 6:00 a. m.; Metolius 6:13 a. m.; Culver, 6:28 a. m.; Terrebonne, 7:08 a. m.; Redmond, 7:23 a. m.; Deschutes, 7:43 a. m.; Bend, 8:00 a. m.

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Department of the Interior. United States Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon, June 14, 1913. o John M. Westfall, of Princville, Oregon, Contestee.

Oregon, Contestee:
You are hereby notified that Thomas Lowe, who gives Prineville, Oregon, eare of J. E. Roberts, as his post office address, dild on May 23, 1913, file in this office his doly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your homestead, serial No. 07100, made June 27, 1910, for si swi, section 17, ni mi, section 20; township 17 south, range 17 east, Williamotte meridian, and as grounds for his contest he alleges grounds for his contest he alleges that said John M. Westfall has whol-ly abandoned said tract for over two years last past; that he has wholly tailed to reside upon, improve or cultivate said land for over two

cultivate said land for over two years last past, or at all since mak-ing said entry.

You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken by this office as having been confessed by you, and your said en-try will be canceled thereunder without your further right to be heard therein, either before this office or on appeal, if you fail to file in this office within twenty days after the FOURTH publication of this notice, as shown below, your answer, under oath, specifically meeting and re-sponding to these allegations of con-test, or if you fall within that time to file in this office due proof that you have served a copy of your you have served a copy of your answer on the said contestant either n person or by registered mail. If this service is made by the delivery of a copy of your answer to the contestant in person, proof of such ser-vice must be either the said contestant's written acknowledgment of his receipt of the copy, showing the date of its receipt, or the affidavit of the person by whom the delivery was made, stating when and where the copy was delivered; if made by regis-tered mail, proof of such service must consist of the affidavit of the person by whom the copy was malled stat-ing when and the post office to which it was malled, and this affidavit must be accompanied by the post-master's receipt for the letter.

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C. W. MOORE, Register

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Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the under-signed has been, by the county court of the state of Oregon for Crook county, duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Elmer Clark, deceased, and all estate of Emor Clark, deceased, and all-persons having claims against said es-tate are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to said alministra-trix at the law office of M. E. Brink, in the city of Frineville, Crook county, state of Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

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