

BOARD CANVASSES CANAL SITUATION

Members Open Regarding Exact Location of Proposed Government Locks.

CITY'S RECEPTION CORDIAL

West Believes Price of \$600,000 Asked by Streetcar Company Excessive—Tolls to Be Barred Is Governor's Suggestion.

OREGON CITY, Oct. 28.—(Special.)—That the members of the State Canal Board are of an open mind regarding the actual location of the free locks at Willamette Falls...

Breakwater Inspected Thoroughly. The inspection proceeded around the breakwater and in the lower river, where the members of the party had an excellent opportunity to view the proposed location of the locks...

"I believe the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company's price of \$600,000 for the present locks is a little excessive," said the Governor...

Governor Wants Free Locks. Governor West said that the reports of the company operating the locks showed that in recent years the annual gross receipts have been about \$9000...

APPLE SHOW IS ON TAPIS Fifth Annual Fair Will Be Held at Albany, November 8.

ALBANY, Oct. 28.—Active preparations are being made for the Fifth Annual Apple Fair, which will be held in this city November 8 to 10.

FALL TO CURB KILLS MAN Skull of Cement Worker at Roseburg Fractured by Stone.

ROSEBURG, Oct. 28.—(Special.)—Frank Edwards, a cement worker, died here late today of injuries sustained by a fall from a wall.

SETTLEMENT MEN MEET

Southwest Washington Products Are Exhibited at Chehalis.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—The first regular meeting of the directors of the Southwest Washington Settlers' Agency was held in Chehalis yesterday afternoon.

FIRST WOMAN SECRETARY OF STATE BOARD OF CONTROL IS POPULAR

SALEM, Oct. 28.—(Special.)—Miss Mary Wain, the first woman secretary of the State Board of Control, is exceedingly popular at the State Capitol.

where most of the furnishings have been installed and where a comprehensive exhibit of the products of Southwest Washington is being installed by F. A. Degeiler.

JILTED HUSBAND REVENGED

Runaway Wife and Affinity Sentenced to Prison for Perjury. SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 28.—Olaf Dahlquist, of Davenport, Iowa, was re-arrested upon his wife, Gladys, who deceived upon his wife, Gladys, who deceived upon his wife, Gladys...

ROAD WORK PLEASERS WEST

Governor Willing to Send Convicts to Clackamas County.

OREGON CITY, Oct. 28.—(Special.)—Governor West, who was here today inspecting the canal and locks on the west side and the routes suggested for the canal and locks on the east side...

COMMISSION PLAN SOUGHT

Astoria Voters File Petition for Holding Special Election.

ASTORIA, Oct. 28.—(Special.)—Petitions signed by 214 registered voters asking that the new charter providing for the establishment of a commission form of government be submitted to a vote of the people at a special election on Wednesday, December 13, were filed in the Auditor's office today.

Census Tagger Fined \$500. John H. James, under indictment for false census enumeration, appeared before Judge Bean in the United States District Court yesterday and entered a plea of guilty on one of the four counts against him.

SPOKANE ARRESTS TO BE WHOLESALE

Prosecuting Attorney Says He Will Proceed Where Illegal Restraint Is Shown.

FIXED PRICE LISTS CHARGE

Commission Men Against Whom Warrants Were Issued Put Up Bail—Grocers and Hardware Dealers May Be Probed.

SPOKANE, Wash., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—From statements at the Prosecuting Attorney's office today, it appears that prominent commission men of Spokane on the charge of conspiring to restrain competition may be but a preliminary move against nearly every wholesale and retail combination in the city.

The Retail Grocers' Association, the Inland Empire Hardware Dealers and other organizations which are alleged to have fixed and enforced an official price list will be investigated next. It is now probable that one more indictment will be brought before the Superior Court covering other members of the Spokane Jobbers' Exchange, alleged to be the trust existing.

ABERDEEN RAPS LEAGUE WITHDRAWAL FROM ASSOCIATION HINTED IN LETTER.

Benefits of Development Body Not in Accordance With Outlay, Says Commerce Board.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—There is a radical official in the system now in vogue as to the levying of taxes, Aberdeen will withdraw from the Southwestern Washington Development Association, an announcement to that effect was today forwarded to headquarters in a communication written by the officers of the Aberdeen Chamber of Commerce.

MINE FACES EVIL TIMES Sylvanite Mine Goes Down Before Sheaf of Attachments. GOLD HILL, Oct. 28.—(Special.)—With the Gold Hill bank holding an attaché case of its equipment worth the sum of \$2500 for an overdraft, former employees holding an attachment against the mine itself for delinquent wages, with its office padlocked, the furniture therein being attached by Attorney Beaman for unpaid fees, the Sylvanite Mining Company, operating the mine of the same name, three miles east of here, may literally be said to have encountered evil days.

FIRE RUINS FOOD SHOPS

Pilot Rock Without Eating Places Following Big Blaze.

PENDLETON, Oct. 28.—(Special.)—Pilot Rock is left without hotel or eating-house accommodations as the result of a fire which broke out in the town, which occurred Friday morning. The hotel, livery stable and restaurant were reduced to ashes, while the postoffice, two churches and the entire business section threatened. The cause of the fire is unknown, but is believed to have been the work of the same incendiary who recently burned the Oregon feed yard and Ireland skating rink in this city.

PROBLEMS ARE PONDERED

Medford Meeting Place of Jackson and Josephine Counties.

MEDFORD, Oct. 28.—(Special.)—Three hundred delegates from Jackson and Josephine counties have gathered in Medford for the Teachers' Annual Institute and daily meetings are being held at the High School.

