NEWS FROM OUR NATIONAL CAPITAL

Literary Test May Bar Out Foreigners Ineligible to Naturalization.

Washington,-The long struggle over currency reform is expected to come to an end in the senate next Saturday.

Important changes in the railroad laws, a comprehensive study of the trust question and a reopening of the fight over a literacy test for immigrants are dividing attention of the house with the new economy program that was launched by the "economy conference" of house leaders.

Speaker Clark, Democratic Leader Underwood and Chairman Fitzgerald. of the appropriations committee, sponsors for this latter movement, have called a second conference for next Saturday to ascertain what progress has been made in reducing the proposed appropriations for the year.

May Impose Literacy Test

The house will soon be in the thick est of its fight for immigration re The immigration committee probably will report a bill which would impose a literacy test, bar out foreigners ineligible to naturalization and not provided for by treaties, strengthen the inhibition against allens who advocate the unlawful destruction of property and increase the head tax per immigrant to \$5.

The proposed literacy test will reopen debate on the feature which led President Taft to veto substantially the same bill last winter.

Non-Resident Law Asked.

Non-resident enlarged homesteads will be permitted in Oregon, Washing ton, California, Montana and several other western states, if congress pass es a bill recently introduced by Rep. resentative Taylor, of Colorado. Un der existing law, non-resident homesteads may be made in Utah and Idaho, but nowhere else.

The Taylor bill provides that the secretary of interior may designate for non-resident entry, under the enlarged homestead law, not to exceed 2,000,000 acres in each of the states named, when he finds that areas settled on do not have sufficient water supply for domestic purposes, such as would make continuous residence

Entrymen who avail themselves of the non-residence homestead law, however, in making proof must show that they have cultivated one-sixteenth of the area of their entry beginning the second year, and one-eighth of the area for the third and successive years until final proof is made, and they must also reside within such distance of their land as to enable them to farm it personally

Congress Favors Presidential Primary

A careful pell indicates a clear majority of the senate and house favors presidential preference primaries.

Only a small minority is outspoken in its opposition to nation-wide primaries, with the candidates formulating the platform upon which they will appeal to the people for election. President Wilson has adopted the

The sole obstacle in the way of prompt action by congress on this matter is the doctrine of states' rights. It is the excuse which those really opposed to the primary principle will offer

National Capital Brevities.

Lack of sufficient artillerymen to handle the coast defenses is confronting the war department.

President Wilson, who has been suffering from a severe cold the past week, was able to be out of bed Sunday.

Secretary of War Garrison told the house committee on military affairs that the total authorized strength of the army was 85,000, against a total population of 100,000,000 people under the American flag and that he could not see how the government could get along with less than that number of soldiers in times of peace.

Resolutions were adopted by the senate calling on the agricultural department to investigate complaints of western cattle men that Argentine meat without proper marking as such, is being sold in the American markets.

Secretary Houston conducted a public hearing at the offices of the department of agriculture, Thursday, in order that all persons interested in the importation of the common, or Irish potato from Canada and Europe may have a chance to be heard concerning the establishment of a quarantine, to be effective January 1, 1914.

Drastic powers over the physical operation of railroads would be conferred on the Interstate Commerce Commission under a bill which Representative Stevens, of New Hampshire, has prepared for introduction soon. Mr. Stevens is a Democratic members of the interstate commerce committee.

GENERAL VILLA



General Villa, rebel leader in Northern Mexico, who is accused of confiscation of property and demands for exhorbitant sums of money on entering Chihuahua.

INDIAN HELD AS BURGLAR

Series of Robberies Alleged to Have Been Committed in Portland.

Portland.-Richard Mills, a Carlisle Indian school graduate, one-fourth Sloux, and the owner of a 640-acre farm in Nebraska, was arrested here for the alleged robbery of five houses. These are about one-half the house burglaries in Portland since Milis came here, December 9.

Mills, the police charge, is financially well fixed, but steals for the love of the game. He has served a year in Deer Lodge, Mont., for burglary, it is alleged, and, it is also alleged, that he served some time in the Washington state penitentiary in Walla Walla for the same offense.

Outlaw Not Thought Donnelly. Walla Walla, Wash.-Guards returning to the state prison with the blood hounds used to trace the Chehalis outlaw say they believe the man is not Mike Donnelley, the escaped murderer from the local prison.

