SURVEY MADE IN **ORDER TO SUPPLY** LABOR ON FARMS

Canyon County Proposes Scheme Whereby Crews Shall Rotate From Farm to Farm in Idaho.

FIVE TO EIGHT FARM UNITS

County Bureau Will Have Jurisdiction; Non-Partisan League Is Making Active Campaign.

Boise, Idaho, March 2 .- The Canyon county farm bureau is leading the way in Idaho for solving the farm labor shortage problem. Plans have been completed for a labor and seed survey of the county in order that the farmers of every county will be safeguarded against hortage of either labor or seed. The needs of every farmer will be ascertained and when planting times comes a system of rotation will be put into effect to supply the needed labor. The plan contemplates the organization of working units in which labor and machinery will be utilized so as to get the

best possible results. These units will consist of from five to eight farms of an average size of 80 as their services are needed, the county bureau having jurisdiction over them, field artillery, and is now in France. with authority to move them from place to place as the situation justifies.

O. G. F. Markhus, director of the United States public service reserve, deartment of labor, in charge of enrolling Idaho's quota of 900 men as shipyard volunteers, has announced the appointment of chairmen in charge of registration in the various counties of the state. Enlistments are already under way and encouraging reports have been

Farmers' meetings are being held over the state under the auspices of the Non-Partisan league in an effort to counteract the effects of the arrest of President Townley and Secretary Gilbert, of the national organization, on charges of interfering with the draft. Ray McKaig league organizer for Idaho, in his adsses at these meetings, denounces the action as a frameup and declares the profiteers are responsible. The league s continuing its political propaganda with marked energy.

Governor Alexander has given his un- on the unification of the churches. His qualified approval to the honor system discussions are attracting wide interest. among prisoners introduced at the state nitentiary by Warden DeKay. He

O. P. Hendershot, secretary of the Idaho State fair, has been elected secretary of the Northwest Livestock show at Lewiston, succeeding Paul Clagstone, who recently left the state.

Gooding college, the new Methodist piscopal educational institution at

conference of the Methodist Episcopal keystone of that futility is its dischurch and is the first educational institution established by that denomination in this state. It was located at latter alternative is unthinkable. For Grading as a result of a substantial had as the disunity of the church is, it endowment gift from ex-Governor Frank is infinitely better than churchlessness." R. Gooding, founder and moving spirit of the town which bears his name. The main building has been completed at a Anderson Is Held cost of \$47,000. At present only the first floor is used for college work, the second being given over to a girls' dormitory.

Charles Ernst, now a prisoner at Salmon City, charged with the murder of Julius C. Reburg, will be moved to Cascade, Valley county, for trial, as it has been discovered that the crime of which he is accused was committed in the latter county. Although the boundary lines of Lemhi and Valley counties meet, it requires a trip of more than 700 miles by rail to go from Salmon City, Lemhi county seat, to Cascade.

Frances Cooper, former wife of Ernst, as river in Albany, Friday night. witness against the accused. A horheard and Reburg staggered back into money. the cabin motally wounded. Ernst went the dead of the same night the murderer Gellately brought him to Corvallis. is alleged by the woman to have saddled a horse and dragged the body of the wictim to a field, where it was buried Censors Put O. K. under four feet of earth. Then Ernst

fled, taking his 4-year-old boy with him. The woman later informed the authorities. She led them to the burial place, where the body was exhumed. Ernst was later arrested at Challis. He made

Federal aid, for the time being at the Liberty beginning today. least, has been denied the new national cow and American Falls. The fourth Portland program. company will be located at either Boise military organization for home

The board of trustees of the Southern Idaho asylum for the insane at Blackfoot has accepted the resignation of Dr. W. F. Pike as superintendent. The resignation came after numerous inves-tigations of alleged ill treatment of outlents. In each of these investigations perintendent was held biameless and his resignation is reported to have in entirely voluntary.

CORONA E. W. PEASE CO. OREGONIAN IN TRANSPORT SERVICE WEDS ABROAD



Ansel Pickard of Portland. Gilbert chief mechanic's mate aboard the transport Leviathan.

A letter received here announces the marriage in Liverpool of Gilbert Ansel transport Leviathan, formerly the

Vaterland Mr. Pickard was born on the Long Tom river, Oregon, in 1884, and is the son of the late Marion Pickard, who and W. F. Lathrop. died some 15 years ago. His mother, Lenora Pickard, resides at Newberg. acres. The labor crew for each unit will and she has given her two sons, Gilbert

CHUKCH UNIFICATION

Rev. Robert S. Gill, Salem Episcopal Church, Delivers Sermon Series on Topic.

