

### SOME FEATURES OF PROPOSED GAME LEGISLATION ASKED

Multnomah Anglers' club would restore the governor's appointive power over state game and fish commission.

Discretionary regulation of closed and open seasons, in individual districts, requested for commission.

Complete re-enactment of state game code, as drafted by the commission, embracing these new provisions:

Establishment of closed and open seasons for migratory waterfowl to conform to federal law.

Protection of bear during months from March 1 to October 1.

Opening of trout season one month later, on May 1, with restriction of catch to 30 fish, or 20 pounds.

All-year open season for croppies and catfish, with closed season for bass from April 15 to June 15. Catch limited to 20 fish, or 20 pounds.

Increase of anglers' or hunters' licenses from \$1.50 to \$3. Feminine devotees of rod and gun to be required to take out licenses.

Licensing of guides, with \$3 annual fee required.

### FIVE MILLION POUNDS OF WOOL UNSOLD IN WASHINGTON STATE

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 8.—Sheep raisers of Washington have nearly 5,000,000 pounds of wool from the 1920 crop which cannot be disposed of at any price, declared Thomas J. Drumheller of Walla Walla, president of the Washington Wool Growers' association, in an address to the annual convention of that organization which opened here Thursday.

"There is absolutely no market for wool," said Mr. Drumheller. "Washington sheepmen raised at least 5,000,000 pounds during the last year and still have 90 per cent of it on their hands because there is no market."

Action by the wool growers to decrease the cost of railroad transportation of sheep from the winter grazing areas to the mountains was declared by Mr. Drumheller to be an absolute necessity. He predicted an early agreement with railway officials on the subject.

### CENSUS OF 1890 LOST IN FLAMES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Fire broke out tonight in the department of commerce building. The fire seemed to be confined to the basement, having originated in the office of the engineer, and as the building is fireproof, firemen expected soon to have the blaze under control.

Among the records lost were those for the 1890 census.

### OIL COMPANY FINED \$99,000 BY U. S. JUDGE

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Jan. 10.—The Gulf Refining company was fined \$99,000 by Judge Robert L. Williams in the United States district court here today.

It was alleged the company mislabeled 59 cars of casing head gas line shipped from cities in Oklahoma to Beaumont, Tex.

### HUBBY STILL REFUSES TO JOIN CHURCH

DANVILLE, Ill., Jan. 10.—While no nearer joining church than when his wife started her hunger strike 43 days ago to force him to her will, Ernest Harrington prayed for her by proxy Sunday and Monday at a dinner, the Rev. Henry Green, itinerant, a negro preacher, doing the oral work.

Rev. Mr. Green called at the Harrington home, invited Harrington into the yard, requested him to kneel and attend prayer and then made a touch, while members of the Pentecostal Church of God, of which Mrs. Harrington is a member, prayed outside and inside the house.

### SUES FOR MONEY DUE ON LAND

L. M. Lundgren has entered suit in the circuit court here against H. H. Warrington to secure against back payments on a tract of land consisting of 20 acres situated in Clackamas county. The plaintiff alleges that he sold the defendant the land on the installment plan, and that the regular payments have not been made. The tract is situated in Sec. 31, T. 3 S., R. 1 E.

### LOGGER NEAR BORING HAS ARM BROKEN

ESTACADA, Or., Jan. 7.—George Lubeck, hood tender at Dwyer's logging camp near Boring, was severely injured Tuesday afternoon, being struck with a cable. The shoulder of his right arm was broken and the upper part badly cut. Dr. Morse rendered first aid.

### SAWMILL TO BE ERECTED BY EVANSON

F. A. Evanson, whose home is in Portland, but engaged in the lumber business near Estacada, will rebuild his sawmill at that place, which was destroyed by fire on the night of November 30.

It is the intention of Mr. Evanson, who has a large contract for lumber, to build his mill at this time in a more convenient locality for shipping by way of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company. He will commence building within a few days.