Canada To Exclude All Japanese.

London.-A dispatch from the Times from Tokio says that the Japanese government has been notified that Canada intends to prohibit all immigration to British Columbia for three

WORK PLANNED FOR IDLE OREGON MEN

Salem, Or.-Governor West called a meeting of the state emergency board for Thursday morning, at which he suggested that a deficiency of \$50,-000 be created to give employment on public roads for the next two months to men now out of work. He figures that the money will provide employment for 500 men at \$2 a day and that the work will be of advantage to the state by hastening improvement of thoroughfares.

The decision to call the meeting was reached by the governor after C. C. McColloch, state senator, Mr. West's representative at the meeting of the unemployed in Portland, had made his Senator McC the meeting was orderly and he was convinced that the men actually desired work. The governor said if the proposed road work is undertaken it would have to be done in the regular way through the state highway commission.

Fruit Men To Meet.

Walla Walla, Wash.-Fruitmen of the state who held their annual convention in Walla Walla commencing Wednesday, heard one of the most important programs ever prepared for the organization, leading fruitmen say. Talks covered every phase of agricultural and horticultural work.

Idaho Wins Debate.

Moscow, Idaho.-By defeating both Washington State College and Oregon Agricultural College in the first annual triangular debates between the three institutions, the University of Idaho won the undisputed championship of the new tri-state league,

THE MARKETS.

Portland.

Wheat-Club, 83c; bluestem, 93c; ed Russian, 81c. Hay-Timothy, \$17; alfalfa, \$14. Butter-Creamery, 37c. Eggs-Candled, 40c.

Seattle.

Wheat-Bluestem, 93c; club, 82c; ed Russian, 81c. Hay-Timothy, \$17 per ton; alfalfa,

14 per ton. Eggs-47c.

Butter-Creamery, 36c.

VILLA HOSTILE .TO FOREIGN RESIDENTS

Mexican Rebel Leader Seizes Property and Makes Unreasonable Demands.

El Paso, Tex.-Americans, Germans and Spaniards, who arrived from Chibushua, Mex., report that Francisco Villa, the rebel leader, virtually had constituted himself dictator there and that he refused to heed the requests of representatives of foreign govern-

They asserted that the rebel leader had seized \$5,000,000 worth of property belonging to foreigners; had put to death about twenty Mexican civillans, and had commanded the American German and British coffsuls to obey rebel orders.

Villa seized a large deparement store valued at \$1,500,000 and owned by French, German, English and Span-

He also seized a brewery, a cloth ing factory and all the grocery and other stores owned by Spaniards, valued at \$3,500,000. He called a meet ing of merchants of all nationalities and told them they must pay him sums of money, aggregating several million dollars, to support the revolution.

Villa's expulsion of citizens of Spain all of whom were progressive mer chants, was on pain of death.

RAILROADS MAY FIGHT TAX Washington Will Have to Stamp Warrants if Contest Results.

Olympia. Wash.—The reported de-termination of the five great railroad systems to refuse payment of their 1913 taxes, and contest what they con sider unfair assessments, is causing some worry to state officials.

The total is estimated at between \$4,000,000 and \$5,250,000. That the state may have to stamp warrants for approximately \$1,125,000, if the railroads refuse to pay, is regarded as

The cases of all the railroads ar said to have been placed in the hands of F. V. Brown, general counsel for the Great Northern.

Homestead Land Opened Valueless. Walla Walla, Wash.—While 2000 acres of land in Whitman and Asotin counties will be made subject to entry under the enlarged homestead act, which permits entry of 320 acres in certain designated localities, after De cember 22, local officials of the Unit ed States land office do not expect any rush to file. They say the land is practicaly valueless

WALLACE POSTOFFICE ROBBED OF \$17,000

Wallace, Idaho.-Without leaving as much as a finger print as a clew, burglars robbed the local postoffice of a little more than \$17,000 and apparently made good their escape.

When the postmaster and clerks ar rived in the morning nothing unusual was noticeable around the office. The safe being locked apparently the same as it had been left the night before Postmaster Presley quickly noted the disappearance of the three registered packages and a hurried investigation followed, revealing the fact that they were missing and robbery had been office and all doors and windows did not reveal a single clew, as apparently they had not been molested. The safe had been opened without a scratch being made and had been as carefully relocked, the only thing no ticeable being that the inner door had not been locked.

