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in a great cause.

WHO USED THE DAGGER?

President Wilson, here are some

ESPECTING the effort to throw

Lodge and his group expressed opfore the president went to Paris. They tence imposed by Judge Rossman yes- in The Journal straw ballot for the fought the idea through interviews terday, go to jail for 90 days. ators, came back with the second of bringing drivers back to sanity.

are not a ratification but a "nullifi- creased. cation" of the treaty. Who is in | There is more or less of mania in | silent when the Lodge crowd, on the power of a moving car. the dagger into the heart of the use of their cars as a penalty for treaty?

North Dakota, friend of the league, roads. That is the goal to be aimed said of the Lodge reservation on Shan- at. That is what is going to be done fectively disposes of it. tung, that he believed it equivalent to before this drive for safety ends. rejection of the treaty, and he believed it imperilled acceptance by all the other great powers.

Senator Harding, Republican, who supported the freaty with the Lodge reservations, but whose friendship tions there remains "the skeleton of in the bay, interrupted streetcar ator McNary further said: a league."

on article 10 that "it disposes of arti- hob, and yet we hear some people cle 10 so far as we are concerned, and effectively disposes of it."

These opinions are from expressions of Republican senators, all members of the foreign relations commitframed. They support what the president said. They indicate that the

Federal managers of the Great ticular section of it. earnings under abnormal conditions, the discharge of public duty. what should be the returns of the railroads that follow the water grade for recognition of the Columbia water grade.

## FIRES OF YESTERDAY

good. The admonition that Portof Portland and that hundreds of re- road men. enough to retain that cherished treas- offices will also continue in use. ure of independence which made them

and their employment, does anyone ground by saying that the public, lish parliament who are expressing sion of Congress with their hands upon now recall the breakfasts given other having tasted the advantages of con- dissatisfaction over the size of their the throttle of party power. fighting men at The Auditorium as solidated ticket offices and terminals

wives and sweethearts gathered there united sentiment upon the retention of to render a last service of love be- these war time innovations through- their demands were granted withfore their departure. City officials, out the days of peace. business men, fathers and brothers The public convenience of a comunited in fervid assurance that when mon purchasing point for all railroad they returned from the trenches vic- transportation as well as of a comtorious, nothing for their pleasure or mon point of arrival or departure for

victorious. They have earned the onstrated since the railroads were highest praise and the richest reward. taken under federal control that it They are worthy the best offerings passes without question. of honor and gratitude.

we are so willingly forgetful?

campaign. Today they stand neck and efficiency. and neck-but Oregon will win. Her to every appeal of our country won of the title inherited from his father, single month remains in which to ican blood and a few American dol-Elks lodges of the state have under- just to keep the mixture rich.

quota and every citizen should quickly respond to the solicitors. someone is overlooked by the solici-

HIS CAR IS JAILED

for a pledge card.

Portlander cannot drive his car Washington in the treaty fight. He

in French newspapers while the presi- Through The Journal recently Judge | Senator McNary's speech in the sendent was in the conference at Paris. Rossman advocated such a penalty, ate in favor of the league was exthe draft of the first covenant. They of approval. It is one suggestion he said: "The necessity of a cove- senate to complete nonaccomplishment, owing to the high handed way of dealing tions of responsibility, but naturally the fought it when the president, after in the present universal discussion nant containing the moral virility of embodying changes suggested by Mr. of automobile accidents that has been Article 10 is manifest." He added: Taft and even by the opposition sen- agreed to as a most effective means

fining drivers for years, only to see

that view, was it for him to remain of ignorance-ignorance of the deadly

in holding the Lodge reservations to do it. Along with the educative on his reservation, said in the senate Senator McCumber, Republican of land streets as safe as the country

> Then everybody can have an autoreckless or ignorant motorist.

service, blown down electric signs, This occasion is too serious for anger as the "mild reservationists." He had Mr. Lodge said of the reservation broken windows and played general sigh for "Frisco."