Salem, Or., March 2.-Rev. Robert S. Gill, rector of the Episcopal church Idaho, here, is preaching a series of sermons

favors extending the system so that pris- "has there been a more pronounced in- Robert Watt, Tillamook. Sixteenth century," says Rev. Mr. Gill, oners serving sentences for petty crimes clination toward the unity of Christenmay have a chance to earn livings for dom than at the present hour. If the Portland;

the Christian world. "The war has made its unmistakable Kappa Delta Sigma—A. D. Hobart, call upon the church. We are at the Silverton; P. E. Stears, Klamath Falls; beginning of a new epoch, the wide world of ideas has gone into the frey, Molalla; Lee Sutton, Aumsville, test-tube. That which is worthless, that Lambda Chi Alpha—Emil Beckman, which is dross must be burned off. De- Marshfield; Raymond E. Badger, Ashnominationalism is worthless; it has land; Roy Aldrich, Tacoma, Wash.; Jo any. The war showed the church its Grants Pass; Benjamin Staats, Oregon This college is supported by the Idaho futility, and it showed also that the City.

Under \$500 Bond

Charles Lawrence Charges That He Was Lured Into Woods, Hit Over Head and Robbed of \$15.

Corvallis, Or., March 2.-Charles Anderson is in jail here in default of \$5000 bonds, and will be held for the saulting and robbing Charles Lawrence The Salmon authorities are detaining on the Benton side of the Willamette

a witness against the accused. A hor-rible tragedy is revealed through the knew it, it is said. Anderson persuaded story told by the woman. Far back in him to go across the bridge to a place an isolated section of Central Idaho she in the river bank where he said there was a park with animals, so Lawrence would be married in the applies. On the would be married in the spring. On the relates. When they had gone down morning of December 18, 1917, Reburg the river bank a short distance Anderstepped outside the cabin to wash. The son struck his companion over the eye report of the discharge of a rifle was with a "billy" and robbed him of his

When Lawrence recovered he went to the cabin later and asked if Reburg back to the city, notified the police was dead. When he found that he was, and they arrested Anderson as he was Ernst hid the body in the haymow. In about to leave for Creswell. Sheriff

On Liberty Show

"Empty Pockets," a picturization of Rupert Hughes' popular novel of the same title, is the new show at

There was so much discussion over guard battalion being organized in the picture, whether or not it is too and the organization will be en- realistic and telling, that the local dependent on the state for sup- board of censors was called in to see port. Three companies have already been the film, after the reviewer had been sworn in, stationed at Sand Point, Mos- left in doubt as to its place on a

The censors considered the film from or Pocatello. Lack of funds for the all angles and finally decided that it guard has revived talk of an extra session of the legislature, as it is realized elimination of one or two of the capmoney will be required to effect an ef- tions, deletion of which in nowise affects the force of the story as told. Manager Myrick had no desire to 'put anything over," and the full consent of all concerned was obtained before any advertising of the special

feature was done. "Empty Pockets" created somewhat of a sensation in book form, and in the film, the entire story being visualized it is declared more effective, entertaining and interesting than ever.

Dismisses Damage Suit

Oregon City, March 2.-Judge Campbell in the circuit court today issued an order dismissing the suit of Ernest Schmid brought against Clackamas county a few days ago, in which the plaintiff sought to recover personal damages in the sum of \$2000 for injuries alleged to have been received when his automobile went over the New Era hill in July, 1917.

FRATS ANNOUNCE LIST OF PLEDGERS

Publishing of New Members at O. A. C. Feature of End of Third Week of Semester.

NINETEEN PORTLAND PEOPLE

Five of Number Are Young Women and Fourteen Are Men Living in Rose City.