Mr. Evanson believes that troubles never come single, for during the holidays he and his family left their Portland home Thursday evening for a visit with relatives out of the city, returning the following evening. Upon their arrival they found that one of the members of the family had allowed water to run in the bathroom on the second floor of their attractive home. The water had soaked through the carpets on the second floor, through the ceilings of the first floors, and was still pouring down in "buckets full" when they returned. Their home was a sorrowful sight to behold. Much of the furnishings were badly damaged as well as the walls and ceilings.

It is the intention to erect another sawmill by Portland parties in the Estacada district, the site of the new mill to be about nine miles from Estacada. The road leading to this section is but for summer travel, and the sawing of lumber will occupy the summer months, but to the Evanson mill site, a road that can be used either winter or summer time is one of the advantages of the location. Mr. Evanson contemplates erecting his sawmill to get out an order for four million feet of lumber, recently contracted for.

### Maple Lane Grange Installs New Officers

The officers of Maple Lane Grange, No. 296, were installed at the meeting held at the grange hall at Maple Lane Saturday, January 8, were as follows:

Carl Barney, master; Mrs. C. W. Swallow, overseer; Ray Barney, lecturer; Mrs. A. J. Lewis, Ceres; Mrs. Augusta Brown, Pomona; Mrs. E. T. Avison, steward; Chauncey Barney, assistant steward; Mrs. Edith Michels, secretary; Mrs. A. Splinter, lady assistant steward; A. J. Lewis, gate-keeper.

One of the features of the day was the hot dinner prepared and served by the women of the grange.

The afternoon was taken up with the lecturer's hour, when Mrs. George Brown gave an interesting reading "The John Brown Bell." Several vocal selections were given by grange members with Mrs. E. T. Avison at the piano.

Among the retiring officers is George Brown, one of the very active and oldest members of the grange in the county. He is 77 years of age and has taken an active interest in the meetings he has presided over during the past years. He is a resident of Oregon City and prominent contractor.

### INUAGURAL CEREMONIES TO BE BRILLIANT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—It having been practically settled that the Harding inauguration ceremonies are to be carried out on the large scale originally planned, but with small expense to the government, the inauguration committee is planning to make the event of more interest to all of the country than ever before.

### Gladstone I. O. O. F. Installs New Officers

District Deputy Grand Master Chambers, Howell, of Gladstone, installed the following officers of Chautauque Lodge, No. 220, I. O. O. F., of Gladstone, Friday evening, January 7: Fred Hayward, noble grand; J. C. Baxter, vice-grand; L. E. Sicker, secretary; A. D. Paddock, treasurer; C. A. Williams, chaplain; T. C. Howell, R. S. N. G.; Hugh Platt, I. G.; Guy Dwiggin, warden.

Guy Dwiggin acted as district deputy grand marshal.

Mrs. Arthur Paddock served refreshments after the installation.

### Legion in Row Over Non-Partisans

SALINA, Kan., Jan. 8.—The local post of the American Legion which has been actively opposing the non-partisan league movement being organized in this district, has been ordered by F. W. Galbrath, national commander, to cease its activities in that direction, according to announcement Thursday by Oscar A. Kitterman, commander of the post.

### MARKET INSPECTED

The Streibig Market was visited by one of the inspectors a few days ago and found to be in excellent condition and marked O. K. by the inspector it is said.

Mr. Streibig's market report is as follows: Equipment, clean; blocker, good; tools, fair shape; cooler, good; sausage room, clean.

His slaughter house was also found to be O. K. by the inspector.

### SOLOIST RETURNS

The Congregational church is rejoicing in the return of Miss Marie Holmes, who resumes her position

### LACEY TELLS HOW TO OPERATE A FORD IN COLD WEATHER

"Ford operators can save themselves considerable trouble during this cold weather if they give proper attention to the Ford clutch," said Mr. J. L. Lacey, Special Agent for the Standard Oil Company, in discussing cold weather lubrication yesterday.

"Many Ford operators complain that when the engine is cold it is hard to crank and the car has a tendency to creep forward while cranking.

