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Disappointment to the nurse of wisdom .- Sir Bayle Roche.

THE CHIEF DESTRUCTIONIST?

ment and consequently whitewash-FOLLOWING his nomination for ed Director Thomas. Except for United States senator, Robert the dissenting vote of Mr. Shull, M. La Follette is stigmatized by the the school board adopted those rec-Oregonian as the "chief destruc- ommendations and whitewashed tive radical" and the Republicans Director Thomas. In his own stateof Wisconsin are referred to, as a ment, Mr. Edmondstone practically "peculiar population." The Ore- admits that the things charged gonian also says of the Wisconsin against the properties department Republicans who voted for Senator were true, and in his remarks to the La Follette that they are largely board, after the reading of the Edmade up of "Socialists, pro-Ger- monstone letter, Director Thomas mans, radicals, of all stripes and makes practically the same admisthe wets of his state?" sion. It is to be hoped that no such

The latest figures on the Wiscon- blunder will ever be repeated by a sin Republican primaries give La Portland school board. Follette 335,523 and his opponent It is highly probable that in his 132,879. This is a very heavy vote administration of the properties defor La Follette, and by comparison, partment, Mr. Edmondstone was didate.

Such an appraisal as the Oregonian makes of La Follette is, of were to hazard a guess as to what course, a matter of the paper's young people should do to avoid viewpoint. It is a view of things in temptation it would be to get a job Wisconsin which any American and work at it so hard that temptacitizen or any American newspaper tion would not exist for them." has a perfect right to hold. It is a Edison's formula he has tested. view that is held by a very consid- There is no reform measure that erable number of people in Amer- can compare with hard work. ica. Perhaps the ratio of the Republicans who hold that view to and women. There would be fewer these who hold a different view is sentences to hard labor if hard reflected in the Wisconsin vote work were premitted to keep people where 335,000 Republicans voted free of trouble. for La Follette and but 132,000 for his opponent.

Under the circumstances to say that La Follette is the "chief destructive radical" and that the pop- ered her three children against atulation of Wisconsin is "peculiar" tack with her body, was shot and is a statement to which the larger left for dead, and her children the handicap imposed by her high. body of Republicans will not agree. taken away as mascots by the sol- encircling mountain wall she will Instead of being the "chief destruc- diers? How she struggled back to do it. If Portland would continue tive radical" a large majority of the life and then, existing on grass, the permanent benefit of her hard American people would say that La stems and an occasional crust, she won justice she will show quite as Follette-always barring his mis- was able to beg, wandered league much aggressiveness in every reerable war record-is one of the after league looking for her ba- lated phase of the commerce in chief constructive statesmen of his bies? How it seemed that among wheat and flour as Seattle does and

ership, the state of Wisconsin has last she found her children in a in profits. perhaps the most equitable tax sys- blazing tower, their baby faces, untem in America, Public utility laws, conscious of danger, smiling among modeled and passed through the in- the flames? How suddenly the fluence of La Follette in Wisconsin, arch enemy became the savior of have been used as models for utility her little ones and by incredible

HAVE you noted the latest in through the Portland and Salem newsthrough the Portland and S legislation in every state in the bravery got the tots to the ground astute press agent pictured the its most practical and most con- Real life occasionally furnishes a presented the bareback rider in the

La Follette has not been able to released in its cruelest form by the has amassed. make a corresponding headway in potions he drank and which he had But "them days is gone forever. ways been dominated by the reac- rifle he murdered the official rep- bar in her itinerant boudoir. We tionary minority whenever the Reresentative of the United States explore the depths of the trunk John Orr. Moonshirers and bootleggers for another drowning before the city publican party has been in power. government, widowed a frail little which contains all the wardrobe It was that domination that split woman in an installment home on and half the home of the fair the Republican party in 1912. It the outskirts of Portland and or- equestrienne. We are introduced was that domination that accounts phaned three helpless babies. for the nearly three to one vote for As if this blow were not enough, circus girls and, thus, learn some- the circuit court docket and many La Follette by the Republicans of a creditor sought out the sobbing thing of the social activities which, his own state in what is perhaps mother and made summary demand out of public gaze but with perfect the most wonderful vote of confid- for payment of a bill. A merchant propriety, go on beneath the shelence and approval ever given a demanded knowledge as to where ter of the big top. senatorial candidate in American the money would come from before Animals, too! Once we looked

expression of the great living mass dow all the world should seem un- never were seen in just such form. in Wisconsin who, like the great feeling? mass in the other states, are groping for that true America which will sometime come and in which newspapers had carried the report the circus menagerie. We learn there-will be more of that social of the tragedy to their readers. The their names, their likes and dis-

ette has long striven and for the at- pierced by the cordial rays of hutainment of which he has given all man sympathy. within his power.

