strict Attorney Is Invited to Come Out Into Open and Fight It Out.

FFICIAL IS QUESTIONED

penses in Office, Poor Farm Poreclosure and Other Matters.

John C. McCue has challenged Walt-H. Evans, district attorney to vercombat, leaving Mr. Evans to se the time and the place, proded the time is before May 19. ssible that Mr. Evans will take the gauge, in which event the two al candidates for the district atmeyship will each attempt to shoot other full of verbal holes.

Mr. McCue issued a written chalone to Mr. Evans yesterday afterthe district attorney by messenger. Evans was not in the office when "defy" arrived, and has not yet.

h his answer. In his letter Mr.

"Mr. Walter H. Evans, "District Attorney Multnomah Co., ear Mr. Evans:-Why are you studi- nalist, Mrs. Lapham is survived by sly evading the issues in this cam-Why do you not explain to great-grandchildren, a taxpayers the real reasons for the emendous increase in the expendi-res of your office? Why do you not I the taxpayers why you sought continuance of the special services Attorney A. E. Clark in the county farm foreclosure suit, thereby ligating the county for \$4500 atley's fees to Mr. Clark. Why is that, if you and your deputies have our deputies find plenty of time to neage in private practice?

"I have been trying to meet you face face before the public and discuss ese questions with you, scard the subterfuge you have been sing against me and come out openly od frankly on the issues of this camign? "In view of the premises, I hereby

mallenge you to participate in a pubc debate on the conduct of your of-ce, you to designate the time and lace, the only condition being that the the only condition being that the ate of the debate be before May 19.

"Very truly yours,
"J. C. McCUE."

PCUE REVIEWS EVANS' TERM ays District Attorney and Deputies Had Private Practice.

John C. McCue, candidate for disict attorney, reviewed the adminisation of Walter Evans, incumbent, an address before the Lincoln Reican club, presenting statistics to iow that there has been a large inse in expenditures over the adinstration of George Cameron, Mr.

ans' predecessor. ied that the Oregonian had singled im as one of the candidates it was wans and some of his deputies have completed. ppeared as attorneys in the follow-, Oregon until the evening of May 18, private litigation;

L. Morgan vs. Emily Thayer, eral addresses in the interest of his 4469, foreclosure suit filed June 5. 15. District Attorney Evans and be completed during the early part of ote.

W. L. Morgan vs. Emily Thayer,

E 3944, filed April 13, 1915, Murphy for Thayer. Action collect \$977.91 rent money "Davis vs. Mitchell, Deputy District ttorney Arthur Murphy appeared in idge Belt's court at McMinnville two days in February, 1915.

"Newton Roundtree vs. L. F. Weavtried in Judge Gatens' court about ovember, 1915. orney for defendant.

"J. L. McElroy vs. L. . Fields Jr., led April 28, 1915. One of the eputies appeared as attorney for the lefendant. John A. Collier, at-

"Herndobler vs. Rippen et al. Peronal injury case. Jo torney for defendant. John A. Collier 12:15 p. m. The speakers will be E.

"Elizabeth Maguire vs. Benjamin F. toneyman, filed January 5, 1915, E Robert Duncan and others. It is ex-Deputy Arthur A. Murphy ap- friends. This will be the biggest meet- are going to stack the cards on them great reluctance and under duress and "E. L. Howard vs. S 930. Filed December

E. L. Howard vs. Sarah S. Ball. E. O. Filed December 7, 1914, Depu-Samuel Pearce for defendant. Suit



Her Engagement Ring

Select it from my stock and it will be sure to please.

I offer Solitaire and Cluster Diamond Engagement Rings of exceptiona! brilliancy and color All the Diamonds are perfectly

cut, and settings of the latest style - gems of all sizes to select from.

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TRACED RELATIONSHIP TO FAMOUS PERSONS

Mrs. Fanny D. Lapham.

Wash., when the house of her son, Al-

Harriman, the great railroad magnate, and of Horace Greeley, the great jour-

four children, 17 grandchildren and 11

IN OREGON A WEEK;

land on the Evening of

candidate for president on the Repub-

during which time he will deliver sev-

"Estate of Wong Ching, deceased,

WILL MEED THE DRUGGISTS

Candidates to Attend Luncheon of

the Association.

luncheon of the Portland Retail Drug-

gist's association, at the Chamber of

Commerce, Wednesday, May 10, at

Needy Man Is Given

lished in Journal.

again.