Reubin D. Nevius Dies.

Tacoma.-Reuben D. Nevius, D. D., who founded more than 30 Episcopal churches in the Pacific Northwest, died in this city at the age of \$6. He came to the coast 41 years ago and settled at Portland as rector of Trinity Church, later becoming general missionary for Oregon, Washington and Idaho.

Poincare Talks of Visit to America. Paris.-President Poincare has talked unofficially with Jean Jules Jusser and, French ambassador to the United States; Myron T. Herrick, United States ambassador to France, and others of the possibility of his paying a visit to the United States while in office.

New North Bank Road President. Portland.-Changes in the executive offices of the North Bank Road, involving the resignation of Joseph H. Young, president, and the election of L. C. Gilman, of Seattle, to succeed him, probably will be made before the first of the year.

Lister Not Candidate for Senate. Tacoma, Wash.—That he positively will not be a candidate for the senate was announced here by Governor Lister.

Restoration to Entry of Lands in National Forest

Notice is hereby given that the lands described below, embracing 40 acres, within the Deschutes National Forest, Oregon, will be subject to settlement and entry under the provisions of the homestead laws of the United States and the act of June 11, 1906 (33 Stat, 235), at the United States and the set of June 11, 1906 (34 Stat, 235), at the United States land office at Lakeview, Oregon, on February 18, 1914. Any settler who was actually and in good faith claiming any of said lands for agricultural purposes prior to January 1 1996, and has not abandoned same, has a preference right to make a homestead entry for the lands actually occupied. Said lands were listed upon the applications of the persons mentioned below, who have a preference right subject to the prior right of any such settler, provided such settler or applicant is qualified to make homestead entry and the preference right is exercised prior to February 18, 1914, on which date the lands will be subject to settlement and entry by any qualified person. The land-are as follows: The E4 E4 NE)4 NF1, Sec. 25, T. 22 S., R. 8 E., the W\(\frac{1}{2}\) NF1, Sec. 25, T. 22 S., R. 8 E4, the W\(\frac{1}{2}\) NF1, Sec. 25, T. 22 S., R. 9 E., W. M., 40 acres, application of R. E. Eaton of Lapine, Oregon; List 6-1000, December 3, 1913. C. M. Buccs, Assistant Commissioner of the General Land Office. Notice is hereby given that the lands

Notice for Publication

Notice for Publication
Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Or.
November 26th, 1913.
Notice is hereby given that
H. Earl Cross
of Prineville, Oregon, who, on June
4th, 1910, made Homestead Entry
No. 00936, for sei nwi, swi nei, nwi
sei and nei swi section S. township
16 south, range 16 east Willamette
Meridian, has filed notice of Intention to make final three-year proof,
to establish claim to the land above
described before Timothy E. J.
Duffy, U. S. commissioner, at Prineville, Oregon, on the 9th day of January, 1914.
Claimant names as witnesses:
Edgar J. Bundy, Walter C. McNely,
William W. Davis, John Burnett, all
of Prineville, Oregon.
H. FRANK WOODGOCK,
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Register.
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Public Land Sale

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Ore.
November 20th, 1913.

Notice is bereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Act of Congress approved June 27, 1906 (34 Stats, 517), pursuant to the application of Lysander S. Logan, Serial No. 010146, we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$2.00 per acre, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 9th day of January, 1914, at this office, the following tract of land: nel nel section 28, township 20 south, range 20 east, Williamette Meridian.

Any persons claiming adversely the above-described land are advised to file their claims, or objections, on or before the time designated for sale.

H. Frank Woodcock, 124

Register.