I WAS A FOOL

OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, A CON-

The "Mr. Thomas" referred to is

Director Thomas of the Portland

school board. Mr. Edmondstone

was until recently superintendent

Some months ago charges were

of properties of the school district.

ment and a committee was named

by the board to investigate. The

head of that committee was Direc-

tor Thomas. At the time. The Jour-

nal pointed out to the school board

and to the public that it was a case

of Director Thomas investigating

functions of my department," that

mondstone. Director Thomas actu-

ally dominated the properties de-

Thomas sat as chairman and di-

rected the proceedings of the in-

vestigating committee, Director

Few such spectacles occur. For

such a farce to be enacted in the

livery of the public schools is a

travesty on the public school sys-

Director Thomas and his commit-

tee made recommendations which

whitewashed the properties depart-

more sinned against than sinning

Thomas A. Edison says, "If I

whether for boys and girls or men

IN REAL LIFE

Director Thomas.

DOWN THE MORALE OF

FORCE.

Kindness resides in the majority of hearts. It is only the greedy few Nebraska corn and visitors in that at times misrepresent hu-Southern California are reported to be suffering from the heat, but so far as Oregon is concerned "there

BOOZE DESPERADOES

THAT if the sheriff of Polk county had been called into the case by Dr. Linville, state prohibition officer, the tragedy at New stone in his letter to the Grande Ronde would have been averted, is directly charged by the I have reason to believe Mr. Thomas to be a good machinist, but in the Dallas Itemizer in an article on this technical field, and as a builder, his page. The article also resents the knowledge is very limited, and his continual interference with THE EXECUTIVE FUNCTIONS OF pant in Polk county, and quotes a MY DEPARTMENT WAS A SERIOUS signed statement by Dallas clergy-DETRIMENT TO THE INTERESTS men commending the effective law STANT ANNOYANCE TO MYSELF enforcement activities of Sheriff AND MY EMPLOYES AND BROKE OFF.

In view of the statement of the ministers and the Itemizer, it is tion officer should have asked for an Indian. Most of the traits of the race still remain in spite of the white man's civilization. The experienced sleuth, familiar with Indian character, is most likely to be successful in dealing with cases like that at New Grande Ronde

Experience in these latter days has enced, well trained and highly

phaned if only officers thoroughly experienced in the strategy of the and bootleggers. The business is no child's play, as Thomas was, in fact, investigating gun fights and killings all over the

country are abundantly proving.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD

SINCE July 1 Seattle acknowledges the receipt of 824 cars of wheat, Tacoma of 1130 and Portland 2829 or \$65 cars more than both the Puget sound ports combined.

It should also be noted Portland's surplus over both cities is greater than Seattle's total reshipments is only beginning. Does the average Portland citi-

cent rate differential granted by the federal body for the benefit of Portland, Vancouver and the zone selfishness will rule. Not long will south of Snake river, which among it be a happy or a safe community south of Snake river, which among other commodities produces up to 15,000,000 bushels of wheat annu-

long contest initiated by this news- in the car, or swinging light-heartedly paper which resulted first in long toward the golf links for his 18 holes, deferred recognition of the Columbia water grade and second, as was scores of ways. The very building. predicted, in a new Portland su- which he may never enter, reminds premacy in wheat receipts, flour him of interests and obligations which, milling and wheat and flour ex-

But Portland's justly awarded advantage is not to be held uncontested. Seattle plans absorption of the differential in her wharfage charges. A preliminary move in you let it speak-that you need the this direction already has been great fact with which it is supremely made. The seaboard cities of the Northwest live largely by the commerce originated in the interior and failed too often to relate their faith the golden tide of grain means in God to life; still it remains true that, wealth to the cities that get the tains in the community the only prolittle mother? How she cov- business.