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvalis. March 2.-Simultaneously with the ending of the third week of school this mester, the various sororities and fraternities upon the campus today issued a list of those becoming pledged to the various organizations this semes ter and the latter part of last semester Among those to become pledged are 19 Portland people: Marjorie Rood, Mary Holmes, Lucile Resing, Nancy Gavin, Bertha Watt, and Charles Webber, Jess Perry, Sigmund Schwarz, Pickard, chief mechanic's mate of the Howard Huchinson, John Dentler, George Powell, Benjamin Zyna A. Wise, R. A. Nebergall, Edwin Scotton, Eric Hopson, Lawrence Lockley, Benjamin Van Weingarden, The pledges to the various sororities are as follows:

Kappa Alpha Theta-Marjorie Roo consist of 12 men and two machines. The and Charles M., to the service of their of Portland, Margaret Rodgers, Berkemen will be rotated from farm to farm country. The latter departed from Port- ley, Cal.

as their services are needed, the county land a member of Battery A, Oregon Pi Beta Phi—Aileen Tate, Wasco: Dorothy Landess, Dayton. Chi Omega (national womens' fraternity)—Mary Holmes, Portland; Lu-

cile Resing, Portland; Francis Cross, Grants Pass; Helen Schorens, The Dalles; Nancy Gavin, Portland; Ruth Pettigrew, Redland, Or. Delta Alpha—Alice Peterson, Cheha-Wash.; Alice Lundgren, Corval-Bernice Kistner, Ontario, Cal. nn Livery, Liberty, Neb.

Beta Tau Beta-Grace Sandon, Cor-Gladys Briscow, Weiser, Idaho; Lillian Crawford, The Dalles. Kappa Kappa Kappa-Helia Hukari Hood River; Merle Du Rette, Gervais. Delta Psi-Esther Asplund, Marsh field; Bertha Watt, Portland; Anna belle Chandler, Maplewood, N. J. Gamma Iota-Mamie Martin, Chilook. Wash.

Fraternity pledges are as follows: Alpha Tau Omega-Charles Webber Portland; Burnett Packard, Santa Anna, Cal.; Russell Adkinson, Santa Anna, Cal.; Charles Stewart, Nampa,

Aztec - Kenneth Andrews, Oregon City; Hugh Rundell, Corvallis; Horace Holmes, North Bend. Gamma Tau Beta-Jesse Perry, Port "Never since the great schism of the land; Elmer Kyle, Central Point; Harris Gather, Toledo; Blies Plue, Rainier

Kappa Sigma - Sigmund Schwartz, their families by working outside the signs of the times are worth anything Wash.; Lucian Newcomer, Pomona Heward Wilbur,, Seattle, prison walls. Prisoners are now at work at all, they point toward the unification in a number of road camps improving of the churches. The fact of a coming the highways and it is proposed to exumity is certain; how soon it will be active.

Wash.; Lucian Newcomer, Pomona, Iwenty-first C. S. Initiately from July John Wittiell, The Dalles.

Kappa Sigma Nu—Howard Huchingraphical assistant of the U. S. army;

Los Angeles, Cal.

Chandler, Fresno, Cal.; Leo G. Spitz-bart, Salem; Maynard Turner, Pasadena, Cal.; Malcolm Crawford, Fresno Cal.; Floyd Mushrush, Pasadena, Cal. Sigma Chi-Richard Whited, San Diego, Cal.; Robert Munson, Chicago, Ill.; Benjamin Schiewe, Portland.

Sigma Nu-Zyna A. Wise, Portland; R. A. Nebergall, Portland; Fred N. Bock, Condon Sigma Phi Epsilon-Lloyd Gregg, Salem; Harold Robinson, Forest Grove; L. E. Meyers, Palo Alto, Cal.; J. O. Hauge, Woodburn; George Stuart, Latland; Eric Hopson, Portland; Lawrence garden, Portland; W. F. Lathrop, Port-land; Floyd Adams, Corvallis. Klamath

Theta Chi—Joseph Avery, Klamath Falls; E. A. Speika, Grand Junction, Colo.; Harold Wakefield, Fresno, Cal.; Eugene Strout, Amity; Robert Jewell, Grants Pass; Cecil Miller, Peorla, Ariz.; Ella F. Walker of Aberdeen. Austin Case, Klamath Falls; R. H. Campbell, Amity, and M. C. Tadlock, Raymond, Wash.

Y. M. C. A. Soldier's Best Friend Abroad

"The Y. M. C. A. is the soldier's best riend in the field," writes Sergeant W. B. Neels of Portland, who is in France with a motor supply train, in a letter received Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bell of 290 Vista avenue. "Too much cannot be said for its good work in France. The first question that a soldier asks upon arriving at a new loca-tion is, Where is the Y. M. C. A.? "It is raining here now and very muddy. There is a dirt floor in the barracks and the roof leaks like a sieve, but we don't mind much now that we are here. It beats a tent. We get good American style food and enough of it. We are getting a change in part of our uniform and we have to look twice to see who is who."