Ready Help Following Story Pub-

Alex J. Jones, his wife and three lit-

in the kindliness and generosity of

new hope. Their story was told Fri-

day evening in The Journal, how the

a father out of work and two other lit-

tle children were being evicted by a

landlord for failure to pay their rent.

Responses were prompt. A young

business man voluntarily took charge

and added to his efforts a fund of \$14. From another source came \$1.

free until he should be able to pay \$3

P.-T. at Woodburn.

Woodburn, Or., May 6 .- A perma-

Elmer E. Settlemier was elected pres-

appointed a delegate to the parent-

short program by the grade pupils,

Professor A. L. Peck of the extension

department of the Oregon Agricultural

college gave a 20-minute talk on

cenic improvement of Woodburn's

A motorcycle side car has been spe-

having many conveniences to facilitate

Candidates for office will meet the

filed March 14, 1916."

May 16.

sion

M'ARTHUR LOBBIED FOR CORPORATIONS' MONEY, SAYS HUTTON

Congressman Used Official Power to Influence Legislation, Alleges Answer.

LAND FRAUD JURY PICKED

President Taft Condemned Action as Worst Misuse Legal Machinery in His Judicial Experience.

R. P. Hutton, secretary of the Anti Saloon league, who was recently made Mrs. Fanny D. Lapham, who was answer vesterday, making startling

recently burned to death at Toledo, charges against McArthur. Hutton admits that the circular follows: which McArthur contends was false mas Lapham, was destroyed, was born and defamatory was prepared and cirin Portland, Maine, July 12, 1830. She cullited by the Anti-Saloon league, but cepted by Detective W. J. Burns; that burg Wednesday night. was united in marriage to N. P. Lap- he denies that it was false or defama- thereafter a number, if not all of the and dispatched it to the office ham in 1856 and moved to Kansas, tory. He says that he honestly bewhere the young couple were in the lleves that McArthur "was and is an nessed the sacking and burning of Oregon in the United States Congress Her family connections and that by reason of his reputation show that she was a relative of E. H. throughout the length and breadth of the Third congressional district could not, in any eyent, be damaged in ersham, then attorney general of the terday from a three weeks' trip through any amount as prayed for in the com-

Helped Select Picked Jury.

Hutton charges in his answer that McArthur was hired in 1905 by W. J. Burns to help Burns "fix" the land fraud jury that was to try W. N. Williamson and others, and that McArthur accepted the employment and performed the work.

the legislature of 1915 was an active fendants in said land fraud trials: lobbyist at Salem throughout the session, and that he used the influence of his position and office as congressman to further his lobbying, and received remuneration therefor.

He charges that McArthur, while Big Rally to Be Held in Portspeaker of the house in 1913 wielded great influence over the members of the legislature and fostered and enouraged lobbying; that he showed particular and especial favor to Jay Bowerman, who was engaged in lobbying for various persons and corpora-\$15,000 as compensation for his services as a lobbyist.

Reed Promised Marshalship.

He charges that McArthur is under gon, arriving in the state at Medford the power and control of a number of Thursday, May 11. He will be met at very prominent politicians who seek to control political favors to be bestowed by McArthur on account of his official position; that Ferdinand E. Reed, "who ing will be held at Ashland at 11 o'clock is a man of notoriously bad political Thursday, and an evening meeting has character," is McArthur's chief henchbeen arranged for Medford. Senator man in Portland; that Reed, Jay Bow-Cummins will also speak at Eugene erman and McArthur control the "In-Friday evening, and at Salem Saturday visible Government," and attempt to evening. Special daytime meetings control the politics of the state; that will also be held between Ashland and Reed claims and asserts that if Mc-Salem, but these have not yet been Arthur is re-elected he is to be apcointed United States marshal for A Cummins rally will be held in Port- Oregon

Hutton alleges that when McArthur land on the evening of Tuesday, May 16, under the auspices of the Oregon announced his candidacy, it became Republican club. In addition to this, a Hutton's duty as secretary of the name goes into the box unless we know the that he will convict, for by God we to defeat. He second meeting will be held, arrange- Anti-Saloon league to investigate his are going to get Williamson this time ments for which have not yet been position regarding national prohibi- you can bet your sweet life, and we The senator will remain in tion; that he did so and made report

to the league. Why Document Was Circulated.

