

## NORTHWEST NOTES

### Amateur Play Pleases.

Condon.—The pupils of the Gilliam county high school presented the comedy, "The Freshman" Wednesday night to a crowded house. The whole cast showed splendid presentation and the play was one of the most successful amateur performances ever given in Condon.

### Sutherland Man Injured.

Oakland, Ore.—R. A. Hughes, an employe of the Sutherland Land company, was run over by an automobile Tuesday morning at Sutherland. He was brought to Oakland for medical attention. His physicians state that while no bones are broken Hughes is badly bruised. He will recover.

### Forger to be Returned.

Salem, Ore.—A requisition for the return to Spokane of K. Fukeeda, wanted in that city for forgery, was honored by the executive Wednesday. Fukeeda is under arrest at Portland and S. D. Donk is appointed agent to take charge of the prisoner until he is returned to Spokane.

### Free Text Books in Schools.

Olympia, Wash.—The Olympia school board has voted to install free text books in all the grades from primary to the twelfth. This is the time for regular schoolbook adoption in the state, and the action of the Olympia directors will become operative with beginning of the fall term.

### Hay Invites Benson.

Salem, Ore.—Governor Benson Wednesday received a personal invitation from Governor M. E. Hay of the state of Washington to be his guest next summer during the encampment of the national guard of the northwest states at American lake in Washington from August 15 to 25.

### Woodmen Close Convention.

Eugene, Ore.—The southern Oregon district convention of the Woodmen of the World, which convened at Springfield Tuesday, came to an end Wednesday evening. Klamath Falls was chosen as the next convention city, and the following grand delegates were chosen: R. L. Drury, of Coburg; J. L. Brown, of Marshfield, and J. L. Bailey, of Lakeview.

### Deputy Sheriff Indicted for Murder.

Canyon City, Ore.—The grand jury in session here Wednesday brought an indictment against Deputy James H. Cassidy for first degree murder of Oliver Snyder, which occurred near Hamilton, December 25, 1909. Den Hinton, Ennett Shields, Earl Shields and Albert Green were also indicted and will be arrested today. These are the men accused of lynching Snyder last December.

### Seattle Buyers After Cherries.

The Dalles, Ore.—Robert Munro and Walter P. Wilkins, representing two leading produce houses of Seattle, are here negotiating with the Dalles Fruit Growers' association for the purchase of a large portion of the Dalles cherry crop. They are also arranging to handle other fruits. They say the Dalles cherries lead all others in shipping qualities and command a better price in the Seattle market than those raised in any other locality.

### Baker Man Twice Sees Comet.

Baker City, Ore.—Having twice seen Halley's comet in his life, time is the unusual experience of William Bennett of this city. He remembers distinctly seeing the strange heavenly visitor when it appeared 75 years ago. At that time he was only six years old and lived with his parents in Pennsylvania. He says that the people then had about the same opinions concerning the comet as they have now.

### First Hatchery Prospers.

Woodburn, Wash.—The state fish hatchery on Johnson creek, seven miles above Woodland, which has been in charge of Superintendent Strass during the past season, was visited last Saturday by state Superintendent Crawford, who reports a very good season, but the work was handicapped by the summer log drive which prevented as large a take of salmon as was expected. The season resulted in an output of about 600,000 salmon fry being turned out.

### Village Blacksmith Loses Hoard.

Asotin, Wash.—When Philliman Ramsdale lost his blacksmith shop in a fire Monday night he also lost his fortune. He had kept over \$500 in a bag partly filled with nails and scrap iron, preferring to leave his money hidden rather than trust it to a bank. The heat of the fire fused the gold and iron together, and when Ramsdale found his hoard it presented a sorry sight. The blacksmith is now looking for a friendly smelterman to return his savings to him.

### McCormick Withdraws From Race.

Tacoma, Wash.—In a card to the

public R. L. McCormick has officially announced his withdrawal from the race for the United States senatorship. The gist of his card is that while feeling certain of election the threatened loss of his eyesight compels him to quit the campaign.

He has been warned by eye specialists and his physician that a strenuous campaign will certainly mean for him total blindness. He says that his health and family are paramount and hence, thanking the people of Tacoma and of the state for their cordial support he withdraws from the race.

Judge W. H. Snell is more prominently named as the man to begin where McCormick left off in the senatorial race.

### Big Mining Deal Pending.

Baker City.—One of the biggest mining deals in the history of eastern Oregon is now pending and if carried to a successful termination will result in a great boom for the gold district near Sumpter. Alexander Baring of London, England, is a visitor in Baker City today consulting with Emil Melzer, the manager of the North Pole mine, and announced that negotiations are now under way for consolidating the North Pole and E. & E. mines. These are two of the richest gold properties in this section of the state and if they can be worked together many millions will be taken from the rocks.