Farm oans

For a short time we have subject to our disposal

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Prineville, Oregon

Notice of Sheriff's Sale

By virtue of an execution in foreclosure duly issued by the cierk of
the circuit court of the county of
Crook, state of Oregon, dated the
lith day of Dec., 1913, in a certain
action in the circuit court for said
county and state, wherein O'Neil
Brothers Company, a corporation,
as plaintiff, recovered judgment
against H. K. Nissen, Cora Nissen
and Harry N. Kjer, for the sum of
Five Hundred Forty-Eight and sixty
hundredths dollars, and costs and
disbursements taxed at Niuty-four
dollars, on the 6th day of December, dollars, on the 6th day of December, 1913. Notice is hereby given that I

17th day of January, 1914,

at the north front door of the courthouse in Prineville, in said county
at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said
day, sell at public auction to the
highest bidder, for cash, the following described property, to-wit: The
south 20 feet of lot 5 in block 19 in
the town of Madras (formerly Paimain) and I have taken and levied
upon as the property of the said H.
K. Nissen, Cora Nissen and Harry
Kjer, south 20 feet of lot 5, block 19,
Palmain, Ore., and I will sell the
same or as much thereof as may be
necessary to satisfy the said judgment in favor of O'Neil Brothers
Company, a corporation, against ment in favor of O'Neil Brothers Company, a corporation, against said H. K. Nissen, Cora Nissen and Harry N. Kjer, with interest thereon together with all costs and disburse-ments that have or may accrue. Frank Elkins, sheriff. Dated at Prineville, Ore., Dec. 11, 1913.

By W. E. Van Allen, deputy.

Summons

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for the county of Crook. Central Oregon Irrigation Company, a corporation plaintiff,

corporation plaintiff.

vs.

John Freesell, defendant.

To John Freesell, defendant:

In the name of the state of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, vis, before January 1st, 1914, and if you fail so to appear and answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in the complaint, to-wit, the cancellation of a certain contract made by you with the plaintiff, dated April 3, 1911, and costs and disbursements of the suit.

This summone is published by order of Hon. W. L. Bradshaw, judge of the above court, made on the 13th day of November, 1913.

Date of first publication, November 20th, 1913.

Date of last publication, December 25th, 1913.

JESSE STEARS, Attorney for plaintiff.

In the county court of the state of Oregon for Crook county. S. J. Newsom, plaintiff,

20 east, Willamette Meridian.
Any persons claiming adversely the above-described land are advised to file their claims, or objections, on or before the time designated for sale.

H. Fiank Wooddock,
Register.

Summons
In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for the county of Crook.
Central Oregon Irrigation Co., a corporation, plaintiff,
W. E. Myers and S. J. Myers, defendants.
To W. E. Myers and S. J. Myers, defendants.
In the name of the service of this summons upon you if served in the summons upon you if served in the summon supon you of served within any other county in the state, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, or if served by publication as required by law, then on refore the state, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, or if served by publication as required by law, then on refore the state, then within the state, of the service of this summons upon you, or if served by publication as required by law, then on refore the state of the service of this summons upon you, or if served by publication as required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within six weeks of the date of the first publication as required by law, then on refore the state, then within the state of the service of this summons upon you, or if served by publication as required by law, then on refore the state of the service of this summon supon you, or if served by publication as required by law, then of Eighty Dollars, with interest the real of the service of this summon supon you, or if served by publication as required by law, then of the state of the service of this summon supon you, or if served by publication as required by law, then of the state of the service of the se

with the issue of December 25th, 1913, by order of the Hon. G. Springer, judge of the above entitled court, made and entered on the 13th day of November, 1913.

Dated and published first time November 13th, 1913.

M. E. Brink,
Attorney for plaintiff.

Notice to Creditors Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given that the under signed has been, by the county court of Crook county, state of Oregon, duly appointed administrator of the estate of Jeanie M. Smead, 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.

this notice.

Dated and published first time November 20th, A. D. 1913.

WILLIAM C. SMEAD,
Administrator of the estate of Jeanie
M. Smead, deceased.

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

November 26th, 1913.

Notice is bereby given that
Pearl O. Kayler
widow of Elmer W. Kayler, deceased,
of Prineville, Oregon, who, on February 12th, 1910, made homestead
entry No. 06005, for w\(\frac{1}{2}\) unit and w\(\frac{1}{2}\) estimates 2, township 15 south,
range 15 east Willamette Meridian,
has filed notice of intention to make
final three-year proof to establish has filed notice of intention to make final three-year proof to establish claim to the land above described before Timothy E. J. Duffy, U. S. commissioner, at Prineville, Oregon, on the 15th day of January, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Omer Claypool, Granville Clifton, Warren Crooks, William Harold, all of Prineville, Oregon.