Subsequent to that time, Hutton al leges, Littlefield announced his cancandidacy, arrangements for which will didacy for congress and Hutton investigated his position in reference to submitting the Hobson amendment to were altogether impossible and that the vote of the states of the union, no self-respecting man could be a to recover \$450 real estate commisand made his report. Based on this party to them, and Burns replied: report the league by unanimous vote decided to oppose McArthur and sup- dealing with those s- of b-Probate No. 13376. Deputy Thomas port Littlefield, and in accordance with this decision Hutton prepared about September 1st, 1905, he met G. Ryan attorney for estate. Petition and circulated the document which Burns and the latter said to him. is the basis of the suit.

In alleging McArthur's employment by W. J. Burns to assist in fixing the and we will get Williamson this time, jury list for the Williamson trial, and by God we will get the whole Hutton charges that Burns gave Md-Arthur, in 1905, a typewritten list of hell prospective jurors from several coun- lists over before they went to the ties of the state and said to him.

Portland druggists at the monthly Going to Jail "Whole D- Outfit." "We are going to make up a new jury box and we want to be sure that no man's name gets into the box un-J. Jaeger, E. V. Littlefield, Walter less we know that he will convict, for, Evans, S. A. Matth eu, W. H. Chatten, by God, we are going to get Williamson this time, you can bet your sweet Suit to recover \$1800 damages, pected to have over 100 druggists in life, and we will send this whole d- are on file in the department. He arsonal injury due to defect in side- attendance and at least 50 of their outfit to jail, where they belong. We claims, however, that he did so with legislature and that Mr. McArthur had

> ing in history of the local association. this time." Hutton alleges that McArthur unreports upon the lists of prospective insist. jurymen in Washington, Linn, Colum-Prompt Assistance bia and Polk counties. According to the answer the report made on Washington county men was as follows. Pamily Which Paced Eviction Pinds

McArthur's Report Quoted.

'R. B. Collins, Hillsboro, helped ang the second Williamson-Biggs-Gessner jury. "'Harry Westcott, Gaston; this feltle children have reason for believing low is about two-thirds crazy and will soon be in the asylum. Portland people. In two days their "John Heisler, Gales Creek; this lot has been changed from despair to man is a Republican; a cheap shyster; always for sale

'Abner Briggs; a Mitchell-Hermanmother with a three-weeks-old baby, Huston man. 'W. H. Morton, Beaverton, broke a few years ago.

"'A. W. Hall, Sherwood; another man about two-thirds crazy. "W. L. Moore, Greenville; a strong Mitchell-Hermann man.

" William Wolf. There are two Wil-Another business man said he would liam Wolfs; the old man is O. K. The secure a fund from his associates. A son is no good; a Hermann man; also woman telephoned she had a garage to a henceman of S. B. Huston. be built and would give Jones the "'John McClaren, Gales Creek work. Word came that he could have Mitchell man; ferninst the governa job on a construction gang. An offer ment.
of a small house with four lots rent "'Ji

"'Jas, Imblay. Same. "'C. F. Tigard: same; served in a month was made. Another shelter legislature in 1897; very ardent Mitchcould be provided, it was said. A ell man. mother telephoned that she had a nice "'J. I "'J. H. Rhodes, Thatcher: a bank-

lot of baby garments for the little rupt; a Huston man.
one. Jones gets a chance to start "C. R. Adams, merchant, schools. Jones gets a chance to start a Mitchell man. 'J. H. Baxter, of Gaston: a crank;

better cut him out. "'A. Hergert, Blooming: a nent organization of a parent-teacher Huston-Mitchell man. of the first order; Hermannassociation was effected at the high 'J. T. Killen, of Banks: is a very school in this city last evening. Mrs. erratic fellow; a regular crank.