Seattle understands this clearly. If by any effort she can overcome all humanity there was only cold, she will not hesitate to make the As a result of La Follette's lead- hard, grasping cruelty? How at producers of the interior partners

### UNDER THE BIG TOP

union. Under La Follette's leader- and safety, but at the cost of the trapezist in the length of her leaps The savagery of the aborigine was of money that by hook or crook he

at second hand to the chaperon of

he would supply food. Would it upon roadside lithographs showing color and immensity outside a fusel But behold the transformation oil-hasheesh dream. Now we meet worked within a few hours after in the publicity the individuals of

The Oregonian's denunciation of La Foliette is a true reflection of the opinion of that smaller wing their members. Individu-

attractiveness. It is altogether the most forward step in show publicity since the days of Barnum. But one can't help surmising that the bright idea

was born in reaction to the affairs at Hollywood. CLOSE CHURCHES AND SEE WHAT

It Would Not Be Long Until the People Would Reopen Them-It Is the Only Organized Expression of Faith That Man Is Something More Than the Physically Perishing.

WOULD HAPPEN

From the Chicago Evening Post Bernard Shaw recently expressed the to close up all the churches. This Shavian view, put barely, will occasion small surprise, perhaps. Not a few people are talking today as if they thought churches had outlived their usefulness and might as well be closed. Many are acting as though they had been-that is to say they are ignoring the open door to worship; the church plays no conscious part in their lives. But Bernard Shaw did not leave his statement of opinion without elaboration, and the significance of it lies in the reason he gave for it. If all the churches were to be closed,

he said, in substance, it would not be ong until the people felt the need for them so intensely that they would demand their reopening. This is strong testimony from an impartial observer to the essential importance of religion for the individual and society. It is strong testimony to the need for some and to adjust itself effectively for its children as well as the munity. How long would they care to aside for a type absolutely safe in

losing the organized activities of wor- borhood would be the height of ual values; in those values which, for faith, are summed up in God, and which, experience has proved, can be conserved only as God retains some will be a loosening of restraints, crumbling of standards, demoralization of conduct. The sense of social responsibility will disappear. Unbridled

source of this influence. The man who passes its open door on a Sunday, off with the family for an all-day outing is the beneficiary of this influence. in his heart, he knows to be vital to his happiness and peace. It is rather dishonest to accept all

that the influence of the church means school board knows this. in the community's life and give no service to it. It is stupid to be indifferent to its message when your soul tells you+if

concerned. Granted that the church speaks haltingly and imperfectly God; granted that its adherents have with all shortcomings, the church mainganized expression of faith that man is something more than the physically perishing, and that life is something bigger than the senses can measure. From that faith has come the best of our inheritance in this America we love. It is the imperishable essence of every ideal and institution of liberty and justice we possess.

#### Polk County Is Not Lawless

Moonshine Tragedy Could Have Been Averted if County Authorities Had Been Advised.

From Polk County Itemizer. Statements emanating mainly from he office of Federal Prohibition cleanest county in the state in the matbeen more energetic or conscientious in enforcing the prohibition laws than themselves will testify to that effect. Up to the present instance Polk coun-

ty has not had a murder case to n more than eight years. Few criminal cases of any kind are ever on terms of court go by without the grand jury being called. The county jail is often vacant for months at a time. It is not to be denied, however, that carried on in this county, but whenever nformation sufficient to warrant action is placed in the hands of the offiinvariably cooperate with the officers up occasionally to keep us and impose stiff sentences on convicted. It is a disgrace to the city.

No class of people are quicker, gen-

of the Republican party which als poured in their gifts. A bene-blocks the way to that better bal-anced order toward which La Foll-clouds of shock and grief were Reassured by accounts of person-Orr and his deputies efficient officers ally wholesome living the whole and conscientious in their circus atmosphere takes on a new to keep moonshining, bootleggings, cambling and other forms of vice at a minimum in Polk county.

> REVAA. L. LONSBERRY, Pastor Evangelical Church, C. F. TRIMBLE. Minister Christian Church.

> JOHN E. YOUEL, Pastor Presbyterian Church. FRANK JAMES. Pastor Methodist Church.

Pastor Methodist Church.

In connection with the alleged violations of the liquor jaws in the vicinity

American money-maker.—Ann Arbor of Grand Ronde, it should be remembered that that town lies close to the Polk-Yambill county line. In fact, old Polk-Yamhill county line. In fact, old the rent they now pay would indicate Grand Ronde is in Yamhill and new that they are buying it on the install-Grand Ronde is in Polk.

