

SINNOTT HAS REVIVED AGITATION FOR WATER ROUTE TO HOOD RIVER

Congressman Seeks Federal
Aid in Making River Navigable Up to That City.

WOULD AID ALL SHIPPERS

Report Asked on Feasibility of Making
Survey Preliminary to Action
by Army Board.

Washington, Jan. 19.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL).—Congressman Sinnott has revived the project of securing government aid for a channel from the mouth of Hood river, where it empties into the Columbia, to a point in the city of Hood River.

If Hood river could thus be made navigable at all seasons of the year, fruit and vegetable shippers of the Hood River district would be saved much expense and inconvenience, caused by the necessity of driving for a long distance through heavy snow to reach the landing places of steamers on the Columbia.

Once there is a movement on this line was made, but the government refused to proceed with a project. This time the proposition is only in the preliminary stages, but a report concerning the question of a survey has been asked from the district officer in charge. If this report is favorable, the matter will go to the army board to pass on the matter of a complete survey, to determine such questions as depth of channel, cost, volume of commerce and the necessity or advisability of construction.

Local Brick May Be Used.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Assistant Secretary Newton of the treasury department has written J. W. Perkins of Roseburg, Or., assuring him that specification for the postoffice building will be drawn to permit use of Williams brick in accordance with a sample submitted to the department by Senator Chamberlain.

Proposed Automobile Tax.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Automobile owners who have shivered at the proposed tax on engine horsepower have done so without reason. So says Secretary McAdoo of the treasury department, who was first of prominent men to advocate the tax.

The tax, says the secretary, is to be levied at the source. That is, it will fall on new machines as they are turned out at the factory, but will not touch cars in the hands of private owners.

Would Abolish Astoria Stops.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Foreign cargo vessels bound to or from Portland, Or., with exclusive cargoes for that port or away from it, will not be required to stop at Astoria to file manifests or perform other formalities, if a bill introduced by Representative McArthur becomes law.

Indian Office to Stay.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Abolition of the Indian office at Roseburg, Or., is not being considered. Representative Hawley has been informed by the Indian bureau. The Roseburg Commercial club telegraphed a protest, having received a report that such action was contemplated by the department.

New Rates Deferred.

Washington, Jan. 19.—The interstate commerce commission has extended until February 15 the time in which the O-W, R. & N. company and other western roads are ordered to establish new rates placing eastern Oregon lumber mills on a parity with Spokane territory on shipments to Burlington system points. This is an extension of 15 days, granted on request of the carriers.

Start Tomorrow and Keep It Up Every Morning

Get in the habit of drinking a
glass of hot water before
breakfast.

We're not here long, so let's make
our stay agreeable. Let us live well,
eat well, digest well, and sleep well,
and look well. What a glorious
condition to attain, and yet, how very
easy it is if one will only adopt the
morning inside bath.

Folks who are accustomed to feel
dull and heavy when they arise, splitting
headache, stuffy from a cold, foul
tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach,
can, instead, feel as fresh as a daisy
by opening the sluices of the system
each morning and flushing out the
whole of the internal poisonous stagnation matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or
well, should, each morning, before
breakfast, drink a glass of real hot
water with a teaspoonful of Limestone
Phosphate in it, to wash from the
stomach, liver and bowels the previous
day's indigestible waste, sour bile and
poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening
and purifying the entire alimentary
canal before putting more food into
the stomach. The action of hot
water and limestone phosphate on an
empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour
fermentations, gases, waste and acidity
and gives one a splendid appetite for
breakfast. While you are enjoying
your breakfast the water and phosphate
is quietly extracting a large volume
of water from the blood and getting
ready for a thorough flushing of
all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are
bothered with constipation, bilious
spells, stomach trouble, other who
have sallow skins, blood disorders and
sickly complexions are urged to get a
quarter pound of Limestone Phosphate
from the drug store. This will cost
very little, but is sufficient to make
anyone a pronounced crank on the subject
of inside bathing before breakfast.
(Adv.)

Accused of Trading With the Germans

English Glove Firm Is Charged With
Importing Tendon Goods Into New
York When War Was Young.

London, Jan. 19.—(U. N. S.)—In Bow
street police court today the English
glove firm of Fowles & Co., which
has branches in New York and Germany,
was charged with unlawful trading
with the enemy.

The offense consisted in importing
into New York from Germany between
September and December, 1914, goods
valued at \$30,000. Bail was fixed at
\$10,000.

EUGENE SCHOOL BOARD PURCHASES PROPERTY FOR NEW STRUCTURES

Buildings Will Be Erected to
House Grade Classes and
Replace Central School.

Eugene, Or., Jan. 19.—Two grade
school buildings, both of brick will be
erected in Eugene in time for the beginning
of the fall term of 1916.