NEW HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER HE appointment of E. E. Kiddle as state highway commissioner president is still on guard, performing one. Although Mr. Kiddle has not out destructive changes. his constitutional duty as a part of acquired a state wide identification. The big part now, as Senator Mc- the resolution which placed the techthe treaty making power, and the with highway development he has Nary advised in his July speech, is main part, for he may submit or with- been prominent locally. His success to forget "anger or recrimination" and in the management of private affairs be "too big for partisanship." The He has defended the treaty against warrants the confidence that he will pro-Germans, the Bolshevists, the agithe Lodge reservations, which in the bring to the public service the same tators and the other discordant ele- ing the war was daily on his own lips, opinion of McCumber mean rejection, method and independence of action. ments, all clamoring against the in the opinion of Harding make it a There is also reason to be assured treaty, are not the real voice of Amerskeleton, and in the opinion of Lodge that he will not be governed by local ica. Presently the confusion will pass tors who have since sown hatred and dispose of article 10, one of its lead- influences but will always bear in away, and then all will know that hyphenism with every breath of their mind that he represents the whole the treaty meant disarmament, arbi- opposition to the League of Nations.

Northern are credited with the op- When the state highway commis- horrors and hellishness through which timistic report that the earnings of sion was first organized doubt was we have just passed. Then the people the line this year will be larger prob- expressed by some that a non-salaried will know who were true friends ably than in other years. If the commission could be maintained. Thus of the treaty and who were not. Great Northern, with its mountain far it has been proved that there are haul, its steep grades, its extra costs plenty of good men who will serve for transportation and its extra wear without any other compensation than riculture announces from Rome that human freedom was endangered and apon equipment, can report such large that of the satisfaction derived from the world has harvested bumper

Dr. Eugene Porter, state commisof the Columbia? If the revenues sioner of foods and markets of New Irish and the Chinese. and outlays of the lines that have York, has announced a new disserved Puget Sound and ports of the covery in science recently made by Columbia under federal control were him. He says that "hard cider with the strongest evidence yet educed make and more difficult to keep."

## JOINT TERMINALS

R. A. J. DAVIDSON, federal man- kitchens continues unabated. T'S an ill wind that blows nobody W & Seattle railway, believes that full measure and the frugal spirit and their unyielding opposition to the for the people to show their hand by land must cut coal consumption to by the railroads of the country under into our kitchens and there will be a minimum is a reminder that mil- government control will be retained less groaning over the grocery, meat Lodge, Knox, Johnson, Borah, McCorlions of cords of wood may be found when the properties are returned to and milk bills. within comparatively short distances private ownership. So do other rail-

manent employment would undoubt- terminals will be the rule rather than betrayer of careless culinary habits. edly be glad to aid in meeting the fuel the exception in the future. It is

Several months ago Louis J. Hill expressed the same idea, though he And, speaking of returned soldiers based his predictions upon definite

good would be withheld from them. | all those returning from or starting Now the boys are back. They are upon journeys has been so fully dem-

The extra cost and upkeep of separ-But there are more than a thousand ate terminals and ticket agencies is enrolled at Liberty Temple asking for part of the reason why many of the port of its position it adopted resoluwork. The number is being constantly railroads of the country have been running close to the financial danger Are they unwillingly idle because point. It is also one of the underlying causes for high freight and States senate and to all of the leading Oregon and Ohio are in a race for any return to the old practices will first place in the 1919 War Savings be a step in the direction of economy

## SENATOR M'NARY

If in the rush of the closing hours ENATOR M'NARY of Oregon believes that a compromise will be tors he should phone his Elks lodge | reached and the treaty be ratified some time in December, Such was his statement through The Jour-

Until the final vote, Senator Mcblame for killing the treaty on President Wilson, here are some DECAUSE he has figured in three Nary, as a leader of the mild reservationists, rendered excellent service at for the next six months. If he has all along been a strong appeal to position to a League of Nations be- does drive it he will, under a sen- the 28,005 Oregon people who voted

Here are other facts; President Wil- the accidents mount. The more we did purposes of the covenant or weaken tablish a budget system, readjust war In my opinion, if we were to gather son insists that the Lodge reservations fined, the more the accidents in- it so far as it affects our duties, it tariffs, settle the railroad problem, and up and hang every so-called dangerous land, consisting of 20,000 acres. When cannot be expected that other nations so on. strength and sublime heroism, is it not vation, rather beneath our ideals to ask special final vote, was in the act of plunging Depriving reckless drivers of the and the welfare and happiness of man- Republican senate in a presidential pri- of liberty and progress, free speech, free vestigation I found could be secured at kind are involved?

