

Mysterious Axe Drills Grove For Powerful Charge of Dynamite

While splitting wood for her breakfast fire, Mrs. James Curran discovered four dynamite caps in one of the stumps...

By the merest accident, they were discovered before she gathered the wood in her arms and carried into the house to start the breakfast fire...

HENNEY READY TO STUDY PROBLEM

WORK SOON TO START ON COST OF CONSTRUCTION OF LINE TO CITY FROM HILLS

DATA TO BE CAREFULLY CHECKED

Council Will Know Down to Fraction of a Cent What Work Will Take and Whether It Can Be Done at Figures Given

D. C. Henney, consulting engineer of the United States government and the final resort on all matters of engineering in which the federal departments are interested...

VOLCANO BREAKS OUT AGAIN; MANY DEAD

KAGOSHIMA, Jan. 19.—Fresh eruptions of the volcano of Sakurajima, which caused such widespread devastation recently, occurred today...

FIVE ROB BANK AND FIGHT WITH POSSE

EVERETT, Wash., Jan. 15.—Five armed men held up the Granite Falls State bank, 16 miles northeast of here today, and escaped with between \$1,500 and \$2,000 after engaging in a running battle with a posse of citizens...

CRAWFORD MUST SUE HIS BROTHER IN LAW

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 15.—Governor West today called upon Attorney General Crawford to recover from the attorney general's brother-in-law, E. B. Watson, \$500 paid to Watson in 1907 for legal services rendered the state...

JAPANESE MARINES HAVE BEEN LANDED

NAGASAKI, Japan, Jan. 15.—Marines from the Japanese naval squadron were in charge at Kagoshima today. Though Sakurajima was still in violent eruption, it was believed the danger on the main island was over...

OREGON CITY DEFEATS CANBY

In a hard fought and exciting contest, Oregon City High school won its first basketball game of the season Saturday night when it defeated the Canby school by the score of 17 to 14...

MORE JUVENILE FAIRS, PROGRAM

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT HAS PLAN TO STIMULATE THE SCHOOL INTEREST

LOCAL COMPETITION ADDS ZEST

Results in Better Attention to Work and More Careful Exhibits for General Display—Best Go to County and State

More local fairs with better exhibits will be the aim of J. E. Calavan, county superintendent of schools, this year. He plans to emphasize the juvenile department this time...

CHICAGO MAY HAVE GIGANTIC SUBWAY

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—A proposition to give Chicago a comprehensive subway costing from \$50,000,000 to \$150,000,000, to be paid for out of the earnings of the system, was made to Mayor Harrison and a committee of the city council here yesterday...

ANXIOUSLY AWAITS Husband's Return For Twenty Years

After waiting in vain for him for 20 years and expecting his return at any time, Bertha Strahmer finally brought suit in the circuit court of the county against Lawrence Strahmer Saturday...

SPECTACULAR WEST USES SHORT WORD

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 16.—Governor West today gave Attorney General Crawford the short and ugly word, in replying to an interview issued from Eugene by the attorney general, in which the latter declared that two or three years ago, 50,000 acres of indemnity school land base was used in selecting worthless alkali lands in the vicinity of Albert and Summer lakes...

TEACHERS PASS

Clackamas county teachers who passed the state examination are as follows: One-year certificates—J. G. Nae, Hubbard, R. E. Brown, Clackamas; Edna R. Gard, New Era; Harry Sherwood, Canby; Ray S. Welch, Oregon City; Rosa Gertrude Hatz; Oregon City; Herbert E. Bradley, Leuts; Lillie E. Larson, Oregon City.

ALBEE MAY BE HELD ON EIGHT HOUR LAW

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 17.—Unless MAY or H. B. Albee, of Portland, immediately puts the police officers and firemen on an eight-hour basis, he will be arrested for violating the eight-hour law, according to a communication directed to him by Labor Commissioner Hoff...

RESPONSIBILITY FOR ENACTMENTS

FARMERS BELIEVE THE UPPER HOUSE WEAKENS PUBLIC CONTROL OF ACTS

SLOUGHS COST TOO MUCH MONEY

Society Favors Permanent Roads in All Counties of State as Least Expense in End—Market Problem Big

Abolition of the state senate, the endorsement of permanent hard-surfaced highways, and the favoring of a plan for a central public market in all of the cities of the state were the features of the meeting of the State Equity society at which five counties were represented...

CABINET APPROVES NEW TRUST MESSAGE

WASHINGTON—Jan. 16.—The cabinet approved today the address President Wilson soon will deliver to congress on the trust question. It will go to the printer at once, and will be read to congress next week...

PNEUMONIA TAKES HIM AFTER DESPERATE FIGHT

Ralph Flager died Friday night after a long attack of pneumonia. He had been wavering for several days but the attending physicians finally gave up hope of his recovery. On Friday night he died...

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Table with columns for Resources and Liabilities, listing various financial items and their amounts as of January 13th, 1914.

F. J. MEYER, Cashier. CORRECT—ATTEST: D. C. LATOURETTE, C. D. LATOURETTE, M. D. LATOURETTE, Directors. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of January, 1914. J. F. CLARK, Notary Public.