"To eliminate as much as possible this cause for complaint they should first make sure the clutch throwout is adjusted so that, with the hand brake lever set, the clutch is fully disengaged. As this relieves the steel discs in the clutch of all pressure from the clutch spring it should permit sufficient separation of the driving from the driven discs to allow them to turn freely on each other. This is necessary because the driving discs are connected to the engine crankshaft and the driven discs cannot revolve without turning the rear wheels. But the lubricating oil used is too heavy body the discs still have a tendency to stick together and make cranking difficult.

"In the Ford power plant the clutch is combined with the engine and lubricated from the supply of oil in the crankcase. If the oil has a zero Cold Test it will not congeal or become too heavy at any temperature above zero, and the clutch discs will then separate freely when relieved of the pressure of the clutch spring. This will permit the engine to be cranked with minimum effort, and will check the tendency of the car to creep forward.

### SURVIVAL OF THE FITTEST IN AUTO INDUSTRY CLAIMED

The automobile manufacturers who saw far enough into the future to realize that a declining market was inevitable and that there were likely to be contractions in the values of inventories and built up strong financial reserves to meet possible contingencies are the ones who are going to weather the present slump in business and to be the leaders in their respective classes of cars when conditions get back to normal.

This is the belief of Fred W. Vogler, president of the Northwest Auto company, who has just returned after spending three weeks with factory connections in the east and discussing the future of the industry with the biggest men in it.

### Four Wheel Brakes Introduced at N. Y.

Some of the most interesting engineering features developed in racing cars are incorporated in a new American-built automobile which was recently displayed at the New York salon. This car, the Duesenberg straight eight, has a singleblock vertical eight-cylinder engine and hydraulically operated four-wheel brakes. The principal it embodies were worked out during the war by the well-known racing car designers, Duesenberg Brothers, of Elizabeth, N. J., and have been demonstrated in a practical way by the Duesenberg racing cars.

### LINN COUNTY TO SELL BLOCK ROAD BONDS

ALBANY, Or., Jan. 8.—The Linn county court is making plans to sell another block of the Linn county road bond issue in order to grade the Pacific highway, southward from Tangent to Harrisburg. These plans are being developed on the promise of the state highway commission recently obtained, that if the county would grade the remainder of the highway through this county this year that the commission would pave from Albany to Tangent during the coming summer.

### YOUNG MEN TURNED OVER TO OFFICIALS

The two youngsters arrested in Albany for the robbery of the Buckles store in this city a few nights ago, were turned over to the juvenile authorities in Portland. The older boys, who accompanied the pair to this city were not implicated in any way with the robbery, and came to this city as witnesses in the case. They overheard the young lads talking about the theft while on the streets of Albany.

### Moose Entertainment Attraction for Many

The home talent minstrels given at the Moose hall last Saturday evening under the direction of Chas. F. Lyon, was a decided success. The hall was filled with an appreciative audience and many taking part were forced to respond to hearty echoes.

The excellent music by the Moose band and the selections by the "Hungry Seven" were thoroughly appreciated. A similar entertainment is being planned for in the near future.

### MARRIED

Peter C. Rotter, 25 years of age, of Oregon City, and Miss Marguerite M. Reynolds, 17 years of age, secured

### Oh, Be "Constable" And Enjoy Beauties of Nature—and Mud

In spite of the fact that the genial Ed. Fortune, constable for this district has received a reward of \$7,000 for the capture of Doughty, "Ed." is still serving papers over the county as "constable." However, he came pretty near quitting yesterday when he was called upon to serve some papers out in the Estacada neighborhood. The fee in the case was about "six-bits," and Fortune, after hiking about three miles through mud up to his ankles, arrived back in Oregon City about 7:00 o'clock in the evening. He looked more like a mud turtle than a constable when he arrived here, and in passing an old friend who remarked "Good Evening, Edward," he replied "Aw, Shut Up."

### BUYER BETTER OFF THAN DEALER, SAYS HEAD OF M. P. CO.

"The new buyer is about the only one who is sure of present market conditions," says R. C. Parker of Miller-Parker Company.