H. Frank Woodcock, 124 Register.

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Summons

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for the county of Crook. Central Oregon Irrigation Company, a corporation, plaintiff,

Mrs. K. J. Christiansen and Mrs. H. J.

Mrs. K. J. Christiansen and Mrs. H. J.
Schumann, only surviving heirs at
law and next of kin of Walter H.
Merins, doceased, defendants.
To Mrs. K. J. Christiansen and Mrs.
H. J. Schumann, defendants:
In the name of the state of Oregon,
You are hereby required to appear and
answer the complaint filed against you
in the above entitled suit within six
weeks of the date of the first publication of this summons, viz, before January 1st, 1914, and if you fail so to appear and answer, for want thereof, the
plaintiff will apply to the court for the
relief prayed for in the complaint, towir, the cancellation of a certain contract made by Walter H. Mevius with
the Deschutes Irrigation & Power
Company, dated March 13th, 1909, and
costs and disbursements of the suit.
This summons is published by order
of, Hon. W. L. Bradehaw, judge of the
above court, made on the 13th day of
November, 1913.

Date of last publication, November
20th, 1913.

Date of last publication, December
25th, 1913.

Attorney for plaintiff.

Notice of Contest

Notice of Contest

Department of the Interior,
United States Land Office, Lakeview Ore.
November 5th, 1913.

To William S. Brooke, Contestee:
You are hereby notified that Fred Christofierson, who gives Rollyat, Oregon, as his post office address, did on september 18th, 1915, file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your lemmestead, Serial No. 0005, made May 12th, 1911, for set, or section 11, m4, m4 of section 2 mwis, mwis of section 11, m4, m4 of section 2 mwis, mwis of section 11, m2, made agrounds for his contest he alleges that William S. Brooke has wholly and entirely abandoned said land, has no sign of habitation on said and and to my personal knowledge has not resided upon said land within the six months immediately proceeding date of said contest.

You are, therefore, further notified that the

said and, has no sign of habitation on said and and to my personal knowledge has not resided upon said land within the six months immediately preceding date of said contest. You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken by this office as having been confessed by you, and your said entry will be canceled thereunder without your further right to be heard therein, either before this office or on appeal, if you full to file in this office or on appeal, if you full 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 responding to these salogations of contest, or if you fail within that time to file in this office due proof that you have served a copy of your answer on the said contestant either in person or by registered mail. If this service is made by the derivery of a copy of your answer to the contestant in person, proof of such service must be either the said contestant's written acknowledgement of his receipt of the copy was maked stating when and they are the copy was delivered; if made by registered mail proof of such service must consist of the affidavit of the person by whom the delivery was made stating when and the postoffice to which it was mailed, and this affidavit must be accompanied by the postmaster's receipt for the letter.

You should state in your answer the name

panied by the postmaster
letter.
You should state in your answer the name
of the postoffice to which you desire future
notices to be sent to you.

JAS. F. HURSLESS, Register,

Date of first publication, December 4, 1913,

second "15, 1915,

third "15, 1915,

learth "25, 1915.

Notice for Publication

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office, at Lakeview, Or,
November 25, 1913.

Not coal lands.

Notice is hereby given that
Loyd Clifton Peek
of Hampton, Oregon, who, on February 9th, 1910, made Homestead
Entry (Act Feb. 19, 1909) No. 03012,
for ej section 24. township 21 south,
range 19 east, Willamette Meridian,
has filed notice of intention to make
final three-year proof to establish
claim to the land above described
before A. S. Fogg, United States
commissioner, at Hampton, Oregon,
on the 19th day of January, 1914.
Claimant names as witnesses:

Claimant names as witnesses: Burr Black, John Whittaker, Isaac Zierolf, Louis Miller, all of Hampton, Oregon. Jas F. BURGESS, 12-4 Register.

Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, the administrator of the estate of Andrew J. Turner, deceased, to all persons having claims against said deceased or his estate to present the same with the proper vouchers to the undersigned, at the office of M. R. Elliott, in Prineville, Oregon, within six months from the first publication of this notice.

Dated this 13th day of Nov., 1913.

HENRY TURNER. Notice to Creditors

HENRY TURNER,
Administrator of the estate of Andrew J. Turner, deceased.

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