MILITIAMEN GET PASSES

Old Federal Law Exempts Soldiers From Paying Bridge Tolls.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—The discovery of a statute enacted years ago and now existing in the state constitution, and a similar section in the Federal statute providing for free passage of all military men or members of the state militia, over toll bridges, has caused much comment in the officers' quarters of Company F.

APPEAL IS DISMISSED

Mrs. Ivy May Henry Loses in Sensational Divorce Case.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Oct. 28.—On motion of the husband, the Supreme Court yesterday dismissed the appeal of Ivy May Henry in the divorce obtained by Albert J. Henry, a Seattle bank clerk, last winter. Mrs. Henry appealed from the decree giving Henry the custody of their two children when he was granted the divorce by the Seattle court.

TOWN WILL BUILD AGAIN

Fire at New Pine Creek Does Not Daunt Inhabitants.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—The recent fire at New Pine Creek has not daunted the spirit of the people and there is a sentiment in favor of rebuilding as early as possible. The town is on the Oregon-California line and is one of the prettiest towns on Goose Lake. It is the center of a large grain and fruit belt as well as being the supply point for the Hoag mining district east of town.

POOR FARM CHANGE MADE

Supervisor of Washington County Home Is Put on Salary.

HILLSBORO, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—The Washington County Poor Farm is to be under a superintendent at a salary rate of \$2000 a year, a new system, which has prevailed here for many years. Under the old system, which ceased Monday, the county paid \$10 a month for the care of the inmate, the keeper clothing and providing food for the occupants. As prices of foodstuffs have advanced, it was found that the system was no longer feasible, and the county yesterday installed a new superintendent and wife, of Gales Creek, on the farm at a salary of \$75 a month, the county to purchase all supplies for food, clothing, heating and medicine.

KERR VERY BUSY MAN

OREGON AGRICULTURAL PRESIDENT SPEAKS OFTEN. Engagement Book Shows Long Series of Appointments in Various Parts of the Country.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Oct. 28.—(Special.)—President Kerr, of the Oregon Agricultural College, is of necessity a busy man. Not alone must he direct the policy of the institution, approve appointments to the faculty, oversee the financial arrangements, meet with faculty and energy the undergraduate variegated, but he must also give his time to all and every sort of activity in educational lines and must be in readiness to render his service in the various movements for uplift.

STUDENTS ORGANIZE CLUB

Eastern Oregon Pupils at O. A. C. Band for Good Fellowship.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Oct. 28.—(Special.)—Students attending the Oregon Agricultural College from counties east of the Cascade Mountains formed the Eastern Oregon Club last evening. Members have been enrolled from almost every county in Eastern Oregon. The object of the club is to promote the interests of Oregon Agricultural College in Eastern Oregon, to bring about good fellowship between students from Eastern Oregon at the college and to help new students from the Eastern counties to get on to the ropes at college.

MAMMOTH TROUT CAUGHT

HUSUM, Wash., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—The largest rainbow trout caught in the White Salmon River near here this season was exhibited yesterday by H. Mathews. The fish measured 36 inches and weighed 11 pounds.

You Have Not Merely One, but Six Famous Makes to Choose From Best \$425 Brand New Pianos Reduced \$107 and on Terms of \$6 Now and \$6 Each Month

Advertisement for Eilers Music House featuring a large illustration of a piano and a woman. Text includes: 'A New Little Payment Plan of Eilers Music House', 'Now at 7th and Alder', 'THAT HAS BROUGHT DOZENS OF PIANOS ALMOST DAILY TO THAT MANY HOMES. ORDER ONE FOR YOUSELF TODAY!', 'Six dollars gives you the privilege of securing your piano from six of the very best makes. Do not let \$8 stand between you and a piano now. Every reader of this paper who has no piano ought to take advantage of this opportunity.', 'Bring in \$6 first thing Monday morning, and we will send the piano to your home at once. After that it is simply a matter of paying \$6 a month. Think of it—a fine new, splendid-toned piano for 20 cents a day, and remember you are dealing with the Nation's Largest Defers in Pianos. This is worth a whole lot, too. We say "money back" if purchase, after delivery, is not in every way satisfactory, or as represented.', 'Five carloads of pianos are offered upon this new basis. No more. Select your piano first thing Monday, before they have all been taken.', 'What Eilers Music House says they'll do, they do!'

MASTODON'S TUSK FOUND

Tooth Discovered Near Dayton Falls to Dust When Unearthed.

SHERIDAN, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—A mastodon's tusk was dug up a week on the bank of the Yamhill River near Dayton. The discovery was made by W. H. Hembree, owner of the river boat running between Portland and McMinnville. Those who saw the tusk are confident that the skeleton of the extinct animal is imbedded in the mud where the large tusk was unearthed. The tusk, which was of ivory, crumbled upon coming into contact with the air, not a particle remaining to be preserved as a relic. It is quite probable that Mr. Hembree will excavate for the remains of the mastodon's skeleton.

RANCH HAND KILLS SELF

ROSEBURG, Or., Oct. 28.—Cae Martini, aged 35, a ranch hand at 25 miles east of here, while on a hunting trip yesterday, pulled the trigger of the buggy muzzle foreword with the usual result. The soft-nosed 32-caliber bullet tore through his breast, and he died in a few minutes. He intended leaving after the hunt in Switzerland, where his father died 25 weeks ago. He was a member of Oddfellows at Crescent City.

Advertisement for Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Large illustration of the bottle. Text includes: 'WELL, WELL!', 'DO YOU WANT TO FEEL WELL?', 'Hostetter's Stomach Bitters makes you feel well and adds to the joy of living. Get a bottle today and sidestep stomach troubles. You will look forward to mealtime with pleasant anticipation and have a better digestion than ever before.', 'KEEP THIS BOTTLE IN MIND AND DON'T ACCEPT A SUBSTITUTE YOUR DRUGGISTS HAS IT'