"The man who owns a car knows that wherever the car may be, his investment does not depreciate as long as the car is giving him satisfactory service. He is not interested in any fluctuation in price.

"He knows that if he wants a new car, or a different car, the value of his car as a 'trade-in' is not in any degree affected by the price of the new car. So the season's automobile owner is happily indifferent to the matter of price which seems sometimes to the new buyer to be an item of solemn importance.

"I believe that an understanding of this is becoming more general among the army of prospects who are postponing from day to day the acquisition of the automobile which they have desired to own, and I am confident that as soon as a clear understanding of this principle of automobile merchandising reaches the public generally, no one will hesitate to buy an automobile.

"As a matter of fact, it seems impossible to conceive of any further reductions, but the outstanding idea so well known to those familiar with automobiles is that the price really doesn't make any difference, for the man who buys an automobile never expects to be without one. And his first investment, after a fashion, pays his dues in the big lodge and puts him in a position at any time thereafter to have any car that he may want under conditions that make him practically independent of the market.

### LEGAL MURDER IS RAMPANT THROUGH WHOLE OF RUSSIA

(From Edmonton, Alberta Journal)

Taken prisoner by the Bolsheviks during the reign of terror in Russia, thrown into verminous dungeons there to subsist on hot water and black bread manufactured out of straw and partly ground oats, was the fate of Lieut. O. Dempster, of Toronto, and Lieut. E. E. Eyford, of Prince Albert, Sask., who arrived back in Canada yesterday on the C. P. O. S. liner Empress of France.

Lieut. Dempster left Toronto as a private at the beginning of the great war and served in France for four and a half years. He won the M. C., M. S. M. 1915 Star, Victory Medal, Croix de Guerre, General Service Medal and the Belgian and French decorations.

In August, 1919, he joined the Royal hardships, including five conditions in imprisonment camps for four months Army Service Corps, and went to Siberia. He recounts suffering terrible in Moscow.

Speaking of conditions in Russia, Lieut. Dempster said they were terrible. Just before leaving they saw an official report stating that 4,000 men, women and children had been shot. While prisoners in Petrograd they saw 3000 ex-officers arrested and six hundred of them shot to death. In November 8000 women were mobilized, irrespective of age, and forced to chop wood.

Legal murder, said Lieut. Dempster, was rampant throughout the whole of Russia, and it was felt that conditions will never be bettered while the Red are in power.

### LaGRANDE MAN IS SUICIDE OVER INDEBTEDNESS

LA GRANDE, Or., Jan. 11.—Charles Cox, 26, killed himself today as the result of worry over a small debt. He returned to La Grande last night after spending a few days in Baker. He went immediately to the apartments of his sister, Mrs. Mary Collins, over the Putnam drug store. He expressed the fear that some one was after him, and refused to sleep alone, placing his bed in a corner of her room.

At 4 o'clock he went into another room and shot himself. Mrs. Collins arrived to see him fall to the floor. Although he was out of employment, he had money. For some time he had been worrying about \$200 he owed the Wallowa Milling & Grain company for a car he purchased last summer. The coroner this afternoon stated that no inquest would be held, as he believed Cox killed himself because of worry. He was an ex-serve ice man, having been in the draft from Grant county. His father, J. M. Cox, of Kamela, arrived in this city this noon.

### LEGISLATOR IN IDAHO WANTS NO JAPANESE

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 11.—Introduction by Representative Vande Steeg of Canyon county of a concurrent resolution against Japanese immigration was a sensation of today's session of the legislature. It purports to make a definite and clearcut declaration to the world, and particularly to congress of how Idaho stands on the Japanese question. Designated by title as a resolution "protesting against the extension of the rights of citizenship to subjects of Japan," the document calls upon congress to enact no laws and enter into no treaties that would grant further rights in America to the Japanese.

The estimated production for this year is based on the output capacity of 1,250,000 cars and trucks. The Ford plant closed for its annual inventory between December 24 and January 3.