ident, Mrs. J. J. Hall vice president, Mitchell man; a Hermann man. 'Harry Haynes, Forest Grove: 's and Mrs. G. W. Phillips secretary-"'A. C. Alexander, Forest Grove: a treasurer. Mrs. Louella Walsh was boogerino. 'R. W. McNutt, Cornelius: an old

teachers' rally at Salem today, After soldier; a Republican; a crank. William Shearer, of Hillsdale: Republican; for sale. Hutton alleges that McArthur in making his report on Columbia coun-

ty jurors reported as follows: that was charged in McArthur's com-"Push Is Very Strong." Mitchell -McBride - Williamson - Fulton push; this push is very strong in Columbia county, which is McBride's Mr. Hutton knew that liquor was being laborers. "I don't know anybody in Colum-A motorcycle side car has been spe-cially designed for rural mall carriers, Mitchell -McBride - Williamson - Fulton

ome county. For this reason I would recommend that the county be thrown out," And in Linn county McArthur's report on D. S. McWilliams was "Regular yellow dog Democrat. Will to convict any Republican on

The list of names reported on for

Polk county, according to the answer,

is a long one and is marked by check,

marks which indicate that the man

is "O, K." or "no good," or "doubt-

Pighting Epithets Used.

"E. H. Hosner, Monmouth, N. G. "Percival, S. B., don't want him. "R. E. Williams, S. B.

bad egg.

National Committeeman Listed.

above, is Ralph E. Williams, then a

whether or not recommendation should

e made to the president of the United

that thereafter Attorney General

George W. Wickersham made a com-

plete report to William H. Taft, then

president of the United States, rel-

ative to said jury matter in said land

other things, contained the following:

fraud trials, which said report, among

"In addition to this an affidavit

was received on the twelfth inst. from

. N. McArthur, who was one of Burns

speaker of the house of representatives

Sought Men to Convict.

"'Mr. McArthur makes a disclosure

of the whole situation which leaves

no possible ground for doubt. Among

other things he said that on or about

July 25th, 1905, (the jury box was filled August 17, 1905) Burns tele-

phoned to him that he wished to see

him in the district attorney's office

and while there and in the presence

of Francis J. Heney, Burns handed him

a typewritten list and said, as near as

Mr. McArthur can remember, 'Here

Mac is a list of prospective jurors

from several counties, take it and weed

vote for conviction, and return it to

we want to be sure that no man's

jail where they belong. We are going

to stack the cards on them this time."

McArthur Was Indignant.

"'Mr. McArthur states that he be-

"Any methods are justifiable in

crowd. Old Sladen kicked like

because my men worked the

"'He states further that on or

Well, Mac, we weeded out the s-

and the corrected lists went in any-

Report Made Under Duress.

of the high-handed, outrageous

duct on the part of the officers in the

ernment cannot properly countenance.

end, its approval to any such pro-

not seem to me that, any person con-

"Bare-Paced Misuze of Machinery."

Attorney General Wickersham the fol-

however, shows that the convictions

were brought about by the most unfair

prought to my attention during my en-

tire connection with the federal bench.

The facts justify a pardon and you

will please send me a pardon prepared

"Whereupon a pardon was duly pre-

pared, signed and delivered to one of

HUTTON OWNS CHARGES.

Discussing the answer of R. P. Hut-

Anti-Saloon league for \$50,000 dam-

ages, Jay Bowerman, one of Mr. Mc-Arthur's attorneys, states that Hut-

"The answer admits," says Mr.

admits practically

MADE BY M'ARTHUR

everything

for my signature. (Signed) "'WM. H. TAFT,"

BOWERMAN DECLARES

the defendants."

lowing

"'Mr. McArthur, it is to be remem-

came indignant and told Mr. Burns

that such methods as he proposed

me as soon as possible for we are

- of 1 --- who will not

outfit to

agents in the field and afterward

of Oregon.

banker of Dallas, now a resident of

"E. V. Dalton, will asked to be ex-

marked:

used, is O. K. "Kirkland, S. B.

"Withrow,

committeeman.

Matteson, S. B.

"McBee, good man.
"Burch, will convict.

and office by Fulton.

'Mueher, N. G."

"W. E. Williams, O. K.

The following special list of

county men was specially

PORTLAND LEADERS TO ADDRESS WILSON LEAGUE AT MEDFORD

THE OREGON SUNDAY JOURNAL, PORTLAND, SUNDAY MORNING, MAY 7, 1916.

M. A. Miller, Thos. H. Crawford and Dr. J. W. Morrow Will Make Trip.

WILSON SENTIMENT SEEN

Lester W. Humphrey Will Be Chief "Staats, cousin of Mrs. J. N. Wil-Speaker at Portland Library Meet-"Hawkins, was recommended for ing Wednesday Right.