Had Dr. Linville and his officers seen fit to consult with Sheriff Orr and had invited his cooperation cleaning up the "awful conditions" alleged to have existed in this county, instead of trying to take all the glory to themselves there would have been fatal shooting at Grand Ronde. Officers dealing with Indians should know Indians and the local conditions that surround them.

### Letters From the People

[Commun'eations sent to The Journal for rublication in this department should be writ-ten on only one side of the paper, should not exceed 300 words in length, and must be signed by the writer, whose mail address in full must accompany the contribution.] in glowing ember.-Detroit News. HOLLADAY SCHOOL

orector Woodward Argues for a Two
Story Building.

Portland, Sept. 7.—To the Editor of blow.—Kansas City Star. Director Woodward Argues for a Two The Journal-Editorial statements in a

morning paper say:

"One story school buildings are cheaper, they look better, they are more up to date in every respect and there is far less danger to the children if fire should break out."

strong testimony to the need for some Is this true? With the same interest Johnson of Pendleton. Is this true? With the same number mpulses and aspirations of men; some a one story building requires twice the risible and audible reminder of God area, twice the roof space and where The remedy which Shaw proposes for land is expensive the increased cost and bond broker of Boise, Idaho, is M. O. Reeves and family of Walla ndifference to the church, and, inci- on this score becomes a heavy item, among the guests of the Multnomah. dentally, for the failure of the church which six members of the school board o get at the cause of the indifference, have in mind for the sake of the removal, is too drastic for adoption. There is no fire hazard as to the pro- land. But it would be a wholesome thing posed Holladay school. The heating for many people who now omit the plant is apart from the building and church from the ordering of the week- construction will be of the slow burny program, and who think it has no ing type. The writer shares with other value for their lives, if they would members of the school board a wish take a few minutes to reflect upon for completely fireproof buildings. This, what the complete elimination of the however, in view of the present state what the complete elimination of the nowever, in the will have to be laid Hedin of Wapinitia. live in a neighborhood where there two-story building. A morning pa- Charles Snyder of North Ber was no voice raised for God? per alleges bad faith on the part of transacting business in Portland. the school board. To place a cheap

It would be not merely a matter of shack building in a residential neighship and benevolence, the stimulated faith to taxpayers and parents alike. interest in things that make for de-cency, security and welfare—this loss valuable ground rather than condense would be serious and soonest felt. But into a two-story structure would be there would be a greater loss, less obvious at first, but in the long run in an interview has stated that Holla-tragic—the loss of an influence upon day is a decadent district. This is not even upon the life of the non- so. The Holladay school had last year churchgoing and indifferent, which some 500 children and the district is radiates from any group of men and steadily growing. The committee of romen who believe sincerely in spirit- which Mr. Shull was chairman last year recommended a 15-room building, inadequate to properly house the children in that section. will not construct a building which will conserved only as desired and source of this influence opened. A group seeking to prevent Grande are visiting in Portland. from a community and inevitably there the erection of a new building is acting unfairly in this matter and proposing impossible substitutes. One, H. E. Boesch of Forest Grove. that the present Holladay park site shall be used, as though the city would, if it legally could, give up the one park in this district for school purposes or convert it into a playground. And the church is the center and school board, without a dissenting vote, is committed to the creation of a suitable site for the Holladay school, involving the vacation of two intersect streets, giving an area of approximately five acres. The constructive plan of the board has now been held up, parents are exasperated and the children of that section suffering by reason of selfishness of those who are seeking to block the board. The program set out by the school board in its pamphlet of May makes clear that changes from time to time will no doubt be necessary and every member of the

William F. Woodward, Director. PUBLIC SAFETY ENDANGERED Portland, Or., Sept. 7 .- To The Edigerous condition existing in some of

nets across the court at intervals of surrounded the court would not be killed. In many buildings the shafts around which the stairways are built are open and unprotected for a dozen or more stories. It is a well known fact that persons looking down from a great height are more or less affected by dizziness and itable to lose their balance. It seems to be the custom ficer Linville and given publicity to lock the stable door after the horse dampest and most lawless in the whole with high fences and railings and other state. Quite the contrary is true. Peo- safety precautions. These are just as ter of law violation of all kinds, and lazy to close the safety gates. I use good purpose if closed while the boat