The school board has completed a
deal for the purchase of a tract of
land in the northwestern part of the
city 250 by 238 feet in dimensions,
from H. R. Kincaid and W. L. Kincaid
for \$12,500, upon which a six room
building will be erected at once and
will be so built that at least six more
rooms may be added without marring
it architecturally.

The board has also announced its
intention of erecting a four-room structure
on a quarter block bought a year
ago on the corner of Seventh avenue,
East, and High street. This will also
be built on the unit plan and as the
city grows can be added to easily.

These buildings will take the place
of the old central school that has stood
on Eleventh avenue, between Williams
and Olive streets, over 30 years.

The structure will be abandoned after
this year and the lot sold for business
purposes.

Roomer Is Arrested For Stealing Rings

Man Giving Name of Joe Dennis and
Who States His Home Is at Baker in
Custody at Eugene.

Eugene, Or., Jan. 19.—A man giving
the name of Joe Dennis and his home
as Baker, 14 in jail here charged with
the theft of two diamond rings from
the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman
Heller in Eugene.

Dennis went to the Heller residence
about noon today and rented a room.
He sat in the room, which was cold,
for half an hour. Mrs. Heller invited
him down stairs to sit by the fire.

As she was about her work, Dennis
walked out.

Later a ring belonging to her husband,
valued at \$150 and one of her
rings valued at about \$75 were missed.

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MAYOR OF HOOD RIVER RECOMMENDS SAVING BY CUTTING SALARIES

Would Affect Offices of City
Attorney, Treasurer, Night
Police and the Recorder.

PLAN SAVES \$1000 YEAR

Councilmen James Carnes and James
Stranahan Take Oath of Office at
Regular Session.

Hood River, Or., Jan. 19.—Councilmen
James Carnes and James Stranahan
took the oath of office Monday
at the regular council meeting and will
occupy the seats vacated by J. M. Culbertson
and C. A. Bell. Mayor H. L.
Lumble read his annual message and
urged the council to follow methods
of economy during the past year and
in his recommendation the city attorney's
salary was reduced from \$75 to
\$60 per month; city treasurer from \$40
to \$30; night police from \$35 to \$15.
The office of assistant recorder at a
salary of \$6 per month was abolished.
The cuts made will save the city over
\$1000 per year in salaries. The mayor
recommended that the city expend no
more for library purposes than the
amount appropriated by the county.
The following city officers were appointed:
City attorney, George R. Wilbur;
chief of police, J. K. Carson;
street commissioner, A. Fannous;
city health officer, Jesse Edgington;
engineer, P. M. Morse; chief of night police,
Harry Bailey. J. A. Franz was
elected president of the council.

Ski Party at Mount Hood.
Hood River, Or., Jan. 19.—Thirteen
members of the Portland Ski club arrived
in Hood River Tuesday noon
bound for the snow fields of Mount
Hood where they will spend the week,
returning Sunday. The party left Hood
River by special train over the Mount
Hood railroad to Parkdale where they
were met by Homer Rogers and several
sleights and were photoed to the
Mount Hood lodge where they remained
over night. The party left the
lodge Wednesday morning for Cloud
Cap Inn where they will make headquarters.
Members of the party are:
J. Wesley Ladd, R. P. Ertmer, Horace
Meekland, J. A. Dougherty, John
Zan, A. L. Gilson, Walter B. Honeyman,
D. H. Stephenson, W. P. Nichol,
C. E. Gill, Guy W. Tabor, H. F.
Lewis, D. T. Honeyman.

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Labor Opposed to All Preparedness

United Mine Workers President
Reports to Organization That All
Preparedness Plans Strongly Opposed.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 19.—(U. P.)
Organized labor is opposed to President
Wilson's military preparedness
plans, and likewise to preparedness
schemes as a whole, President White
reported to the biennial gathering of
the United Mine Workers of America
Tuesday. At the same time he said
that too much praise cannot be given
to the president's efforts to keep this
nation at peace.

WOMAN IS BELIEVED CAUSE OF STABBING FRAY AT PENDLETON

Ray Hicks, Express Messenger,
Is Victim of Knife in
the Hands of Bert Johnson.

Pendleton, Or., Jan. 19.—Ray Hicks,
Northern Express messenger between
Pendleton and Pasco, Tuesday afternoon
was stabbed twice by Bert Johnson,
a local farm hand, who made his
escape and who is still at large.

The cause of the stabbing can
only be surmised as Hicks refuses
to talk. However, it is believed a
woman is behind it as Hicks had
been keeping company with a relative
of Johnson's. The stabbing occurred
at the Oregon Feed Yard and was
not witnessed. One thrust penetrated
the left lung and the other over
the heart, but was turned aside by a
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are. The young man was taken to
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