FORMER WASHINGTON HIGH BOY IN FRANCE



Lark O. Brown

Lark O. Brown, son of Mrs. A. F Brown, former residents of Portland at 1205 East Taylor street and now living at Barons, Alberta, is in service abroad. Brown enlisted in Company B. One Hundred and Sixteenth engineers in August and departed for France December 1. In January he was promoted sergeant of the hospital corps, conwith the base hospital work. He was a former member of the Washington high school soccer teams and was prominent in school activities.

A. Homan of Vancouver Goes to Last Rest After Long and Active Life.

Vancouver, Wash., March 2.-C. A Homan, born in 1847 in Rockville, Ontario, died at his home in this city Thursday afternoon at the age of 71 years. Mr. Homan spent a very active and useful life. He accompanied Sherman on his famous march to the sea. After the war he was engaged with his brother in raffroad construction in of the three minor children, as well as the South. At one time he was engineer of this county.

He was a member of Company F, Thirty-fifth New Jersey volunteer infantry from August 25, 1863, to July 20, 1865; with the Second U. S. infantry as a member of company I from 1875 to 1880; with company D. tend their liberties so that prison labor complished is a matter of conjecture. may be used on farms wherever there is But it will come more rapidly than Cal.; Darrell Rachford, Colton, Cal.; R. Abercrombie and a party on a today to the effect that Oregon was extended to the control of Alaska.

He served as topographical assistant call upon the church. We are at the beginning of a new epoch; the whole Marion Tolliver, Molalla; Ernest Pal-August 1, the same year, to August 6. 1894. From August 7, 1894, to June 30, 1900, he held the position of civil Gooding, has finished its first semester outlived its usefulness, if ever it had B. Pardee, Grants Pass; Wallace Niles, struction of The Dalles-Celilo canal he served from June 10, 1903, to Novem-

> quartermaster's office, Vancouver barracks, since December 1, 1903. He was reinstated in the civil service on application therefor dated in this county. March 29, 1904, and promoted to civil engineer and superintendent of struction in 1908. On July 31, 1915, he Suspicious Actions was forced to resign from his active life on account of a hemorrhage of the brain.

Funeral services took place Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from Knapp's chapel with Rev. E. G. Judd of the Baptist church officiating. The servourelle Falls; Edwin B. Cotton, Port- ices were under the auspices of the G. A. R. and interment was in the Lockley, Portland; Benjamin Van Wein- Military, cemetery. Mr. Homan is survived by his wife, Ona Morris Homan, whom he married in this city 33 years ago. Rev. Thomas May, at that time pastor of the Presbyterian church, performed the ceremony. A son, Platt Homan, survives, and a daughter, Mrs.

Department Store Open for Business

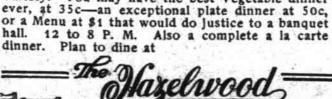
Levitt's new department store, at the corner of Fourth and Washington streets, just opened, is a modern, upto-date, metropolitan establishment. The store occupies three floors and has been remodeled according to Mr. Levitt's personal designs.

The front display windows are of solid plate glass with marble bottoms, and the furnishings are in ivory. The inside of the store is finished in ivory throughout and the unique dis-play of goods is one of the novelty features. Elevator service is available to all floors.

The most extensive deposit of anthracite coal ever found in the main island of Japan recently was discovered, extending for 18 miles along mountain ranges.

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CLACKAMAS COUNTY IS IN READINESS FOR LIBERTY LOAN DRIVE

Manager M. D. Latourette Has Organization Complete to Speedily Finish Work.

Oregon City, March 2 .- M. D. Latourstte, county manager and member of the company's line. It is the state of the Klamath Indian reservation. Liberty loan drive, has the stage all set

The following county executive committee has been named: No. 1, Canby-W. H. Blair, chairman; H. B. Evans, Arthur Graham, George H. Brown, G. W. Scramlin. No. 2, Milwaukie-Philip Streib, chairman; J. W. Grasle, Charles Stout, R. S.

McLoughlin, J. W. Hart. No. 3, Oregon City-E. G. Caufield, chairman; O. D. Eby, S. O. Dillman William Andresen, G. B. Dimick. No. 4, Sandy-W. A. Proctor, chairman; Fred L. Proctor, Paul R. Meinig. Anton Mikkelson, Charles Krebs, R. E. Jarl, Ed Seifer, Don Allen, William Morand, Rev. Mr. Dobberfuhl. No. 5, Wilsonville-J. J. Thornton.