employes will at least make use of what safety appliances they are furnished with? It would cost no more to shut the safety gates than to leave J. E. Harvey. them unused. DISGRACEFUL MARKET ROAD Portland, Sept. 8 .- To the Editor o The Journal-Could you be interested some moonshining and bootlegging is and helpful in obtaining a three-inch paved road where all the produce is brought to the city? We, the truck drivers, are not allowed to use the Ter-The vote for La Follette is the have been surprising if to the witangled aggregations of beasts that cers they act promptly and without williger boulevard, but must take the
spression of the great living mass dow all the world should seem unnever were seen in just such form, hesitation. The courts of the county Slavin road, which the county patches up occasionally to keep us guessing. taxes and they ask us to vote for fair. I hope that not an owner of a erally, to criticise the officers of a city truck, nor a driver will vate for the of county for laxity in law en fair until that road is promised to be justice for which Theodore Rooseveit appealed and in the hope of
securing which he led the Rough. securing which he led the Repub- pockets. His former comrades in their chalky masks and answer roll of this county for not doing their next man left to pick it up and this lican party into the great split of national defense took charge of the call by name and character. Thus these people. To the contrary, the foliats. A fine county road! Will you

# COMMENT AND NEWS IN BRIEF

SMALL CHANGE SIDELIGHTS

What a peaceful old world this would be if it wasn't inhabited.—St. Joseph News Press. A Portland woman complains that her husband is a human iceberg. Strange that so many couples reach Ford says he is not "bluffing." Henry will have to shut down or shut up.—Columbia, S. C., State. that glacial period of matrimony.-Eugene Register.

Taxpayers remind us of game fish They put up an excellent fight, but they start it after swallowing the And now it seems a receivership is "The Only Way" for the Chicago & Alton.—Philadelphia Record. hook.-Medford Mail-Tribune.

If somebody could only figure out a way by which that bonus would be pald by the war profiteers, there wouldn't be any trouble about it.—Albany Democrat.

The meek may inherit the earth, but Again Stefansson strikes a blow at Arctic romance. He says the age of exploration is over in those parts, and the age of commercial development at "Sympathy Blamed for Crime Inhand. Where can a poor explorer go from here?—La Grande Observer.

This is the month of state and county fairs, roundups and various other amusements for the populace. And it will not be long before some fellow will start the buy early propaganda for Christmas.—Roseburg News-Review. A Canadian committed suicide by cutting his throat, shooting and hang-ing himself. There's a hint for the die-hards.—Little Rock Arkansas Gazette.

Figures from the department of com merce show that Oregon ranks fifth among all the states in length of life; in the words of Governor Withycombe, "Oregon is a great state." The people not only live long but they usually live comfortably and that is one reason for Manufacturers announce many new creations in synthetic fur, but the pub-lic is conserving its enthusiasm for the appearance of the first synthetic longevity.—Pendleton East Oregonian.

They are trying to have a gasoline tax of 1 cent a gallon declared uncon-stitutional up in Washington. Down A Wichita woman, sued for divorce, here in Oregon a 2 cent tax is never questioned, because we've got so inured to being taxed from every angle that lost her husband but retained custody o being taxed from every angle that is accepted as a matter of course.—

MORE OR LESS PERSONAL Random Observations About Town

Among recent arrivals from east of | Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Boyden of Pendlethe Cascades are Mr. and Mrs. J. F.

Harry K. Fritschman, a real estate

Times News.

Gazette.

ment plan.-Indianapolis Star.

crense. And charity is the cause poverty. Can you name the other sev deadly virtues?—St. Paul Dispatch.

John Tait, the laundryman of As-

taxpayers. toria, is transacting business in Port-Thomas B. Kay of Salem was a Portland visitor Friday.

> Denton G. Burdick of Redmond among out of town visitors. Among out of town visitors is W. G.

at the Imperial. Charles Snyder of North Bend Dr. A. M. Knapp of Grants Pass is

visiting in Portland. A. S. Hunt of Vale is among out of town visitors. W. E. Willins of Condon is taking in

the sights of the metropolis. Another Portland visitor from Condon is Ralph Bennett.

Transacting business in Portland H. Shelley of Bend. Mrs. Joseph Carty and daughters of

Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Douglas of La Transacting business in Portland is

Heppner are guests of the Imperial.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rankin of Astoria are among out of town visitors.

