

GREAT NORTHERN ONLY BIDDER FOR SPOKANE & INLAND RAILWAY CO.

"Gentlemen's Agreement" Among
Railroad Men Will Prevail at
Public Auction.

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 25.—The Great Northern Railway company will be the only bidder for the Spokane & Inland railroad when it is sold at public auction November 1.

The usual "gentlemen's agreement" among railroads when larger roads are about to absorb smaller and bankrupt roads, which have been sent through the hands of a receiver, will prevail.

Involved in the transaction November 1 will be 212.5 miles of railroad, of which 182.3 is in Washington and 30.2 in Idaho. The main line trackage is 134.3, the remainder being distributed as follows: Second tracks, 78.2, yard tracks, sidings and spurs, 48.1.

The mileage in Washington is distributed as follows: Traction lines in city, 44 miles; terminal division, one mile; Coeur d'Alene division, 20 miles; Inland division, 115 miles.

The mileage in Idaho is distributed as follows: Coeur d'Alene division, 21 miles; Inland division, nine miles.

Soldier Bayoneted Rear Tire; Autoist Then Heeded Order

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 25.—(U. P.)—A bayonet with a determined soldier behind it came into action during the reception to the Prince of Wales at Victoria Tuesday. One daring auto driver endeavored to cut in ahead of the procession. An officer of the guard of honor ordered the car to the side lines. The driver persisted at the head of the parade. A sharp order to a trooper of the guard, a flash of a bayonet and the explosion of a rear tire on the auto followed in quick succession.

The bayoneted tire stopped the car effectively and the lamed motor had to pull to one side.

Grape Growers Defy War Prohibition Act At Special Meeting

Santa Rosa, Cal., Sept. 25.—(U. P.)—The Sonoma County Grape Growers' association Wednesday passed a resolution which in effect defies the war-time prohibition act and serves notice that the grape growers will turn their grapes into wine.

This action was taken in the face of the recent decision of Federal Judge Van Fleet in San Francisco that the war-time prohibition act is constitutional and that to crush the grapes would be in direct violation of the law.

Ministers Make New Plans for Work in Evangelical Church

Corvallis, Sept. 25.—Ministers of the Oregon conference of the United Evangelical church were in conference here Wednesday. The meeting was called

WIFE AND SONS OF KING ALFONSO OF SPAIN



Queen Victoria of Spain and her sons, the Infante Don Jaime (at the left) and the Prince of Asturias (right), are here shown about to embark on the royal yacht to take part in the regatta recently held in Madrid. The king of Spain is an ardent waterman and so are his sons. The Prince of Asturias, it will be noted, bears a very marked resemblance to his father.

to plan for the greater development of the work of the denomination.

At the conference were Rev. A. J. Goode of the First church; Rev. H. H. Farham, Oakley Green, and Rev. A. B. Layton, St. Johns, Portland clergymen; Rev. E. C. Farnham, Wichita; Rev. A. W. Curry, Dallas; Rev. G. L. Lovell, Salem; Rev. F. E. Fisher, Eugene; Rev. J. L. Burns, Brooks; Rev. A. J. Schmalte, Hillsboro; Rev. Correll, Kings Valley; Rev. G. R. Stover, Rickreall; Rev. G. E. Erskine, Dayton; Rev. C. P. Gates and Rev. S. M. Wood, Corvallis.

OACO ORCHARDS HAVE LARGE YIELD FOR FIRST SEASON

Corvallis, Sept. 25.—Directors and stockholders in the big Oaco orchards visited the tracts to view the young trees, which are now bearing their first substantial yield of fruit. Forty tons of high grade Bartlett pears have been shipped, and a good crop of King and Wagner apples has been picked. Jonathan and Ortley apples amounting to several tons still hang on the trees. The orchards are owned by Corvallis people, with Dr. W. J. Kerr of Oregon Agricultural college as president of the company. B. W. Johnson, former postmaster at Corvallis, is manager.

Restaurant Closes Doors

Corvallis, Sept. 25.—A Corvallis restaurant closed its doors Wednesday when patrons became too insistent for meals. At the Palm cafe in the morning after several young fellows had expressed rather angrily their opinions of the service, the proprietors put the would-be patrons out, and then locked the doors. The overcrowded conditions in Corvallis, due to the arrival of thousands of students, had evidently tried the patience of the proprietors.