Senator McNary's contention was in

I think the people of the country un- ed it to Lodge tion means, that it disposes of Article that wise moderation which men call Commerce, etc., meet them there and was 50 cents an acre. To make a long again fell through and the whole project 10 so far as we are concerned, and ef- statesmanship. All the great "nation- refute their fallacies in public. Then let story short, the Hawaiian legislature was considered dead and ready to bury Here is complete disagreement be-

tween Senators McNary and Lodge. mobile and be free to drive it with- The Oregon senator's speech was a America's rights. Roft, out fear of being smashed up by some protest against any such destruction Hughes even drew the text of such res- lective judgment of the American peo- the title of lands the validity of whose of Article 10 as Lodge contended for. evations. It was an appeal against any man- are unquestionably bigger and wiser We read that San Francisco has handling of any part of the covenant men than he. He was ignominiously for the league is thoroughly Pick- had another earthquake shock, that to satisfy partisan aims or forward wickian, said that with the reserva- a 75-mile gale has sunk shipping personal likes or dislikes. Thus, Sen-

or recrimination, too big for partisan- the affront of having the very men who

The treaty is, as Senator McNary says, "too serious for anger or recrimination," and "too big for partisanship." Former President Taft says the same thing. So do Elihu Root the balance of power. He conciliated and Judge Hughes, all of whom dis- nobody. He made no votes. He lost of all institutions but its own, for the to succeed the late J. N. Burgess agree with the Lodge plan, all of votes for the position which he forced antichrist Wilhelm Hohenzollern and his is generally accepted as a good whom want the treaty ratified with-

The international institute of agfrom the colored population, the

## KITCHEN THRIFT

tabulated, the result would furnish a natural kick in it is difficult to THE day's news contains reports that Portland's living cost mounted half of 1 per cent in a month, that half of Idaho's scales underweigh and that waste from American have gone steadily forward like patri-

ager of the Spokane, Portland | Let the scales be made to weigh the lessons of economy learned of the French housewife be introduced German assault upon civilization.

As yet household economy in this country is more of a boast than a thing that America stood for in the turned soldiers who are awaiting per- In the opinion of Mr. Davidson joint fact. The garbage can is still a world war. It would be a good plan for houseemergency, at the same time earning probable that joint ticket and freight wives to divide time, equally, at least party in the great political arena of between complaining of costs and practicing the precepts of thrift.

The labor members of the Engparliamentary paychecks might they left for the front? Mothers, would insist by the pressure of its strike for higher wages and force from it by the votes of his own party.

out the country's insisting upon immediate return to maximum produc-

THEY SEEK PEACE

THE Danish Baptist general conference of America, which recently closed its annual national meeting at Viborg, South Dakota, wants peace and it does not want wants peace and it does not want of hysteria against radicalish that it does not want tions and instructed its recording secretary to forward copies of them to of free speech and free press have been the various members of the United practically annulled and freak laws pronewspapers of the United States.

clares itself to be in harmony with use the influence of their high office taneous and whole hearted response Viscount Astor could divest himself resolution invelghing against the establishment of universal military for her that honor will never per- the late William Waldorf Astor, the training the conference states that it be lending itself to the idea of action mit another state to wrest it from astute commoners probably thought desires to voice its sentiment against superior to the law. Lieutenant Colonel the efforts now being made to fix the practice upon the United States with these men, but go after them, and complete our task. The patriotic lars circulating through the nobility arguing that "it fosters the spirit of go after them hard." General Liggett militarism which has ruined Europe and brought calamity to the world" for which reason the conference "can effect. At the recent Ad club meeting not but deplore if our nation should a member of the legion is reported to drift in that direction

The "mild" reservationists ought to have realized that they could not Philander with the league without

NEW LEADER

## DEMANDED Lodge's Misfitness Demonstrated From

Within His Own Party

From the Chicago Post That is the result

tions or amendments to alter the spien- taxes, force economy in government, es- ing to such extremes.

better position to know? Holding motoring. There is a great deal more in this war and our overpowering fight to get a peace treaty with reser- the old order of things asunder and the analyzed it and found the soil rich in Now, that has failed, too. And the

mary year, is-nothing.

ton's small hatreds saw it and interpret-Lodge failed because of a lack of he believed essential to the guarding of disappear like the mist

Lodge rejected the advice of men who matter. defeated yesterday on the treaty that he presented to the senate, simply and solely because he would not or could line up with the moderates known their tracks and vote against the vil-

Taft.

lainous document which he presented as the Lodge treaty. Lodge gave the power over into the hands of the extremists. He made it possible for the little knot of irreconcilables at either end of the scale to turn his party to take. He was even outmaneuvered in a parlimentary sense nical responsibility for defeating the

In the process, too. Lodge did almost irreparable injury to the great cause of world peace and world unity, which duras well as upon those of Philander Knox, Medill McCormick, Hiram John-

The thing to which these men have of Eastern Oregon instead of a par- tration of international disputes and been untrue was phrased yesterday by permanent peace substituted for the General Jan Christian' Smuts of South hope of the world, the thing that Lodge once held sacred and now sneers at. "I appeal to America," said Smuts not to blast the hopes of the world.

