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tween Portland and Salem; cir. • culates in every section of Clack. • amas County, with a population •

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SHIELDS TO SCORE **NEW YORK GANG** LEADER IS KILLED

"BIG JACK" ZELIG IS ASSASSINA- LEAGUE SECRETARY WILL MAKE TED ON OPEN TROLLEY CAR

SPEECH HERE TOMORROW EVENING

REVENGE IS SAID TO BE MOTIVE SCHEME MEANS LAND CONFISCATION

Against Lieutenant Becker. Accused in Gambler Tragedy

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.-"Big Jack" ive witness in the trial of Police Lieutenant Charles Becker for the mud-

ran away, but was caught, weapon in the Single Taxers, hand. He admitted the shooting and declared it was for revenge, the po-According to the prisoner Zelig had held him up at the point of there is for Single Tax is entirely

board and fired the fatal shot.

The police were at a loss whether to believe Davidson's story and at a forgetting that when the farmer late hour reports that Zelig had been lured to the scene of the shooting by a telephone message were being investigated.

taurant, some distance away, told that Zelig, who was in that neighborhood earlier in the taurant to the state. od earlier in the evening, had received a telephone call from some- favor Single Tax: If you want your one who made an appointment to land confiscated, your home and your meet him at Fourteenth street and lot, why vote for Single Tax and Grad Second avenue. Zelig jumped on a car, the story ran, and a few moments later word was flashed back to the restaurant that he had been shot.

CONVICTS APPEAL TO

Henry Hughes, of this city, a few days ago, received a handsomely made horse bridle from the state pen-is expected that the attendance will itentiary, which is the handiwork of be large. Mr. Brownell was asked by and who is anxious for Mr. Hughes to sell the bridle so as to obtain to deliver the address. It is believmoney to secure books on civil engineering. The young man is desirous of becoming a civil engineer when his term expires. Mr. Hughes, although a stranger to the convict, will endeavor to sell the bridle.

CATHOLICS TO HAVE **MILWAUKIE MISSION**

Rev. Father Barrett, of the Re demptorist Order, will open a mission in the St. John Baptist church in Milwaukee Sunday, with High mass at 10:30 a m. In the order of the exercises the first mass during the week, with instructions, will begin at 6 and the second at 8 a. m. At 4 p. m., instructions will be for the children of the parish. Evening services will consist of prayers, sermon, and benediction of the sacrament. A general invitation is extended to Catholics and non-Catholics alike to attend the services.

REAL ESTATE MAN ARRESTED AS 'FLIRT'

Portland was arrested here late Fri- dications are good for a fine season day on a charge of being intoxicated there. At the present time the Govand disorderly. Policemen Frost and ernment hatcheries at Little White Green, who took the man into cus- Salmon and Big White Salmon are tody declared that the prisoner had filled to their capacity, and the Burinsulted a woman. Justice of the eau of Hatcheries has been shipping Peace Samson released the broker on eggs as soon as spawned to the Ore-\$100 bail, his hearing to be next Fri- gon State Fish Commission hatchery of this city, Saturday, who he says 2,000,000 eggs have been shipped at was with Baker at the time the wom- one time during the past week. The an is reported to have been insulted, work of the Bureau of Fisheries In He also was released in bonds of this territory is under the direction of \$100 and his hearing was set for Fri- Superintendent Henry O'Malley.

3 Couples Get Licenses.

Licenses were issued Saturday to Pearl Edna Hampton and Carl Edward Luke; Elizabeth Doss and Charles I. Clement and Bertha May from Charles Gottberg the property Gibson and Milton Armstrong. Jus- on Washington between Ninth and tice of the Peace Sampson officiated Tenth streets. Mrs. Meissner inat the wedding of Elizabeth Doss and tends enlarging and improving the Charles I. Clement,

Greeted By Great

Crowds

Intensely interesting promises to Zelig was shot and killed tonight. The be the lecture of Charles H. Shields East Side gang leader and prospect. on "Single Tax Exposed" at Willamette Hall in Oregon City next Mon-

Mr. Shields has nw covered a der of Herman Rosenthal, the gam- large part of the State of Oregon in bler, which begins Monday, was seat- his speaking tour and has right eded in a Second avenue car when along the line been greeted with Philip Davidson, who says he is a his discussions of Single Tax have dealer, jumped on the running proved of invaluable assistance to Davidson leaped from the car and believers in the scheme offered by all taxpayers whether or not they are

"I have found but little Single Tax sentiment," remarked Mr. Shields the other day. "What sentiment a revolver late today in an East Side among a class of persons who see in Single Tax an opportunity to make the farmer pay all the taxes, quite ruined, the whole business of the merchant with whom the farmer deals disappears.

"Single Tax has one aim in view-

"So that is why I say to those who nated Single Tax.