### THOUGHT DEAD; REVIVES AFTER HARD BLOW

VALDOSTA, Ga., Jan. 8.—After being stricken with acute indigestion, Rev. R. P. Pain was given up for dead, while attending a ministers' meeting at Habira, Ga., yesterday and laid out in the church while his son went to inform the family.

Meantime, Rev. John Stanford arrived and, pouncing on the "body" with his knees, resuscitated the minister.

### Here It Is Watson Be Careful—Hist! I've Found A Clue

While many people think that the life of a county official is a bed of roses, and that all they have to do is to answer questions, here is a sample of a letter that comes quite often to County Clerk Miller, and the hungry sluth, thinking that he has discovered a clue, "by gosh" has made haste to so inform the genial clerk, and demands an answer. The letter follows:

DANVILLE, ILLINOIS, Jan. 2, 1921.—Dear Sir: Will you please let me know whether there has been a page in I understand the page No. 87 to be missing in the Book of Records and Wills if this is so I am on a clue as to whom the parties are that would be responsible for this damage. Please give me a report as soon as possible.

### MAN ARRESTED WITH LOOT FROM LOCAL FOUNDRY

Norington Reed, a machinist, was arrested in Portland yesterday afternoon by Officers Hadley and Long of this city, for the looting of the Oregon City Foundry late Saturday night, when over \$250 worth of tools and instruments were taken from the shop. When arrested, Reed had the case of tools in his possession and he is now in the county jail in default of \$500 bail to await action of the next grand jury.

Reed Roake, one of the proprietors of the foundry, discovered the theft Sunday, and suspecting a former employee, left Oregon City for Seattle, where he learned that Reed was living. Upon arriving there, he was told that Reed had left Seattle for Portland several days ago. Roake immediately telegraphed here and informed his brother, who in company with Officers Hadley and Long, went to Portland to discover Reed. They found that he had a sister living at St. Johns, and when the officers arrived near the sister's home, they spied Reed waiting for a street car for Portland with the case of tools in his hand.

Reed worked at the foundry about a month ago, and work becoming slack, he was laid off by the management. It is claimed that he went to Seattle, and after spending a couple of weeks in that city, started for Oregon City with the intention of looting the foundry here.

Reed is about 22 years of age and unmarried. When brought to Oregon City he waived preliminary trial in Judge Noble's court, and was placed in jail in default of \$500 bonds. He had nothing to say concerning the robbery when locked up. Entrance was gained to the foundry building by the sawing of a hole in the roof, large enough to accommodate a man's body.

### Year of 1920 Sets Record for Industry

With the year 1920, closed, a resume of the automobile industry for the past 12 months will disclose the fact that the past year has been a banner one for the industry, despite setbacks of the last several months. At the beginning of 1920, automobile manufacturers set goals of production which would have easily eclipsed all previous yearly records. The slowing down necessitated by the slump in the business world, which occurred in the fall, resulted in practically all the factories curtailing production over what had been intended. In spite of this fact, however, all previous yearly records were smashed, when the clock ticked in the year 1921.

### SUES FOR MONEY DUE ON LAND

L. M. Ludgren entered suit Saturday against H. A. Warrington to recover money due on 20 acres in the Charming Pendleton D. L. C. Ludgren alleges that he sold the defendant the property on payments, and that the payments have not been made to date, and that Warrington demolished buildings on the property valued at \$100. Ludgren asks the court to allow him the payments, \$100 attorney's fees and \$100 for the building destroyed.

### HUNDREDS OF MOTORISTS IN CITY SUNDAY

Hundreds of people motored from Portland to Oregon City to witness the high water of the Willamette Sunday. Camera fiends were here by the dozens and many good "snaps" of the scenic falls were secured.

All water from the roads leading from Parkplace to Oregon City disappeared Saturday night, making motoring enjoyable, for the roads had dried from the sun and wind by Sunday morning.

### HARDING WILL TAKE OATH IN PRIVATE

WASHINGTON, an. 11.—President-elect Harding will take the oath of office March 4 with ceremonies approximating in simplicity those which attended the inauguration of Jefferson and Jackson.

