

The Oregon Countr

West Happenings in Brief Form Busy Reader

OREGON NOTES
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Officers for the ensuing year were elected at the annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce. Propositions are being circulated to put on the ballot a vote for a \$1,000,000 bond issue. The city of Newport has declined the county court its share of the tax, which amounts to another \$100,000.

stitutions to place the name of the Lodge on the Republican ballot. The president are being circulated.

The Salem Ministerial association is on record as opposed to the

the Northwestern highway section of the American Association of Highway Engineers will hold its quarterly meeting at St. Paul, Minn., April 10.

he total amount of fees received by county clerk of Baker county was \$934.05.

R. Scott of Albany and S. [unclear] agent of Linn county, [unclear] as a premium list comm [unclear] Linn county fair.

members of the state irrigation commission have gone to county to investigate the War other irrigation districts. at least nine sawmills will be

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WASHINGTON

Three concrete paving contracts for \$379,251, have been awarded to highway commission.

Wheat growers of Washington who will meet at Spokane to discuss continuation of the price guarantee.

The state land commission is authorized to acquire five-acre tracts in various parts of the state for use as game preserves.

The district convention of the Oddfellows, which will be attended by state and national officers, will be held at Raymond April 14.

The recent cold snap in the valley was followed by

The Musicians' union of Central America has announced that it will not be affiliated with the Central Labor council and under conditions will not do so.

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A bulletin issued by the department of agriculture lays stress on the danger threatening fruit orchards from

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The Elks of Burley are pr
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The state athletic commission moved in principle the proposed

Gertrude Shoemaker, representative of Idaho at the Southwestern conference declamatory contest at college, was the winner of

Unable to meet obligations the state has begun to register tax payments the war pays employees and contracts warrants bear 6 per cent interest. Governor Davis will appoint a commission of Education.

How The Journal Works To Abolish Absurd

Costly Port Customs

cludes that part of Washington along the north shore of the Columbia river. In former days, loaded with lumber cargo, was about to sail for Vancouver, Cathlamet, Kalama, Bawa or Knappton. It was

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The chief office of the Oregon district in Portland and the station at Astoria respond promptly to calls from the north shore. But only a few will ever

extent and the resourcefulness of the effort put forth to bring about change and thus serve the people of the Columbia.