BROWNELL SPEAKS

George C. Brownell will speak at the Methodist church at 7:30 o'clock this evening on "Should Women Participate in Politics." Mr. Brownell is Dr. Ford, pastor of the church and several members of the congregation ed that hundreds of the mill workers will be present for it is generally conceded that the workmen are more vitally interested in equal suffrage than any other class of society. It has been demonstrated that women in casting their votes always vote for equal opportunity for all.

RECORD ESTABLISHED

The Little White Salmon station of the United States Bureau of Fisheries on the upper Columbia River to date has taken more than 28,000,000 Royal Chinook salmon eggs, a record for that station, the largest having been made in 1904, when 19,000,000 eggs were obtained. The Big White Salmon station, also on the upper Columbia River, has taken 13,000,000 eggs to date. The eggs taken at Little White Salmon surpass that of any other season in the history of fish culture in the Columbia river basin. The eggs have been secured from fish which are of fine quality, many of them weighing more than 60 pounds after being spawned. Four years ago the Government fed a lare number of salmon fry at these two stations, and this excellent run of fish may possibly be due to that experimental work. The collection of eggs is also under C. A. Baker, a real estate broker of way on the Clackamas River and in-Frost arrested J. B. Hasbrook, located at Bonneville. As high as

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BARLOW VOTERS ARE FOR TICKET IN REPLY TO U'REN

REPUBLICAN NOMINEES MAKE SINGLE TAX ROLL IS NOT COR-FINE IMPRESSION AT MEETING

RECT. DECLARES MAYOR OF CITY

SLOGAN GLARING ERRORS ARE REVEALED

There was a large attendance and enthusiasm was at a high pitch at challenged to a joint debate on Single the meeting held at Barlow Saturday Tax by W. S. U'Ren Saturday wrote evening, at which the Republican the following letter to Mr. U'Ren: corder, promised the voters, if elected that he would serve with the least possible expense to the tax payers. C. Schuebel, nominee for representative was the first to speak ... E. C Hackett, candidate for sheriff, said the Democratic administrations were extravagant and that if elected he would conduct that office at a less expense than it had been conducted by Democratic incumbents.

J. F. Nelson, candidate for assessor also spoke on the same lines and promistd strict economy if elected. T. J. Gary, County Superintendent of schools, spoke for the High School Fund Law, telling the audience that this bill would be carried, as it was for the benefit of the rural districts. This law, he said, was not an experiment, as it had been tried successfully in other counties. His principle reason for advocating this bill, he said, was that he did not think it wise for the parents to send children during the most critical period in life to a city, where they only spent six hours in school, and the remainder of the time, the parents would not know where they spent their time.

CONGREGATIONALISTS TO MEET AT HOOD RIVER

The annual meeting of the general onference of the Congregational hurch will be held at Hood River October 8 to 10 inclusive, this being a conference of the Congregational churches of the state. Among those of this city who are contemplating to this year are C. H. Dye, L. Adams, Joseph Cook, Rev. and Mrs. G. N. Edwards, Mrs. H. C. Stevens, Miss Muriel Stevens, Mrs. C. H. Caufield and Miss Agnes Harris.

Chief Executive of Municipality Announces That Alleged Comparisons In Booklet are

False

Grant B. Dimick, who has been

Candidates for office spoke. E. P. I have received two letters from Dedman, Republican nominee for re- you within the last few days requesting me to meet you in joint discussion of the Single Tax Bill, which will appear on the ballot at the general election to be held on second of November, next, and I wish to inform you that if you had printed a true copy of the assessment roll of Clackamas County for the year 1910. as you agreed to do, I would gladly discuss the Single Tax question with you, using the copy of the roll as the basis for an argument, and in fact a true copy of the assessment roll for 1910 and a comparison of the assessments therein with the proposed Single Tax assessments, would be a sufficient argument to convince the average tax payer whether he was for or against your Single Tax system.

I have just received what purports to be your copy of the tax roll above mentioned and find therefrom that more than three million assessed property on the tax roll for said year has been left out of your purported copy of the roll, and whether that has been done intentionally by you and your employes, I am unable to state, but I am informed by the County Assessor of Clackamas County that he called your attention to the gross errors in your purported roll before you circulated the same, and you promised him to make the corrections which you failed to do, but sent out those purported copies tax rolls knowing they were full of

errors. You were informed by the Assessor that the Willamette Pulp & Paper Company had paid \$7,556.32 taxes more thn you had given it credit for, The Crown-Columbia Pulp & Paper Company had paid \$902.50 more tax than you had given it credit for.

City had paid \$406.24 tax more than

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Single Tax

Lxposed

Chas. H. Shields

WILL SPEAK IN

Willamette Hall

At 8 P. M. in Oregon City

Monday, October 7th Chairman: Hon. G. B. Dimick

LADIES INVITED

Mr. Shields is Secretary of the Oregon Equal Taxation League and a well known author. Admission free. Hear him! 8 P. M.

Monday, October 7