### WIRES CROSSED AND BURGLAR TELLS PLANS

OMAHA, Jan. 11.—A crossed telephone connection yesterday, by which detectives got a pool hall on the line instead of the number requested, supplied the police with information on a contemplated robbery yesterday.

The information led to the shooting to death by a detective last night of an intruder who entered the home of Mrs. William Crutchfield, police said today.

### OPENING DAY ATTRACTS MANY AT GRESHAM

GRESHAM, Jan. 11.—The opening day of Farmers' Week in Gresham was well attended Monday, and lectures in Grange hall on soils, rodents and fertilizers were well attended. More than 75 growers and farmers registered. The expectation is that the increase will be greater as the week progresses.

### TWENTY-TWO BILLION DOLLAR BUSINESS IS DONE BY FARMERS

The Secretary of Agriculture figures the crops of the year 1920 at \$13,300,000,000, and the animal products at \$8,757,000,000. This is a grand total of more than twenty-two billion dollars. He estimates that the price slump has caused a loss in value of about \$3,000,000,000 in the crops, and \$200,000,000 in the animal products as compared with last year—or a shrinkage of about fifteen per cent. It must seem to the man with live stock or grain to sell that the shrinkage is much greater than that, though it should be taken into consideration that the production of 1920 was much larger than that of 1919, in volume, and that, therefore the real shrinkage in value is greater than fifteen per cent. Taken at its worst, however, the twenty-two billion dollars worth of farm stuff for the year represents almost boundless wealth in the aggregate. No matter how much resentment we feel at falling prices and loss of profits, our business of farming still remains the country's main business. And how much better it is to have our national granaries full of cheap products than it would to have them nearly empty, no matter how high the price might be! —Farm Life.

### TOURIST ASSOCIATION SECURE CONVENTIONS FOR PACIFIC COAST

Co-operation of all commercial organizations of the Pacific Northwest in securing national conventions for cities of this section and an effort to stimulate tourist travel will be sought by the Pacific Northwest Tourist Association as one of its first activities for 1921. Many organizations of national scope hold annual conventions and the opportunity of securing them has been opened by the success of the National Editorial convention and other gatherings held here during recent years.

Plans for going after conventions and the tourist business generally will be formulated in conferences between representatives of the Pacific Northwest Tourist Association and publicity secretaries and other representatives of commercial organizations of Washington, Oregon and British Columbia with the aim of getting the combined influence of all the organizations back of the movement.

"The result of co-operative effort to secure conventions and tourist travel should be to direct an immense traffic to the Pacific Northwest during 1921, far surpassing in volume and the amount of money expended in this section by tourists the gratifying results of the 1920 season," says Herbert Cuthbert, executive secretary of the association.

"The work of the Pacific Northwest Tourist Association has attracted the attention of the principal newspapers of the United States, which have commended the association for its great work in bringing new money into the Pacific Northwest, in payment for the privilege of seeing our scenery and enjoying our climate."

### JUDGE BENNETT SUFFERS WITH SLIGHT STROKE

THE DALLES, Jan. 10.—Judge A. S. Bennett, who recently resigned from the state supreme bench, and who is prominent throughout the state in the ranks of the Democratic party, suffered a slight stroke of apoplexy at his ranch near Antelope, in southern Wasco county, last week. A small blood clot formed on his brain. He was brought to The Dalles and is under the care of physicians. His condition is not necessarily serious.

### LEBANEON MEETING

LEBANON, Or., Jan. 8.—A big mass meeting was held last night in the First Methodist church in this city of the employees of the Crown-Willamette Paper company, to which their families and a large number of citizens were invited guests, in what was called a "safety rally."

The principal speaker was B. T. McBain of Portland, general manager of all the plants of the company in the northwest, who is said to be the premier in safety-first appliances in industrial establishments in the northwest.

### Real Estate Man Has Successful Week

S. O. Dillman, a real estate dealer of this city, closed three important land deals during the past week. They were the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Beattie near Sixth and Washington streets sold to Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Myers; the Harrington place on Molalla Avenue sold to a family recently arriving from Canada; the home of Mr. and Mrs. James