

EMPIRE FIRM'S MEETING SOON

Stockholders to Gather in Portland Monday, Vote on Reorganizing

(Continued from page 1) The meeting has been called in the elaborate quarters of the Empire...

Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock the Marion county grand jury will resume its investigation of Empire's affairs.

The district attorney said he thought all the testimony would be in by Saturday. It has not yet been determined whether Judge O. P. Coshow, president of the Empire corporation, will appear before the grand jury.

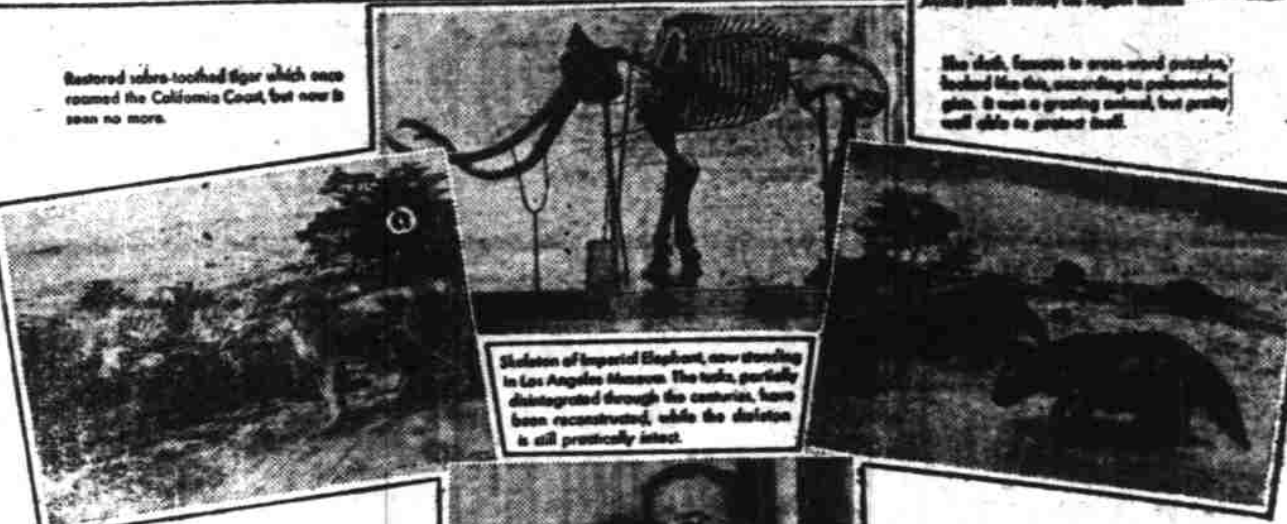
TONNAGE SURVEY OF RIVER NOW PLANNED

(Continued from page 1) Engineers reported against heavy improvements in the channel. Must Show Tonnage To Warrent Expense...

MARKS TO BECOME GOVERNOR MONDAY

(Continued from page 1) Marks to become governor Monday. Tomorrow marks the second time during 1931 Marks has served as governor.

MODERN OIL PIPE-LINES TRAVERSE COUNTRY ONCE ROAMED BY PREHISTORIC MONSTERS



A gap of thousands of years is spanned in the course of just a few feet where the pipe lines of the General Petroleum Corporation cross the asphalt pit excavations made by the University of California at McKittick.

For more than a decade the University paleontologists have delved into this pit, finding and patiently piecing together bones, teeth and occasional bits of hair, and have reconstructed for today's visualization, a picture of what existed in the distant past.

There are no historic records to go by, no documents from which to work; only a few bones, tree trunks, leaves and similar things to reveal to us what is known as the Pleistocene age, when the world was almost entirely covered with snow and ice which later receded enough to permit of animal and plant life.

At McKittick, surrounded by oil fields and traversed by the General Petroleum pipe lines, is a pit of asphalt similar to those in the famous La Brea pits which have yielded so many bones and so much information, and at Carpinteria, a store space which the Metropolitan Store of Delaware is quitting, according to an unauthenticated report from an authority close to the situation.

COOPERATION NEED TO OBTAIN RELIEF

Not until industry and capital join in a movement for better times will permanent relief for unemployment be forthcoming. J. M. Devers, attorney for the state highway department, declared yesterday in a letter to Governor Julius Meier which was released to the public.

Social Hour at Y. Planned For This Afternoon

The first of the Sunday social hours for young men and women of the city will be held at the Y. M. C. A. at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The program will include vocal and instrumental selections, group singing and refreshments.

COUNTY VALUES SHOW INCREASE

Gain Accounted for in big Advance of Utilities; Total \$48,114,541

(Continued from page 1) state taxes levied and collected in Marion county. Under the Oregon law, all assessments upon utilities are made by the state tax commission...

SALVATION ARMY'S CAMPAIGN STARTED

(Continued from page 1) and the Army, with other local groups, being the logical agency to care for these unfortunate persons. Last year the Army workers, through the aid of the Statesman Army Good Will Fund, sent out large baskets to 120 families.

CONGRESS SESSION WILL OPEN MONDAY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—(AP)—A new congress, divided against itself and encircled by uncertainty, will begin its sessions Monday under a tension keyed to the timelessness of these troubled times.

Boys Held For Investigation

INDEPENDENCE, Dec. 5.—(Special) Four independence boys are being held in the jail at Dallas for investigation in connection with the burglary of the Mondingo house Thanksgiving night while the family was spending the holiday at Medford. They were taken into custody by Sheriff Hooker.

Child is Burned To Death; Three Others Rescued

GOLD BEACH, Ore., Dec. 5.—(AP)—The three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Ralph was burned to death early today when fire destroyed the family home at Harbor, near here.

Assessed Valuations for Marion County for 1931, Classified and Compared to Values Assessed in 1930

Table with columns: Classification of Property, 1931 Value, 1930 Value Per Unit. Rows include Acres lands, Improvements, lands, Town, city lots, etc.

PROPOSE WIDENING WITHOUT NEW LAND

Intimations that the Pacific highway might be enlarged to its proposed 30-foot width without the purchase by Marion county of additional right-of-way were heard about Salem on Saturday.

Permits Total \$603; Figure is Double Lowest

Only five permits for building operations last week were issued by the city building inspector. The estimated cost of the five jobs, \$603, was double the lowest figure of recent weeks.

False Pretense Charge is Filed

Pansy Fields, alias Mrs. Pansy Keloff, was arrested by city police at the Leonard hotel yesterday on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.

Church Teams Meet

All churches entering basketball teams in the "Y" Church league have been requested to send representatives to a meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Monday night.

COUNTY EXCHANGE FOR BOOKS, PLAN

Some Districts Have Over Supply, Some Shortage, Stated at Meeting

A county exchange for surplus textbooks will be installed in the office of Mrs. Mary L. Fulkerson, county school superintendent, as result of action taken by the 43 delegates attending the annual meeting of county school officers here yesterday.

MEN!

\$2.00 a Pair for Your Old Shoes

Every day some needy man comes into our store looking for a pair of old shoes. We have devised a plan to help the needy and give the men of Salem a real buy on Florsheim Shoes.

Florsheim Shoe Shop advertisement with logo and address: 426 State Street, WITH EMMONS.

Capital Drug Store advertisement featuring 'Helpful Hints for Healthful Living' and a list of dress prices from \$4.74 to \$12.75.