She has shown herself in the war. capable of the highest altruism. When and the heathen of China. pealing hands were stretched out, America rose to the height of her great opportunity, shamed the cynics who bewhich ought to drive dull care away lieved she was merely bent on moneymaking and rushed whole-heartedly to rescue those great human ideals for which the allies were fighting.
"Her great act of unselfishness

moral idealism in the most critical stage of the war saved world democracy. the ranks?"

The great leaders have not hung be hind the ranks. But the small leaders see that President Wilson had done the have. The Tafts, Roots and Hughes right thing on everything within his otic Americans, seeking the safeguarding of their own country, but scrupu- ity is either politically blinded, dishonlously holding their honor to the allies est or a fool, and I think it is due time

everything of their moral obligation, whole people. mick, Sherman, Reed, La Follette, Gore Nations; they have also opposed every- duct. Then let us act ...

Again, in behalf of Republicanism. we demand a new leadership for the upon the League of Nations, the United States senate. Henry Cabot Lodge has led Republicanism into the ditch. We demand an end of the moderate Republicans in the mild reser-They have but to grasp it: Henry Cabot Lodge has had his hand removed

Letters From the People

[Communications sent to The Journal for pany the contribution.

Free Speech and the Laws

Portland, Nov. 27 .- To the Editor of The Journal-Just what is 100 per cent American? I ask the question in all sincerity, for in the present wild wave of hysteria against radicalism that is practiced. The fundamental principles practically annulled and freak laws proposed that if enacted and enforced will make it a crime to even propose a change in the present order of industry or govolunteered to work in the mines, one is in the present order of industry or gov-The conference in one resolution de- ernment. Press dispatches of this week tell of prevention by mobs of meetings the peace treaty and urges upon all of Socialists, Non-Partisans and others throughout the country, and not a word weeks the members of the senate that they of protest from any prominent paper. so far as I am aware. On the contrary, record in government financing When the English nouse of comsion that all are red revolutionists by

Roosevelt openly advocated this when he is reported to have said: "Don't argue is also reported to have said: "Just leave it to the legion boys; they will attend to these men," or words to that have voiced the same sentiments, and the Ad club itself seems to be in favor of this new and strange brand of Amer-

meeting some hard Knox or expecting to Lodge in a hole.

speech, free press, and the right of every man accused of crime to a fair and impartial trial. These funda-san Francisco. mental principles are the very foundation stones of our government and of all all progress toward that broader de- handicap. If he succeeds people are asked to announce my intention to build mocracy for which we fought and won apt to say he won out because he had a a railroad from San Diego to Yuma. The

dealing with radicalism is altogether sugar magnate, and I were discussing I would be able to secure rights of way, slice of thickly populated territory north wrong and un-American. Instead of this same fact recently in his office at terminal sites and land which they suppressing their papers, closing their San Diego. meeting places, mobbing their speakers, "I was superintendent of my father's 1910 E. H. Harriman came out to see of etc., they should have been met on their sugar refinery at San Francisco when I me and told me to go ahead and he Lodge's fight this session upon the own ground and their fallacies exposed was 22 years old," said Mr. Spreckels, and his company would take the road der quarantie at Spokane, and 29 cases treaty of peace. Bad leadership has in open forum so that the public might, "I was given the place because I had over as soon as it was completed and of diphtheria." Think of the promises with which the with them, thousands of people in every public thought I had the job because Harriman's word was good, so I put a party made its appeal against Mr. Wil- state in the union have been driven to I partisanship in the 1918 congress sympathy with their radical views, if not 1875, just 44 years ago. I decided to sional elections. Think of the program to actual membership in their organiza- make good on my own account, so I went as an amendment. We must not forget swered the country's vote of confidence, law and means of dealing with dan- sugar industry and to analyze the sugar that if we attempt by general reserva- Think of its definite promises to cut gerous and criminal persons without go- produced there and determine its value.