L. V. Rex of Eugene was among the arrivals of Friday. G. W. Perry of Condon is among visitors from Gilliam county.

Among visitors in Portland is W. J.

ton are among the guests of the Portland. Among out of town visitors are Dr.

Walla. Astoria citizens spending Friday in

Portland included B. F. Stone and R. D. Pinneo. Herbert P. Welch of Lakeview is among out of town visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Perkins of Baker are among recent arrivals in Portland. Sanford Adler of Baker is registered

S. Jacobs of Klamath Falls is transacting some business in Portland,"

Among out of town visitors is H. G. Euders of Ashland. Fred C. Pell of Corvallis is among recent arrivals from the country.

Among out of town visitors is J. Nelson of Hillsboro.

R. C. Magarell of Tillamook is transacting business in Portland. Coming to Portland on business Friday was E. Large of Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Kirkpatrick of Lebanon are visiting in Portland. Among out of town visitors are O. C. Henkle and family of Bend.

R. Neal of Dufur is registered at one of the leading hotels. James E. Smith of Bend is among out of town visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clifford of Albany are visiting in Portland. Alfred C. Schmitt of Albany is a

S. S. Snoegrass of La Grande is

# OBSERVATIONS AND IMPRESSIONS OF THE JOURNAL MAN

By Fred Lockley

Mrs. Flavel continues the story of her husband. Captain George Flavel, who played a prominent part in the upbuilding of Astoria and navigation at the mouth of the Columbia.

Captain George Flavel was a man he was in command of the Goliah," who could master fate. Other men said Mrs. Flavel "He boarded at our tor of The Journal-There is a dan- had equal opportunities but he made hotel and boarding house here in Asgerous condition existing in some of the most of his and bent conditions to teria. I married him when I was 14 his profit. The making of money is no years old—that was 68 years ago. After there are courts or open spaces sur-test of good citizenship, very often it is the Goldhunter was sold he bought the rounded by railing far too low for pub-the exact reverse. In spite of the fact schooner California which was lying lic safety. In one building, for ex- that Captain Flavel left an estate in the Golden Gate and brought h ampie, a low railing reaching but little valued very conservatively at \$1,900. Astoria for use as a pilot boat. on the bar after he had retired.

Captain Flavel was born in Norfolk. Va. When he was still a very young band built the tug Astoria in accepting length, from Dallas to Falls City man he came to the Pacific coast in ance of the offer by the state to give and extending to the timber east of command of the Petty, anchoring in the a bonus of \$30,000 to anyone who the Siletz Indian reservation. stream off the little village of Portland would maintain and operate a steam where he disposed of his cargo and tug on the bar for a period of five sailed for San Francisco. After trying his luck in the mines, he returned to San Francisco and was given comto to San Francisco and was given comto to San Francisco and was given comto the state circuit court. San Francisco and Sacramento. In my husband took in A. M. Simpson 1850 he signed on as mate and pilot and to an extent retired from active Grand Ronde Sunday morning, do Polk protected shafts and is killed, the of the famous old Goldhunter. Lot participation on the water. county a rank injustice. One unfa- public will wake up to the danger and Whitcomb of Milwaukie had launched miliar with the true situation would demand an ordinance forcing building the Lot Whitcomb on Christmas day, ship, railroad regulation reached eremation of his own living body? and the height of her swings. He be led to believe this county was the owners to enclose such shafts or courts as owned by Lot White white made a success as a pilot on the Co-Berryman Jennings and S. S. White lumbia river bar was that he was not the same is true of many other cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, greed of white bootleg- was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, and the cold was all very much like measuring to the cold, hard, and the cold was all very much like me measures of public moment in that gers allied with them an Indian, the value of a man by the amount county is one of the cleanest, if not the backed off the St. Johns ferry because land, going by with a derisive toot, so in need of help. Let me show you what some employes were apparently too the proprietors of the townsite of Port- I mean." Mrs. Flavel left the room, reland bought the Goldhunter so that the particularly as regards the state and the Sellwood ferry frequently and 1 town of Milwaukie would not outstrip leather case which she handed me, saymake a corresponding headway in potions he drank and which he had the senate because congress has al- for sale. With one shot from his We meet the lady of the oscillating there is no sheriff in Oregon who has there is no sheriff in Oregon who has al-Portland. Stephen Coffin., Lownsdale ing as she did so: "Open it and you and Chapman, with others in Portland. will see what I mean." I opened the cut up the money for the purchase of case and inside was a large gold medal the Goldhunter, which plied between on which was engraved; "Presented has been paid in. This leaves a bal-Portland and San Francisco. Later the by the citizens of Portland to Captain ance of \$8841.25, which is coming in government and renamed the Active exertion in rendering assistance to the and used in surveying Shoalwater Bay passengers and crew of the steamship and Grays Harbor. She was also used to land. Later she was purchased by ling a sinking vessel with the words, Ben Holladay. She was wrecked in a fog on June 5, 1870, on a rock south of Cape Mendocino. The first American steamer to come in over the Columbia and his pilotage business, had a wharf bar was the Caroline, which came in and bought coal from the ships that over the bar in June, 1850, and was bad brought coal as ballast from Aus- per day. followed a few weeks later by the tralia and elsewhere. This coal busi-Goldhunter. While Captain Flavel was ness proved quite profitable. mate and pilot of the Goldhunter he profit arising from his pilotage and was given a branch license by the Ter- towage business he invested in property ritory of Oregon, the first pilot's here in Astoria which as the population license issued by the Territory of Ore- of Astoria increased, became quite valugon to a Columbia river pilot.