O. Say, C. R. Gunzel. No. 6, Molalla - Mildred Robbins chairman; P. O. Chindgren, John A. Ridings, J. L. Tubbs, Harry Fracer. No. 7, Estacada-H. C. Stephens, chairman; R. M. Standish, Mrs. H. V. Adix, A. E. Sparks, Mrs. E. W. Bartlett, B. F. Cogswell, Rev. W. A. Weld, Walter

chairman; M. C. Young, J. L. Kruse, N.

Spruce Division Enlistments Closed Oregon City, March 2.—The local draft board received word today to the effect that enlistments in the spruce division of the aviation service have been closed, as well as in the land division of the signal corps, aviation service. Just previous to the notice, the local board had arranged for the departure of five young men from this county for Fort Leavenworth, Kan., to enter the land division of the signal corps, and they will leave Monday morning. They are Concie Kearney, transferred from Superior, Mont. Raleigh Hubbard Echerd, Molalla; George Otis Jewel, Oregon City; Raleigh Bowers, Macksburg: Harry Krueger, Pleasant Hill precinct.

Suit for Divorce

Oregon City, March 2.-Daisy Camp says that her husband, Roy Camp, deserted her more than a year ago, and she therefore desires the circuit court to grant her a divorce and the custody \$30 a month for the care and support of the two youngest, while the plaintiff's mother, living in Chicago, Ill., has consented to support and educate the old-est, a girl of 15 years. The couple were married in Chillicothe, Ill., June 10, 1902.

Truck Drivers for France Oregon City, March 2 .- Are there any automobile or truck drivers in Clackamas county who wish to see service in pected to furnish 100 such drivers, and that they were wanted at once.

In Probate Court Oregon City, March 2 .- S. E. Card of Boring has petitioned the county court for letters of administration upon the tations made to the director general by estate of the late W. H. Card, who died January 28, 1918, it being of the value of \$1000.

Judgment Granted Oregon City, March 2 .- A. G. Thompon was granted a decree of judgment in the circuit court today against Jessie E. Crim in the sum of \$500, and a lien upon lots 24, 26 and 27, Oregon Homes,

Are Cause of Arrest

Officers Nelson and Schad arrested Second street, near Burnside, Saturday morning and have held them for investigation for the government. When the a rooming bouse. When Booth was bolt in his possession.

Send for catalogue.

Klamath Sawmill Cuts All Winter

J. C. Goldthwaite, President of Modoc Lumber Co. Confers With Railroad Officials in Regard to Logging Road. J. C. Goldthwalte, president of the Modoc Lumber company, of Chiloquin, Oregon, is in conference with officials of the Southern Pacific company in Portland today regarding the construction of a logging road from his mill in Chiloquin back into the timber. Mr. Goldthwaite says that his mill has been

has produced an average of 120,000 feet per day of white pine lumber. Chiloquin is 25 miles north of Klamath Falls on the Southern Pacific company's line. It is in the heart of The state executive committee for the Third altitude is over 4000 feet and the average winter is very severe. The Modoc for Clackamas county's part in the big in that district to run all winter, said drive that is to start April 6, when the Mr. Goldthwaite, although there has people of the county are to be asked to been no snow to speak of and very lit-subscribe toward \$700,000 worth of the tie cold weather. Fears of drouth the coming summer on account of the light snow fall in the mountains are causing anxiety among farmers and livestock raisers, said Mr. Goldthwaite. At Crater Lake there is only three feet of snow, nstead of the customary 15 or 18 feet.

working day and night all winter and

PLANS ARE SUBMITTED FOR THE BEAVER CREEK IRRIGATION

State Engineer Lewis Will Inspect District Near Medford Before Passing on Matter.

Salem, Or., March 2 .- An engineering report outlining plans for the irrigation of 19,565 acres of land near Medford by the Medford Irrigation district, has been filed with State Engineer Lewis. The estimated cost of the project is \$1,455,-663, or a little over \$74 an acre.