Red in the country it would but add to I inquired as to its value I was told will not follow our lead. Having dem- Not one of these things has been the present unrest. These things are ef- it was of little or no value, as the soil onstrated our altruism and usefulness done. All have been neglected for the fects and not causes. The big war tore was too poor to produce sugar cane. I problem is to adjust ourselves to the the necessary elements for plant growth. new conditions, but we cannot do this I knew that all it needed to make it privileges when the peace of the world net result of the session's work by a by destroying the very foundation stones productive was water, which press and action within just and right- a reasonable cost. I wrote my father. eous law.

The reason is clear. It was clear In conclusion, let me say that what to investigate the title. I found it was one. that agrees that the president is right ignorance, insofar as a penalty can reservation. Senator Lodge, speaking it, Hughes saw it, Hays saw it, Hay Republican leader whose eyes were not the auditoriums and schoolhouses in ing monarch was not of the direct line. That blew over, and once more I had the dimmed with the miasma of Washing- every part of the land. Invite the L. W. of descent from the royal family. We money in sight when Villa came across jured at Aberdeen Thursday when an W. and other radicals there to tell their hunted up the heirs of the former ruler story in public. Let your business men. members of the Ad club, Chamber of \$10,000 for their equity in the land. This suit was, als" in his party's high councils advised him to embody in fair and reasonable interpretative clauses the points which he believed essential to the guestion of the latter and the papers give a full warrant that every Red terror will not want the whole question of the land, as they did not want the whole question of the finally agreed to guestion of the finally agreed to guestion. and for I have an abiding faith in the col- court, with the possibility of clouding ple when they know the truth of the title deeds had not in the past been D. E. LUNSFORD.

## False to Their Trust

Portland, Nov. 25 .- To the Editor of The Journal-The traitorous work of certain members of the United States senate in fighting the league treaty has caused America to be termed the one slacker in the settlement of the peace had voted for his reservations turn in question. Contrary to the will of the great American majority they have cast contumely and censure upon our beloved country. After it has given the as well as vast wealth, to fight for the cause of freedom and peace to all the nations, it has been stricken by the policy of Hunism, for the destruction minions of militarism.

The traitorous workings of those senademnation of the only man that almost treaty on the shoulders of the G. O. P. sacrificed his life in the discharge of his duty. And they were elected by the people

per cent Americans. Perish such Americanism.

them back to their homes branded as OSBORNE YATES.

### A Patriot's Wrath Portland, Nov. 22 .- To the Editor of

in his appeal in behalf of the an American as well as an Oregonian, but I can't go to my work this morning without first venting my feelings toward a portion of our congressmen, a few years ago for wagons to cross by whose acts we as a people and as a the mountains from Central Oregon to administration by voluntary subscrip-America has established a great record nation have been brought into a classi- Eugene, traveling this same Willamette fication with the assassins of Germany pass, and returning later not only with against the levying of a tax. It was

an experience in the second along the same line and in 1916 we again were much closer than they are now. sacrificed our boys and our substance. It is true that in those days there was at the end we were made to rejoice. much.

Any man that could not or would not power to bring about early peace, universay democracy and lasting prosperstanding together and let just such fel-The small leaders have forsaken lows as Lodge know they are not the Give this act of Lodge quiet considera-

CITIZEN OF OREGON.

### A Not Improbable Trade Route From the Eugene Register

At first thought the assertion by Mr. Williams of La Pine, that many people of his section of Central Oregon would buy extensively in Eugene and other valley cities if there were a good road far fetched, for Central Oregon is a long

COMMENT AND NEWS IN BRIEF

SMALL CHANGE

lawn's early mist?

well qualified to "dig".

things the allies won't take from anybody.