Pershing Subpenaed By Federal Court as Liquor Case Witness

Trenton, N. J., Sept. 25.—(U. P.)—Subpoenas have been issued from the federal court here asking General Pershing, General March and Secretaries Daniels and Baker to testify in a case which the government brought against members of the North Hudson Liquor Dealers' association, charging violation of the war-time prohibition act.

This became known Wednesday when George W. Tucker, attorney for the liquor association, announced to the court that he intended to prove by the four government officials that demobilization was completed July 1 and that America was not at war at the time his clients were charged with violating the prohibition act. Tucker bases his case on the assumption that the act ceases to operate when demobilization becomes effective.

Secretary Daniels was served with the subpoena at Washington yesterday. Tucker said today he had received word from the United States marshal in the capital that he had been unable to locate the three other officials.

Bear Killed After A Desperate Fight With Man and Dog

Eugene, Sept. 25.—An exciting adventure with a bear, in which he dispatched the animal with a small bore shotgun, is related by Leo Potter, who with his brother, Wallace, has just returned from a hunting trip up the McKenzie river.

While tramping down a deep canyon north of Michigan heights, accompanied only by a small dog, Leo sat on a log to rest. The uneasy actions of the dog caused him to look about and he about a large bear emerging from the bushes 15 feet away. The animal was in a fighting mood. With the odds against him, the hunter leveled his small caliber shotgun and fired at the bear's head.

Enraged by the wound the bear rushed for Leo. The dog intervened and was sent flying with one blow of the monster's paw, but this slight interruption gave Potter a chance and he fired two more shots into the bear at short range, rendering it helpless. Five additional shots were required to kill the bear. The animal weighed more than 200 pounds and natives said it was the largest killed in the vicinity recently.

MTS. HOOD AND JEFFERSON POSE FOR THEIR PHOTOGRAPHS

Eugene, Sept. 25.—Mt. Hood and Mt. Jefferson, Oregon's most famous peaks, posed for their pictures for the first time last week, when Lieutenant Ridenour, of the forest patrol service, and W. B. Osburn, district examiner, circled each mountain several times in a Haviland plane. They secured some excellent pictures.

The pictures will be used in connection with the forest service war, for each comparison, etc. They were snapped with a kodak, but are very clear. The snowcaps of the peaks are plainly visible, also the masses of fog around the summits.

Pastor's Salary Raised

Eugene, Sept. 25.—By unanimous vote, the congregation of the First Christian church, at the Sunday service, increased the salary of the Rev. E. V. Stivers, from Stockton, Cal., seven months ago. Dr. Stivers has added 100 members to the congregation and half the \$25,000 indebtedness of the church, has been liquidated, members stated in giving reasons for the increase in salary.

Deer Are Plentiful

Eugene, Sept. 25.—Deer are unusually plentiful in the Cascades the fall, said Harry G. Hayes, hunter and guide, who was here Tuesday from McKenzie Bridge, for supplies. During four trips into the mountains this season, in a period of eight days, he says he counted 119 deer.

Frances A. Helm, of Avery Family, Dies At Corvallis Home

Frances A. Helm, widow of the late George R. Helm of Albany, died Wednesday at her home in Corvallis, 64 years old. Her passing was the result of a second attack of paralysis, a first stroke having been suffered two years ago. The funeral will be held after instructions are received from her only son, Lawrence Helm, who resides at Port Texas, Texas. In addition to the son, surviving relatives are: George Avery (a brother) Corvallis; Mrs. Florence Jones (a sister) Paisley, Lake county; and Mrs. Gertrude A. Irvine (a sister), Portland. Mrs. Helm was the daughter of the late Joseph G. Avery, who surveyed and founded the city of Corvallis.

Cardinal Mercier of Belgium Addresses Catholic Clergymen

Washington, Sept. 25.—(U. P.)—A meeting of several hundred Catholic dignitaries, the largest in the history of Catholicism in this country, opened at Catholic university Wednesday with an address by Cardinal Mercier of Belgium. This gathering is the first meeting of the hierarchy of the church since 1884, 52 cardinals, bishops and archbishops being in attendance at the call of Cardinal Gibbons.