The state engineer has been requested to pass upon the feasibility of the project as required by the irrigation law. Two schemes are presented, one called the Beaver creek project and the other an extension of the Rogue River Canal company's existing project. The Beaver

creek project is recommended. The plan contemplates building a 68, foot dam on Beaver creek, in the Klamath river drainage, and a 30 mile canal to the crest of the divide, where a tunnel 1850 feet long will drop water into Rogue river valley. The main lateral to convey water to the land will be 31 miles in length. The Phoenix ditch will be enlarged and extended to supply land on the west side of Emigrant creek This district adjoins the Talent irrigation district, which proposes to irrigate 8500 acres in the vicinity of Ashland. Mr. Lewis will inspect conditions on the ground before making his report.

Equilization of Car Service in Progress

Salem, Or., March 2.—The public service commission today received a telegram from C. R. Gray, connected with the office of the director general of railroads, stating that equalization of car service will be brought about as

soon as possible. This message is in reply to representhe commission because of the inability of the Baker lumber mills to obtain cars even for the shipment of government orders of lumber.

"The condition you complain of is only temporary and is due to the immediate necessity of moving grain and grain products." says the message from Mr. Gray. "The relocation of equipment is now in progress and an equalization will be brought about as quickly as possible. The attention of R. H. Aishton, regional director at Chicago, has been called to the matter and he will see that it is not lost sight of."

Short Weight in Lime Shipment Salem, Or., March 2.-Spence Wort man, deputy state sealer of weights and measures, today sounded a warning to Frank E. Booth and Charles Shumato on farmers who are shipping in lime plaster for use on their farms to be on the lookout for short weights.

A carload of lime plaster received in officers first saw the men they were Salem from a San Francisco house ran following another man and the officers more than 10 per cent short in weight, stopped them just as they were entering and if investigation revealed that this firm has been making a practice of shipsearched the officers found an 18 inch ping short weights Mr. Wortman said it is likely that prosecutions will follow.

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"Present indications point to the com-Siskiyou & Western Exploration completion of the highway through to Astoria by September 1," said Whitmore. "The pany, Grants Pass; capital stock, \$25,entire distance from Portland will be either macadamized or hardsurfaced. The road should be opened to traffic before its completion, or about the middle of July " At Goble, where the Warren Construcion company has a contract for grading

Road to Astoria Should Be Fin-week, and will be completed in about

and macadamizing two and a half miles, the grading is now 95 per cent ione, reported Whitmore. The entire ob should be completed about June 1. Dangerous slides below Goble are now being removed. Piles for the foundation of the bridge to be constructed at Goble have been driven, and work on the acres. Another is for 8.2 cubic feet per bridge proper will be started next week. The bridge will be completed about rigate 414 acres, and the third is for "That will give a good road from

HIGHWAY WORK ON

ished by September, Says

Assistant Engineer.

Salem, Or., March 2.-With favorable

weather during the past week, road work

Whitmore, assistant state highway

engineer, who returned today from a

on the lower Columbia river highway progressing well, according to C. H.

trip of inspection.

ortland to Rainier," said Whitmore. Clark & Dibble, contractors for macadamizing the road from Goble almost to Delena, are making good progress, except the grading work on Rainier hill. in Europe that the maintenance of elec-Contractor Harold, who is building tric locomotives is more economical than 10 bridges between the section being operating cars fitted with individual constructed by Clark & Dibble and motors.

Clatskanie, has four of the bridges com-pleted, and the other six will be finished in August, said Whitmore. Temporary bridges will be put in, so the road can be opened about July 1. In that district LOWER COLUMBIA IS four miles of macadam have been co

Below Clatskanie the state highway department has three rock crushers in MAKING PROGRESS operation, with four road gangs at work. The base rock has been laid from Clatskanie to about six miles below Wauna, a distance of about 16 miles. On this job the work of laying the top or finish-

ing course will be started in about a

three months, Potato Dealers Incorporate Salem, Or., March 2.-The Oregon Po-

ato Dealers' association, which has headquarters in Portland, today filed articles of incorporation. The incorporators are W. I. Swank, W. S. Hurst, George L. Davenport and R. L. Phil-Two companies also filed articles, as

000; incorporators, Francis P. Kurtz, George S. Hollister and Edmund B. Nelson-Anderson company, Portland; capital stock, \$5000/; incorporators, E.

Nelson, C. A. Anderson and F. W. Water Filings Made

Salem, Or., March 2.-The Pacific dvestock company has filed with the

state engineer three applications for water for irrigation purposes. One filing is for seven cubic feet of water per second from Camp creek to irrigate 345 second of water from Flat creek to ir-3 cubic feet per second of the waters of Hall creek to irrigate 62 acres. All river, in Grant county.

It has been found by some railroads

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