### SURVEYS ACROSS STATE OF IDAHO FINISHED

Lewiston, Idaho.—Having finished the Gilmore & Pittsburg survey across the state of Idaho, over 300 miles of almost inaccessible country, crews of 40 men are expected to be disbanded here. For several days the crews of Engineers Vance and Skeels have been here waiting for orders, while Chief Engineer Roberts has gathered all his equipment, either for continuing work elsewhere or for the purpose of disbanding. Information will not be given out.

Engineer Vance's equipment consists of four large scows which have been in service ever since the party left Salmon City nearly a year ago. One of the scows or flatboats is used for an office, one for a bunkhouse, one for a kitchen and supply house and the other for a dining room. The scows are comfortably fixed for occupancy. The men declare that the boats have been a splendid convenience to them during the entire trip. A couple of extra flatboats are towed along with the fleet and are anchored above the ferry landing.

In keeping with the view that the Gilmore & Pittsburg and the North coast road are practically under one hand, the surveys completed here ended at a point on Snake river avenue where at a point on Snake river avenue where the North Coast took up its work last fall in running a line north from the bridge to a point across the Clearwater, then up that stream to the Potlatch and then northward Tekoa, where North Coast surveyors are now employed.

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### WILL WET 40,000 ACRES ON THE ROGUE RIVER

Grants Pass, Ore.—F. J. Blakeley of Roseburg is backed by large eastern capital in a project to build a storage reservoir at the head of the Applegate river to irrigate the valley in the vicinity of Grants Pass by a gravity system. Mr. Blakeley has taken the preliminary steps toward the organization of an irrigation district, petitions for that purpose being circulated and signed by a considerable number of people. It is the claim of Mr. Blakeley and his associates that sufficient water can be gathered at the head of the Applegate to cover 40,000 acres of land, and the topography of the country is such as to make a large storage reservoir feasible and without any great engineering difficulties.

The coming of irrigation from some source is as certain as the sunrise. The values of fruit lands are constantly being advanced by the demands of newcomers.

Whatever plan of development is adopted by the local irrigation company, if it goes through as projected, it will mean much to the city and vicinity, for it will put a large amount of cash into circulation, to say nothing of the appreciation of the land and the increased attractiveness of the region for investors.

### TRACTION ENGINE IN THE LUMBER SERVICE

Klamath Falls, Ore.—A carload of heavy freight wagons received here by the Meadow Lake Lumber company are to be used in connection with the big traction engine in the transportation of lumber from the mill near the depot. The wagons are especially constructed for this class of work and will withstand the hardest kind of usage.

This is another step in the direction of modernizing the methods of handling the timber of this county, and is indicative of what may be expected in the future. The new capital that is coming here now has only as its object the reduction of the cost of production and the conservation of the timber. With the modern meth-

# THIS WEEK ENDS THE BIG REMOVAL SALE

On Monday morning, May 23 we will move to our elegant and up-to-date store room in the Betz building

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5¢, 10¢, 3 for 25¢, 15¢ for 25¢.

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50c Hose, Removal Sale Price 35¢  
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25c Fancy Sox 12 1-2c. 50c Suspenders 25c

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\$2.50 Work Shoes, Removal Sale Price ..... \$1.95  
\$5.00 Shoes, Removal Sale Price ..... \$3.50  
\$6.00 Dress Oxfords and Shoes, Removal Sale Price ..... \$4.50

**Soft Negligee and Golf Shirts**

\$5.00 Shirts, Removal Sale Price, ..... \$4.00  
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50¢, 65¢, 75¢ \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00  
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\$3.50 Shirts, Removal Sale Price, ..... \$2.95

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\$1.75 Garments, Removal Sale price ..... \$1.35  
\$1.50 Garments, Removal Sale price ..... \$1.15  
\$1.25 Garments, Removal Sale price ..... 95¢  
\$1.00 Garments, Removal Sale price ..... 75¢  
75c Garments, Removal Sale price ..... 60¢  
65c Garments, Removal sale price ..... 50¢  
50c Garments, Removal Sale price ..... 40¢



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**Summer Union Suits**

\$5.00 Union Suits, Removal Sale price ..... \$4.00  
\$4.00 Union Suits, Removal Sale price ..... \$3.00  
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## BOSTON STORE--Where You Trade to Save

ods that are to be employed it means the adding to the lumber output of the county many millions of feet which under former methods of handling would be lost.

### NEWBERG HIGH SCHOOL TO BE READY BY AUTUMN

Newberg, Ore.—Work on the high school will begin very soon by the contractor, E. G. Anderson of Portland. The work must be finished in six months. The building will cost \$30,000. The building is to be 130x77 feet and 45 feet in height, the roof to be flat and to be constructed of tar and gravel. The material is to be of Newberg red face brick, trimmed with white pressed brick. The basement is to be fitted with a modern gymnasium and swimming tank.

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