From the Washington Star.
"Are you in favor of civil service re-"I am," replied Senator Sorghum. want it reformed in a manner that won't make it so difficult to get good to cross-question my political friends situations for some of my worthy as to what they shall do with their

friends."

When I first saw Captain Flavel

that Captain Flavel left an estate in the Golden Gate and brought her to above the average man's knees is all 000, you will always hear him spoken was a good organizer and soon had a that prevents a person falling eight of as a straight hard-fighting, hard-monopoly of the bar pilotage. He and stories straight down to certain death. working man. I visited Mrs. Flavel Mr. Aiken built a sawmill but it proved in Chicago some years ago the Ma- recently at her home in Astoria and an unprofitable venture so my hussonic Temple, which was built on the she told me of her husband and of his band went down to San Francisco and same plan with an open court in the part in the upbuilding of Astoria. It secured the Halcyon which made him centre and nothing but a low railing is a rather strange fact that the very lots of money. He bought an interaround it, proved to be so attractive men who clamored the loudest about est in the Jane A. Falkenberg and for to suicides that all buildings of that Captain Flavel being like a medieval two years was her captain. The pilot kind were forced to place strong metal baron who exacted tribute of everyone boat California was a good money who came up the river were the ones maker. One after another who started every few floors so that any one fallwho wanted him to resume his service in opposition to my husband as bar in their efforts for a railroad, for a railroad, for a railroad on the bar after he had retired. doned the field as did Paul Corno with been conducted with Mr. L. Gerlinger his tug, the Rabboni. In 1869 my hus- of this city. The line will be 12 miles the mouth of the Columbia

"One of the reasons why my husband Goldhunter was taken over by the George Flavel for his praiseworthy General Warren, wrecked at the mouth to land troops on San Juan island of the Columbia on the 31st of January, when Captain Pickett of the United 1852." On the reverse side of the medal States army was defying the British was the picture of a whaleboat leav-"My husband, in addition to his tugs

able. My husband died on July 3, 1893, In 1851 Captain Flavel made several Old time friends came from as far as trips on the Goldhunter between Port- San Francisco to attend his funeral."

> From the Washington Star "Did you ever buy a vote?" "Never," replied Senator Sorghum. "But of course I am not in a position

THE NEWBERRY TYPE

Northwest Happenings in Brief Form for the Busy Reader. OREGON

The Oregon Country

The tug Sea Lion left Astoris Tues-day with the third Benson ocean-going log raft. Its destination is San Diego A unit of "Les Societe 48 Hommes 8 Cheveaux," the American Legion playground, was organized at Marshfield last Saturday.

Half an inch of rain fell in the upper Willamette valley Monday, benefiting the apple crop, but causing some damage to prunes.

Expenditures in excess of \$10,000 will be made this fall in the improvement of the Santiam toll road over the Cascades from White City to Sister. The Oregon supreme court now is practically a year behind in the consideration of appealed cases, according to announcement made at Salem Wednesday.