M. A. Miller, Thomas H. Crawford The R. E. Williams referred to and Dr. J. W. Morrow will leave Portland tonight for Medford where they by Congressman McArthur, filed his Portland and Republican national will address the recently formed Woodrow Wilson league of Medford, Moday night, at a Wilson rally which has been arranged for that evening. The same "That C. N. McArthur's suggestion speakers will address similar meetings as to said prospective jurors was ac- at Grants Pass Tuesday and at Rose-

The Woodrow Wilson league of Port defendants in said land fraud trials land will hold a meeting at Central were convicted, and the jurymen re- Library hall Wednesday night, at midst of the Kansas troubles preced-unfit person to represent the Third ported upon by said McArthur sat in which Lester W. Humphrey will be the ing the Civil war and where they will congressional district of the state of some of said trials, and his reports principal speaker. In addition to Mr. thereon were used in the selection of Humphrey's address a special musical the juries; that after certain of said program will be given.

defendants were convicted pardons G. Y. Harry, state organizer for the were applied for and George W. Wick- Woodrow Wilson league, returned yes-United States, investigated, among the Willamette valley and southern other things, the manner of drawing Oregon. While on this trip he assisunder which convictions ted in the organization of leagues a were had h said land fraud trials, and Salem, Medford, Ashland, Grants Pass, said C. N. McArthur made an affidavit Roseburg. Cottage Grove. Eugene, which set forth his complicity in said Springfield, Corvallis, Independence. Hillsboro. In all 18 leagues jury packing transaction, which was Dallas and Hillsboro. considered by said attorney general have been organized in the state out-Wickersham upon the question as to side of Portland. A strong and increasing Wilson sen

He charges that McArthur during States for pardon of one of said de says that many Republicans have entiment is reported by Mr. Harry, who rolled themselves with the Wilson leagues formed throughout the state. A Republican was elected president of

BEGINNER" LANDS FINE SALMON

Ben Bryan of Chicago to Ship His Trophy Home in Cake

Ben Bryan of Chicago and New York, member of the big brokerage firm of Logan & Bryan, tried his hand at salmon fishing last week for the going to make up a new jury box and first time in his life. Dressed in his "store" clothes, just

as if he were about to leave for his office, he pulled in three beauties before 10 o'clock in the morning, Every fisherman in the vicinity lennings Lodge heard of the exploand marveled. "Can you beat it?" and

"beginner's luck" were the comment on all sides. "I'd give \$100 to get those fish back to Chicago," exclatmed Mr. Bryan. happy as a boy with a new glassie. William S. MacSwain, chief deputy nited States marshal, who is deeply

versed in the wiles of the salmon ame to Mr. Bryan's rescue. "Freeze 'em in blocks of ice." he suggested. "Ship 'em by refrigerator express. The fish will reach Chicago in as good condition as they are now.

They will probably go on the same rain with you." And Mr. Bryan, realizing that the telling of a fish story is improved by tangible exhibits, followed his advice.

jury commissioners, but it did not do imported under the prohibition law - any good and that Mr. Hutton and his associates had an active part in preparing the law and a thorough knowledge of its

provisions. "It is also admitted that the canered, was one of Burns' agents and didate of the Anti-Saloon league was furnished many of the reports which instrumental in the framing and passage of the law as a member of the nothing to do with the measure nor after much persuasion. He does not was he a member of the legislature, state the nature of the duress, but I The answer does not deny the point dertook Burns' commission and made am informed is willing to do so if you raised in the complaint that the sale of alcohol by affidavit, and which has I need not go further in a recital been the cause of a great amount of con- intoxication, is in direct conflict with the constitutional amendment enacted

prosecution of these cases. The gov- by the people. "In the answer denial is made that nor is it expedient in these times of there was a conspiracy, yet the anattacks upon courts and the judicial swer admits that the headquarters system of the United States, for it to committee of the Anti-Saloon league, by unanimous vote, resolved to opcedure. In the light, of the facts as pose C. N. McArthur and to support they appear from the documents and E. V. Littlefield, and that in furtherreports from the department it does ance of this conclusion of the headquarters committee. Hutton prepared victed of land fraud by the jury drawn and caused to be circulated the carrom the box referred to had a fair toon circular which deliberately misregresents the facts and Congress-

man McArthur."
H. S. McCutchan, McArthur's cam-"That thereafter William H. Taft. president, received said report from paign manager, states: "I have not said Attorney General Wickersham, had time to examine critically the anand President Taft thereupon wrote to swer filed by R. P. Hutton in the suit against him by Congressman Mcowing:

"I am sorry that I am too much shows that Mr. Hutton has admitted engaged to give this case more ex- practically all of the facts upon which tended consideration. The entire case, Mr. McArthur bases his suit for libel. Mr. Hutton has injected into the answer a number of so-called defenses and bare-faced misuse of machinery which are not pertinent to the case for drawing jurors that has ever been and which are undoubtedly filed for and which are undoubtedly filed for such political effect as can be derived from them in the primary campaign. None of the charges are new and none of them are worth consid-

ering. "References to me by Mr. Hutton in his answer are entirely gratuitous," says Ferdinand Reed. that I have asserted that I will be appointed United States marshal 's false. In conversation with Mr. Mc-Arthur we have never discussed an office, nor is there any understanding between us. I have never applied for an bffice and have no such

intention.
"It is true that I am supporting Mr. McArthur as a friend, and for the same reason that thousands of ton to Congressman McArthur's suit other Republicans give—that he has against the superintendent of the been in his seat for but five months and has not had a chance to show what he can do."

> Building Trades On Strike. St. Lauis, Mo., May 6 .- (U. P.) -- A strike of 7000 vorkers affiliated with the building trades was called at noon

DEATH CLAIMS YOUNG MAN UNEXPECTEDLY



Ben Vehon.

Ben Vehon, who died at the home of is parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Vehon, 540 1/2 Second street, Friday, April Fleager, division plant engineer of the coming into the main road just 25, of pneumonia. The young man was Pacific Telephone & Telegraph com- reaching the town of Sandy. and was engaged to be married to Miss | gave Manager McLeod a report of the about three miles past Toll Gate, Teresa Arno. Throughout his Illness road. preparations went on for the expected nuptials that were to take place im- nights on the road and his actual driv-mediately on his recovery. Until the ing time was 46 hours and 50 minutes. weather. lay of his death his recovery was not. This time included time for two puncdoubted. He was born in Grand Rap- tures and filling the gasoline tanks oc-Vehon, and three sisters, Mrs. Bert halts. Diener of Cleveland, Ohio, Misses Ger-trude and Hannah Vehon of this city. He was a member of Webfoot camp,

Aviator Has Gained All Official Honors

went over the cut-off to Davis, thence Paris, May 6 .- (I. N. S.) -Adjutant through Woodland and the cities on Navarre, the superfalcon of France's the way to Tehama, where we touched aviators, has exhausted the repertoire the Pacific highway for an instant and of French official awards. He wears then turned off again to pass some the military medal, the war cross and road work, reaching the Pacific again the cross of the Legion of Honor and at Red Bluff. has been made an officer in the

German machine, the authorities, at I believe is a route that all tourists] loss what recognition to make, sumought to follow moned him to headquarters and asked: Yreka, on the upland road, we again What would you like more than anysaw the Pacific highway at Hornbrook, after which we stuck to it. "Forty-eight hours of Paris," he

He got them.

IN GOOD SHAPE FOR TRAFFIC BY

Columbia Highway Now Open

to The Dalles.

The Pacific highway, north and south

ramento, where we took the route

Boute to Seattle Good.

"We crossed at Benicla and then

way of Marysville and Sacramento.

good going almost all the way.

Late Reports.

From Benicia to Davis. The Pacific highway to Seattle is reported to be in splendid condition all the way. The road by way of Vancouver and up the Washington side is Going to California Not Hamconsidered best. In driving through

are doing improving."

Vancouver drive out Main street, pered by Mud, According to which leads directly to the Pacific highway and follow the highway all the way. The distance is about 200 miles and Chehalis is just about half STUDEBAKER ON JOURNEY

sumed about 45 gallons of gasoline and

two quarts of oil. The weather condi-fions were ideal. All of the road ex-

cept about 50 miles must be classed

as fair driving. The 50 miles are dis-

tributed through both states, about 20

miles being in the Sacramento canyon and about 30 miles divided over four

parts of the Oregon roads where they

The Columbia highway is open all the way to The Dalles and as in passable condition. The distance is about 85 miles