Renhard O. Braak, Sailor, Dead After One Day in Hospital

Returning to his home three weeks ago, following discharge from the navy and employment during the summer in the East, Renhard O. Braak, 26 years old, formerly employed as a bookkeeper with Fairbanks, Morse & Co., died at the Good Samaritan hospital early Wednesday.

Braak had been at the hospital one day, but his illness covered a period of

American Legion Is Fighting I.W.W. At Bellingham

Bellingham, Wash., Sept. 25.—(U. P.)—A committee of the local post of the American Legion called upon Mayor J. A. Sells to day to inquire what action, if any, he proposes to take regarding the reestablishment of an I. W. W. headquarters in this city.

The mayor replied that he has a policy of handling the situation which he believes will peacefully solve the problem, but declined at this time to disclose what that policy is.

On orders from Chief of Police Max Laese th of W. W. rendezvous in Bellingham was closed more than two years ago. It was reopened within the last week, and its agents are zealously working to increase its membership.

Ontario Province to Vote on Prohibition

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 25.—(U. P.)—The Ontario legislature stands dissolved today and writes have been issued for a general election October 20, when the referendum on prohibition will also be taken. In making his announcement last night, Premier Hearst outlined the policy planks of the conservative party in the elections.

Storker Storkersen Is Back From Far North

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 25.—(U. P.)—Storker Storkersen, intertid Arctic explorer, who with a party of five went adrift on an ice floe last winter in hope of being carried through the Northwest passage, and who was carried in a circle around the "top of the world" for months, returned to Seattle last night from the Far North. He is an intimate friend of Stefansson, famous explorer, and was a member of Stefansson's last party. His latest adventure in the northland accomplished nothing, but he says, provided many thrills.

Fruit Crop Falls Short

Eugene, Sept. 25.—Lane county's prune crop is about 50 per cent normal, says J. O. Holt, manager of the Eugene Fruit Growers' association. The bulk of the crop in this vicinity is dried but picking will continue for a week, says Holt. The fourth carload of apples exported this

Season Left Tuesday for London, England. They were Grimes Golden and Kings.

S. & H. Green Stamps for cash. Holman Fuel Co., Main 353, A-353, Blockwood, short slabwood, Rock Springs and Utah coal, sawdust.—Adv.

A Never Failing Way to Banish Ugly Hairs

(Aids to Beauty)
No woman is immune to superfluous growths, and because these are likely to appear at any time, it is advisable to always have some delicate powder handy to use when the occasion arises. A paste is made with some of the powder and water and spread upon the hairy surface; in about 2 minutes this is carefully removed and the skin washed. You will then find that your skin is entirely free from hair or fuzz. Be sure, however, to get real delatone.—Adv.

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In our new silk underwear section is an uncommonly good assortment of satin and crepe bloomers of excellent quality. This group at \$5 contains dainty garments, trimmed with lace, net, ribbon and hemstitching. Others \$3.50 to \$5.50.

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Serge and poplin suits of good quality, in navy and brown. Semi-tailored models for practical wear.

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An extensive array of attractive suits in tricotine, velour and serge. Coats finger tip to knee length, belted or straight. Navy and shades of brown.

Coats \$32.50

These coats are remarkable at this modest price. Materials are velour and serviceable mixtures, in green, brown, blue and Burgundy, half or fully lined. Flaring backs and big collars are features.

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Week-End Special of Georgette Waists \$5.50

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Plush Sailors

With Beaver Facing

250 of these clever hats to choose from. Black, brown, taupe and navy are the colors.

\$10.00
\$12.50 \$15

Velours

Ten different shapes shown in black, navy, brown, beaver and taupe.

\$10.00
\$12.50

Tremendous Sale Children's Hats

\$2.50 Regularly Priced \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.50 **\$2.50**

400 Sample Hats

Plain little hats suitable for school wear and every day, as well as the more dressy styles for Sunday and parties. Colors are blue, brown, navy and taupe.

There are just 400 of these hats. We bought them at about half price from a big jobber and so are able to pass the saving on to you.

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