Sponteneous ignition of celluloid goods in a show case caused a fire at Bend which destroyed the stocks of the Woman's Exchange and of the Riverside florists.

Esther, 42-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Collamer, was seriously injured at Hood River when a dynamite cartridge with which she was playing exploded in her hand. The Englewood White Cedar compa-

ny mili at Englewood, in Coos county, a new concern, started sawing spruce Tuesday, the initial order being 100,000 feet for customers on the Atlantic

The last strip of land was procured for the Pacific highway right of way into Harrisburg Wednesday when the city council purchased for \$1500 a piece ill tract.

about 1000 feet long through the Sher-William F. Eberhard of McMinnville

was elected president of the Oregon Rural Letter Carriers' association at a state convention held is Salem Mon-day. The 1923 convention will be held day. The 192 in Portland. The Ocean Lumber company of San Francisco and Seattle, extensive lumber exporters, has selected the Astoria municipal terminal as the assembly point for its lumber cargoes on the

Pacific coast. WASHINGTON

Six violent deaths were reported to the coroner at Seattle during the 24-hour period ending Monday morning. The 1921 assessed valuation of Walla as been reduced this year to \$36,173,-

Total value of the crop on the Sun

nyside irrigation project last year was \$7,797,000, an average value per acre More than 400 carloads of prunes have been shipped from the Walla Walla district since the opening of the prune shipping season. Two hundred and fifty men and 136 teams on the Spokane county bonded highways have completed road work

amounting to \$109,415 during the last Judge C. G. Austin, Civil war vet-eran, and a resident of the state of Washington for more than 45 years. is a candidate for justice of the peace

The \$750,000 block of Spokane county road bonds were sold at par last week to the Vermont Loan & Trust company and the Seattle National bank on a bid of 4.65 per cent interest.

Arthur W. Dodwell, the only candidate for the office of county assessor, died at South Bend last week, and Miles H. Leach, chief deputy in the office, will run as a "sticker" candidate. A boat with a \$10,000 cargo of Cana-

dian liquor was captured at Ilwaco recently by Pacific county officers and two men were arrested after a spectacular fight on the deck of the Trial of J. E. Chilberg, former presi-

dent of the Scandinavian-American bank of Seattle, on the charge of bor-rowing funds without authority from the directors, is set for September 18 in

The budget adopted by the directors \$12,000 under that of last year. The Payette Valley Pioneer associa-tion held its annual picnic at Emmett Sunday. present, none

whom had lived in Idaho less than 35 years. Movement of potatoes from Idaho has practically ceased, farmers claiming that the cost of taking them out of ground is more than they can get them.

Inspection of Idaho's fruit crop for this year started Tuesday, when the first car of prunes to be picked from the Payette-Weiser section received approval of a state inspector. Carl Edward Johnso, driving in a buggy with his two children, 3 and 6 years of age, was killed by lightning Saturday evening at Indian Cove, about 25 miles from Mountain Home. Neither of the children was harmed.

Twenty Years Ago From The Journal of Sept. 9, 1902.

At the Elks' carnival tonight there will be a double wedding ceremony performed in the presence of the queen. The throne will be gorgeously decorated and many people will be present to witness the event.

Dalias and Falls City have succeeded

In 1887 of 19 examined. Mayor Williams has received a letter from Herman Terwadow in which he

claims that in driving over the bridge near the Eastern Lumber company's mill his horse fell through and was injured to the extent of \$75. Extensive alterations have been completed to the Mount Tabor school building on West avenue and the Base

Line road. 'The building has been en-So far \$80,149.25 of the first installment of the Lewis and Clark fair stock

very slowly. Ira F. Powers, the prominent furniture manufacturer of this city, died yesterday at his home on Second street from valvular heart trouble, from which he has suffered for the past six

months. A Southern Pacific railroad official. recently returned from Astoria, says that they are shipping salmon from that place at the rate of 25 carloads

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cohen of Pendleton are at the Hotel Portland, after several days spent at Tacoma. will probably remain here for the balance of the week.

Dry and pleasant weather has pre-valled throughout the state during the past week. Threshing is now practical-ly completed in all but a few sections. Grain yields in the western part of the state continue unsatisfactory, but in the eastern portion it is believed the yield will be up to the average. Hop picking will soon be general. Corn, potatoes, gardens, pastures and field onlons are badly in need of rain. Late fruit is making satisfactory advance-