The Pacific highway to Salem is in Road to Seattle Is Good All the Way: first class condition and tourists are advised to go by way of Oregon City rather than the west side and McMinnville, as there may be a rather soft

place near Dayton. Trips to Tillamook are not advisable is now in about as good shape as it at present time but with three or four will be found at any time of the year. days of good dry weather the road according to parties which have been would be in good shape. The road in over the route in the last week. The passable now but unless the trip is ab-Pacific highway to California is now solutely necessary would advise waitexceptionally good, with no mud and

The latest to come in is C. E. fair condition by way of the Bluff road 27 years, 9 months and 22 days old pany, who drave his Studebaker to the not advise going farther than Rhodolocal Goodrich Touring bureau and dendron, although the road is passable

Road to Mount Hood seems to be in

Unless an Astoria trip is absolutely Mr. Fleagler spent five days and four ecessary would advise waiting for at Would advise the Logan road on the

west side of Clarkamas. The road is Besides his fiancee and casionally but had eliminated such high and dry and very good surface parents, he leaves a brother, Jacob tourist stops as lunch and pleasure Crossing the read at Baker's bridge, the River road is a little rough but "We made two detours from the dry. The distance is 31 miles. main Pacific highway and found them Barre is seven miles from Estacada. profitable as well as offering grander After reaching Estacada there are road views of the country," said Mr. Flea-ger. "The first was down in the Sac-Barre. through Woodland instead of going by

Trout Fisherman Catches Pheasant

Williamsport, Pa. May 6 .- Frank Flook of Lycoming, went fishing for a pheasant. He asserts it was the "From Red Bluff we followed the fault of the bird. As he was tramping Pacific highway to Gazelle, where we along the stream, he says, he started On bringing down his seventeenth branched off and went to Yreka, which up a flock of pheasants. He was ist casting his line as one of the Passing through fightened pheasants flew close to him just in time to be caught in the wing by the trout book. A sudden jerk, a "Our speedometer showed 768 miles his book, leader and half of his line. and our speed averaged 16 miles over The bird flew away into the woods the entire route. The entire trip con- trailing the line after it.



exclusively by us.

GENTLEMAN, a jurist, one who stands high in the esteem of his fellow citizens, visited our store yesterday, the first time since

our occupancy four years ago. He is a healthy man, rarely needing medicine, little items in our line being purchased by other members of his family. We took him into every depart-

ment through ten floors. One by one he noted the activities of a business in formation for a half century. Said he: "I had no conception there existed in our midst a stable business fabric so closely knitted into the daily life of our people. I wonder if others are as ignotant as I?" We assured him they were, for though we spend much money and believe in newspaper advertising, there are those whose eyes and ears we cannot reach.

But, listen-here is a business unit, incorporated and financed in our own state, an Oregon institution, owned and operated by Mr. Clarke and Mr. Woodward, who for nearly 35 years have given personal attention to its every detail, and whose every dollar is invested here, because they believe it best to center their material efforts in their own city and state. As a result, the records for last year show a pay-roll aggregating \$170,000, with over 200 responsible helpers, taxes of \$12,000, and a business exceeding \$1,000,000 in volume.

Woodard, Clarke & Co. is not a department store; it is more - a drug store having beneath its roof every known and valuable device which has to do with the relief or cure of human ailments, defects or deformities. Their Prescription Department has dispensed over 1,083,000 prescriptions; their business has to do with the educational life of our commonwealth, supplying colleges and laboratories with chemicals, apparatus and equipment, instruments of precision. In surgery they come in helpful contact with the physician, the hospital and sanitarium, the invalid convalescent, crippled and deformed. This department, occupying one entire floor, represents an investment of nearly \$100,000, one of the largest in the United States. The Optical manufacturing section employes over a score of trained, skilled workers, with an output reaching to the Atlantic Ocean. The Dental section, occupying the greater portion of the third floor, is without question one of the best equipped in the United States to meet the demands of a profession which today ranks among the highest in the preservation of human health.

Strangers who visit Portland really miss one of the most interesting features of their stay if they fail to visit and inspect the results of a half century's work, so briefly and poorly set forth in this message. This is an invitation from the members of the firm to their associates, to the stranger within our gates and the resident in our city to visit us, patronize us, open a monthly account with us, and participate in the growth and life of an institution which belongs to and is verily a part of our stateyes, our great Northwest.