Are you doing your Christmas shop-ping now? can you see through the past year, the Examiner says.

lowing a tour of Wasco county schools. It is reported that the big bull elk in the state fair grounds, which was to have been killed because of the ungovhave been killed Rather than have their families and ernable temper it has recently developed.

tempted to remark that they should be Lester Swagart, 17-year-old boy ing south of Spencer's Butte, has added to his reputation as a bear killer, ac- lad A well known political writer a few cording to the Eugene Register. He and veeks ago listed 38 presidential possi-August Vitus are on a hunt up the Medilities as looming above the political Kenzie river, and he has sent word that horizon; from which it is evident that he has killed one bear and expects to

You can follow the farm boy by You can follow the farm boy by Nature story from the Drewsey Piowatching his work, wherever he goes, watching his work, wherever he goes, neer Sun: "Floyd Capps shot a coyote
by the country of the control of the coyote by the control of the coyote by the coyote constitutional amendment. bully little editorial in the New York of town. He took Mr. Coyote by the A propose Sun on the dietetic potentialities of hind legs and swung him over his shoul-brown sugar that couldn't have been der and started down the hills for camplimitation written by anyone save an ex-farm boy. After traveling a short distance, he said who would now be about 45 to 60 years he felt something pulling his coat tail, old. And the best of it is that this and on throwing the coyote to the old chap doesn't seem to have ever been ground he found he had come to life anything since that seemed to hit the again and was trying to get him by

years of nerve-racking strain.

him to do so.

"I finally arranged to dispose of \$10,-

000,000 of bonds to English capitalists.

Before the deal was completed Huerta

refused to salute our flag and we sent an expedition to Vera Cruz to compel

Mexico caused the British capitalists to

withdraw their financial support, and

the whole world was plunged into war.

That was more than 'check,' It looked

"You know what happened, and how

the prices of materials and labor went

had to be drilled through solid granite.

Olden Oregon

Early Plan of Voluntary Taxation Did

established in the Oregon territory it

was planned to carry on the expense of

tion, so strong was the sentiment

draw his name from the subscription

well, and in 1844 the legislative commit-

tee passed a law levying a light tax.

Anyone refusing to pay the tax was

Hope in the Silver Lake Section

From the Bend Press

F. M. Chrisman, proprietor of the

Silver Lake stage line, who has been

in the city for three or four days past

reports business good in his section, and

states that prospects for development

were never better, irrigation interests

are looking up and the northern part of

Astronomical

From the Weston Leader

spectacle presented by the

brilliant

Carriso gorge.

speak. I don't know.

We had to drive 21 tunnels.

once more I was high and dry.

The threat of war with

# OF THE JOURNAL MAN

"Now I may be mistaken, but I still lin this second and concluding article relations in the old fashioned brand and ling to John D. Screekls and his enterprises, shorter than any other transcontinental from their injuries, making a total of speech, free press, and the right of as a rallroad builder in Southern California. e-tablishing sugar completion of the line means in the uplines out of building of San Diego.

spot like being that same farm boy.

be war.

To my mind the present method of large which we fought and won pull or secured credit because of his father's wealth. John D. Spreckels, the it was thought I was back of the road annex to Multnomah county a large

We have always had plenty of to the Sandwich islands to study the care to redeem the pledge made by Mr. "I ran across a large body of unused

"When we acquired this tract I was railroads. employed by the corporation that work. I finally convinced the authori- been given him for delivery. financed the deal to get water on the ties in Washington that the road was M. Slocum, a prominent fruit grower land, plant it to sugar cane, superintend essential to our success in transporting of the construction of a sugar refinery, and troops in case of trouble occurring in build a railroad line to market the Mexico, and they allowed me to promobile in which they were riding. When I had done this I de- ceed. product. cided to go into business for myself as a dealer and shipper of sugar. I decided to pay freight charges to myself, so I bought the little schooner Rosario, sky high. Later I built a vessel which I named and it turned but that 17 out of the 21 life blood of thousands of noble sons, for my father. Soon I had nine vessels flying my flag. Then I organized If you want to know something of the at a steamship company and operated two engineering problems we met and massteamships from San Francisco to Hono- tered just go down and take a look at I now operate the Oceanic line, my steamers plying from San Francisco November 15, we drive the golden spike to Honolulu, Samoa and Australia."

when Underwood forced him to move tors has brought shame to us in the eyes the completion of the San Diego & am hoping I will, but I don't know. The the wheels and was instantly of our noble allies and an unjust con- Arizona railway, but we got off the nearer the time comes the more scared track and on a branch line. Let's back I am at the thought of it. Maybe I will well this week, charged with being imup and get on the main line," I said. You wanted to know how long the completed road will speak for itself and road is, what it cost to build, and how for those who helped to build it. This because they thought they were 100 long it took to build it," said Mr. Spreck- one thing I will say, if ! do speak, and "It runs from San Diego to El that is that I doubt if any of us realizes els. Centro, in the heart of Imperial valley, what its completion will mean to the It is the duty of all Americans to de- It is 149 miles long. It connects with upbuilding and development of San the city. mand their impeachment and sending the Southern Pacific at Calexico. It Diego and the country through which should have cost about \$12,000,000. It the road passes."

way off. Yet the time is not very far distant in the past when Eugene ac-The Journal-I am a laboring man and tually did draw no little trade from across the Cascades.

