

GRATIS WORK OF DOCK COMMISSION LAUDED BY MAJOR

Executive, in Renaming J. H. Burgard, Praises Services of Members Acting Without Pay.

Work by dock commission members entirely uncompensated has done much to advance the growth of Portland, and Portland is in the front rank of world ports...

Letters From the People

A Motorman Speaks for Motormen on the Point of Carelessness—An Employed Man Who Would Like to Farm for Himself—More About France's Black Troops—Authorship of Genesis.

ARRANGEMENTS were made to allow them to practice their own religion. Among the Algerians I met young men who were students of universities, taking up law and other sciences.

Mr. Lewis mentions an accident on Hawthorne avenue not so long ago. He says this man who was killed was going to work for the day. The man from the street car, and eyewitnesses state that the man was going at least 25 miles an hour when he started to turn the corner...

FREE ON MURDER CHARGE IS SHOT DEAD

Shooting Done by Son of Defendant's Alleged Victim; Crowd Storms Jail.

GRAYSON, Ky., Dec. 9.—(U. P.)—Extra sheriff's deputies armed with sawed-off shotguns guarded the Carter county jail tonight as a feverish mob of 500 demanded the life of Harrison Blanton, 24.

Drawing a revolver, he fired three shots into Herron's back. "Courts don't know how to give justice, but I do!" Blanton shrieked as he fired.

Portland Raises \$180,000 for Fund

Portland has raised virtually \$180,000 for Willamette university in its forward movement endowment campaign.

Dufur Orchards to Be Sold by Sheriff

The Dalles, Dec. 9.—A decree of foreclosure was entered today in Circuit Judge Fred W. Wilson's court against the Dufur Orchards Owners' company as the third step in the plan of reorganization of the corporation.

STUDENT REWARDED FOR GOOD ENDEAVOR

The "Hustler," bi-annual publication put out by the organization of Portland newsmen, has awarded a \$200 scholarship to Joseph Dorfman, one of its members.

Land Fraud Case Trial Date Is Set At Klamath Falls

Klamath Falls, Dec. 9.—Suit brought by the state of Oregon against the Fort Klamath Meadows company, A. C. Marsters, wealthy Roseburg banker, and others to recover title to approximately 8000 acres of land bordering Klamath lake near Fort Klamath, will come to trial in the circuit court here December 28.

IRISHMEN TO TALK

The Rev. Michael O'Flanagan, vice president of the Sinn Fein, and Joseph O'Doherty, member of the congress of the Irish republic, will be the speakers at a mass meeting to be held in Labor Temple, Fourth and Jefferson streets, at 8 o'clock next Sunday evening.

Bill Increasing Vets' Pensions Is Reported By House Committee

Washington, Dec. 9.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—The house committee on pensions has reported out a substitute for the Bureau civil war pension bill, which will increase the pensions of the old soldiers from the present rate of \$50 a month to \$72, and of widows from \$30 to \$50.

Much Mail Misdirected Careful Wrapping Urged

Behind the windows of the main postoffice is a very long table at which 10 young women sit all day long with their heads buried in as many thumb-tagged books.

C. P.-S. P. Divorce Practicable, Says Idaho Rail Chief

Washington, Dec. 9.—(I. N. S.)—It would be entirely practicable to effect a separation of the Southern Pacific-Central Pacific system without disruption of service to the public.

Ship Subsidy Bill Wins Its Initial Senate Start, 11-5

Washington, Dec. 9.—The administration ship subsidy bill won its initial passage today when the commerce committee ordered it favorably reported by a vote of 11 to 5.

Wirth Invited to Lecture in America

Berlin, Dec. 8.—(U. P.)—Former German Chancellor Dr. Joseph Wirth today received an invitation to go to the United States and deliver a series of lectures in 1923.

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TURKS AND SOVIET BREAK AT PARLEY

Lord Curzon Out-Maneuvers Tchitcherine, Making Amicable Agreement Possible.

Lausanne, Dec. 9.—The Turks have broken with the Russians at the Near Eastern peace parley by virtually agreeing to accept the allied program for the freedom of the straits.

Most of the C. O. D. parcels are salvaged, according to Postmaster Jones. The packages are kept in cabinets for a week, with a view to their being returned where they were sent.

Farm Bureau Drops Highway Objection

Bend, Dec. 9.—Objection of the Deschutes county farm bureau to the improvement of The Dalles-Hood River highway through the proposed Benham Falls reservoir site, voiced in a resolution passed several months ago, was withdrawn at a meeting of the bureau on Friday night.

Suggestions for Xmas Gifts Why Not Books? Here is a list of the best sets of books at prices which you should not overlook. Look at the prices and note the purchasing power of your money.

CLASSICS: Dickens, cloth, 15 vols. \$20.00. Dumas, complete, 1/2 leather, 30 vols. \$35.00. Irving, cloth, 15 vols. \$12.50. HISTORY: Beacon Lights of History, John Lord, 1/2 lea., 15 vols. \$25.00. MISCELLANEOUS: Writings of Thomas Jefferson, 1/2 leather, 10 vols. \$30.00.

Chorus of Reed College to Give Concert Sunday

The Reed college chorus has accepted an invitation to repeat the program of its annual Christmas concert to be given in the Reed chapel Thursday evening, December 14, at the auditorium on Sunday afternoon, December 17, at 3 o'clock.

Company Is to Build New Bend Pipe Line

Bend, Dec. 9.—Construction of a pipe line from Tumalo creek to the city limits of Bend to provide water for use in the city, has been authorized by the directors of the Bend Water, Light & Power company.

BOOK Bargains

- Book of Knowledge \$40.00
Winston Loose Leaf Encyclopedia \$20.00
Set Charles Leven, 16 volumes \$15.00
Set John Fiske, 24 volumes \$30.00
The Delphian Course, 10 volumes \$20.00
Encyclopedia Britannica, latest \$75.00
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