It was quite the common thing only supply of Western Oregon fruit but provided that a subscriber might with-We read how we gained our freedom with a winter's outfit of supplies purfrom tyranny. Again, in 1861, we had chased here. There was a time when list at any time, after paying up all areffort Eugene's relations with Central Oregon rearages. The plan did not work very

to again regain this same peace and in- no railroad in all the great Eastern dependence. This was a success so far Oregon country, but neither, for that disqualified as a voter. as these efforts were concerned, and matter, was there an automobile. The railroads have tapped the country across And now, at this late hour, that one the Cascades, but at the same time the man or tyrant should stand in the automobile has cut down distances tre-Will the great leaders hang behind way of all humanism and destroy all mendously. When wagons were coming that was fought for and gained is too to the Willamette valley for winter supplies it was a trip of some moment, for it took days to cross the range. Now. however, the trip would mean little with a good road across the pass, for the automobile has made of trips that once took days a mere matter of hours.

### Take 'Em All From the Detroit News

Uncle Jeff Snow Savs:

spec'lators can reap harvests in the win- winter skies. Its arrival announces that a million pilgrims tour the holy wells around and play politics and play Sher- landscapes will soon prevail and that of the water to stock up their systems over the Willamette pass seems a little man's name for war is surely plumb the period of closed casements and sim- with the germs of every disease

OREGON SIDELIGHTS

Lakeview's postoffice is becoming seriously cramped for room owing to the large increase in business during the master White states a blockade is likely

Now that we have been assured again and again that the United States is prepared to act in Mexico, we may expect soon to learn that the U. S. has acted. to occur during the holidays. The Antelope, Shaniko, Maupin and Mosier high schools have been chosen by Carlton, assistant state superintendent of public instruction, recommendation for standardization, The Germans are complaining that

may be allowed to live because of the

either a lot of this looming has got to bag more. stop, or the loomers will have to send vicinity of out and get some more horizon. cicinity of his home previous to this

# IMPRESSIONS AND OBSERVATIONS

The son of a rich man has a heavy head of the Southern Pacific I was settled by arbitratic andican. If he succeeds people are usked to appear Pacific I was paying Moore \$3400.

would have difficulty in securing. up through the different post- would make good on every expense and lot of money into it. Like a boit out of the blue came the news of Mr. Harriman's death. His successor did not Harriman. I had to take it over on taken 12 years to complete the road-

recommending its purchase. He told me was the third check, and it was a serious blood-and paid ico to get him, alive or dead. The reof the morning, ownership of crown lands brought into Just as I was ready to le' the contracts brought into question.

back all the reds ordered out of America every day and considerable property by Uncle Sam. Thanks, ol' top, and may has changed hands during the present tion. Think of the disgrace and shame we not suggest you also accept, with year. The people of that section have have not only opposed the League of and trouble brought about by his con- our compliments, the chap who thinks faith that the Strahorn railroad will be When such gov- he must tell you a funny story every completed within the next two years and ernment arises as would impair domes- time he sees you, the one who wants to Silver Lake will be on the main line. tic tranquillity let us arise and abolish argue with you about his superior way Then let us as Oregon people de- of brewing, the person in the next flat mand of the senate to act favorably who insists on playing last year's jazz pieces with a dull needle and the motorist who honks his horn just to make you It will help a lot.

mering fleshpots is at hand.

OREGON NOTES Five blocks on Main street in Hermiston are being graded and graveled.

"Aunt" Jane Veatch, who had made her home at Cottage Grove died in that city Thursday. A permit has been issued at Pendle-

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Northwest Happenings in Brief Form for the

ton to F. F. Cary for the erection of a \$30,000 apartment house. It will contain 15 apartments. An election will be held in Enterprise early in December to vote on the issu-ance of \$170,000 worth of bonds for

public imprôvements. E. A. Ferguson, an experienced mildiately the construction of a 60 barre flouring mill at Ontario Jesse Strong, a 14-year-old boy, was

arrested at Newport charged with steal-ing \$120 from the residence of Otto Holgate. The money was found on the Hy winning in the stock judging contest at the Live-stock exposition in Portland last week,

the team earned prizes amounting to

project have decided to pool their or-ders for approximately 8000 pounds of

extending the highway indebtedness limitation from 2 to 4 per cent will be filed in the office of the secretary of state next week. A new college telephone exchange has

been established at Oregon Agricultural colleg. It includes 151 phones and ex-tensions connecting up all the offices in the college plant. O. H. Reeder has been elected presi-

dent and John F. Herr cashier of the new Athena State bank, which will open for business as soon as the safe and

The condemnation suits growing out of the state highway commission surveying a road through the dairy farm of T. H. Moore at Tillamook have been of the state highway "When E. H. Harriman was at the

It is reported that a movement will

ation, the commission

### WASHINGTON Fifty-three cases of smallpox are un-

Sheriff David Yates seized 29 harrels of wine, with five Ital

The car famine on Grays Harbor is

the most acute in years being received at Abmy own account and finance it. It has to try the I. W. W. suspects held in the county jail.

> names were added, making the total enrollment 751. The Good Government league at Yakima is planning the recall of Mayor H. M. Gilbert, unless he is willing to appoint a new police chief.

In a drive by the Walla Walla Com-

mercial club for membership, 400 new

The Spokane Cattle company has disposed of its 10,000 acre Wisdom ranch to John Herman of Kalispell, Mont., the consideration being \$455,000. The distinction of organizme the first ing now practically completed C. Keyser was fatally in-Mrs. M.

automobile in which she was riding urned over on the street, pinning Jackson Draper was arrested at Walla

The laying of two keels for the big like 'checkmate.' Soon we were in, too. Seattle, is under arrest charged and the government had taken over the withholding from the mails a Herbert W. Davies, a mail carrier of Seattle, is under arrest charged with

We were told to stop all containing Monitor, and his 17-year-old

IDAHO Enrollment in the Boise high school W. H. Stober, yardmaster of the Camas Prairie ratiroad, is under arrest Lewision, charged with criminal syndicalism.

oners have been incarcerated in the Well, next Saturday, of any previous six months. to commemorate the completion of the While reaching for apples on a As president and builder of the "We started this talk by referring to road, I am to make a few remarks. I of J. R. McCoy of Twin Falls, fell under James Delaney was arrested at Cald-

> house. The Boise chapter of the Red Cross has begun a series of lessons in first aid. To date 27 have enrolled for the aid. course, among them several employes of

> Moscow's three banks have on deposit \$2,386,000, the largest on record despite one of the driest seasons and the shortest crop in the history of the Idaho will contribute \$4000 to a \$40 -

# 500 fund to be raised by the 13 western states for the purpose of placing before congress the needs of the West in re-gard to irrigation projects and money oans to finance them.

GENERAL Licutenant General Hunter Liggett, ommander of the first American army France has added his name to San rancisco post American Legion. A new sleeping record was estab-

lished at New York Friday by Mrs.

Dora Mintz, whose long periods of un-consciousness new total 51 days. inter-allied commission The stopped hostilities between the Lithuanlans and the Germans and Russians by directing the combatants to retire to the demarcation line of October 30.

Curious Bits of Information For the Curious

Gleaned From Curious Places

as a stock and farming country, the devout Indian pilgrim would care to latter of course depending largely upon drink of the sacred wells, for custom the fruition of irrigation hopes, which says that flowers must be fluing into seem about to be realized. Newcomers most of them as peace offerings, and Soviet Russia announces it will take are looking over the country nearly these decayed floral offerings tend to make the water unfit for drinking. The most holy of the wells is the Well Knowledge, which stands Benures' most sacred shrine, the Golden

> Temple, and is said to be the dwelling place of a very important god. The most mysterious is the Well of Fate. Any one who looks into the Well of

the norning sky. At night the dazzling spirit of healing. Pilgrims not only constellation Orion fascinates all be- drink of the water of this well, but also holders, being in the center of the galaxy bathe in it to make sure of the water With the peace treaty held up, the that marches in procession across the power being transferred to them. Half The way statesmen can fuss the outdoor season is past, that winter of Benares every year and drink enough

Lake county is coming into prominence also the city of holy wells. Only the

Fate exactly at noon and falls to see his shadow is said to be doomed to die Early risers are delighted with the within six months. In another well a snake god lives, planets Venus and Jupiter appearing in and still another is dedicated to the