NEWS NOTES OF CURRENT WEEK

Resume of World's Important Events Told in Brief.

forces defending Scutari puzzles all

Two parties of Japanese have gone to Sacrameno to keep watch of antialien legislation.

The Nicaraguan government is con structing heavy fortifications about the city of Managua.

China's cabinet officers and the senthe question of a big national loan.

ia, visited the scene of the miners' person strike and advised the men to return Two British officers will accompany about thirty American officers on a 50-

day ride over the battlefields of the Civil war. Doubt is expressed whether the nec- the case. essary number of acceptable recruits can be found in Germany to supply the

proposed military increase. killed or injured by a bomb in Hanoi, the pretender to the Annamite throne.

Emperor William was warned that an attempt would be made upon his life while on a visit to Frankfort, and extraordinary precautions have been

much averse to the government's "laundered" paper money, and characterize it as "counterfeiters' de-

retary Bryan, seems to have little state Commerce commission. effect in changing the minds of the

Representative Sisson, of Missiswar with Japan, if necessary to back up California in her anti-alien

was accidentally identified by a relaover \$100,000.

An old sea captain who died in San Francisco left a large fortune, providing in his will that his widow should have only her legal share, his children nothing, and the balance of the money to homeless street waifs and orphans. Montenegro accepts a new frontier

line and in exchange yields up Scutari. Twenty-five per cent of the officials

at the coming election in Portland, will be women.

Ortie E. McManigal will soon be rewill start life all over again.

tries.

Miss Margaret Wilson, eldest daughter of the President, spoke beclubs at Baltimore.

PORTLAND MARKETS

Wheat - Track prices: Club, 87@ 88c per bushel; bluestem, 98@99c; red Russian, 85c; valley, 88c. Oats-No. 1 white, \$28.50@29

ton; valley, stained, \$24@26. Corn-Whole, \$27; cracked, \$28 ton. Millstuffs - Bran, \$23 per ton; shorts, \$25; middlings, \$30.

Barley-Feed, \$24.50@25 brewing, nominal; rolled, \$25.50@

Hay - Eastern Oregon timothy, choice, \$16@17 per ton; alfalfa, \$12 @13; clover, \$9; straw, \$7@8. Vegetables - Artichokes, 75c per

dozen; asparagus, Oregon, \$1.25; cabbage, 11/2012c; per pound; cauliflower, found spring cleaning under way in 35c@\$1 per dozen; celery, \$4 per my daughter's home." crate; hothouse lettuce, 90c@\$1 per dozen; peppers, 35@40c per pound; radishes, 10@12c per dozen; rhubarb, 2@3c per pound; spinach, 75c per box; garlic, 5@6c per pound; turnips, 85c per sack; parsnips, 85c; carrots,

Onions-Oregon, 75@90c per sack; Bermuda, \$2.25 per crate. Potatoes - Burbanks, 40@50c per

hundred; Florida new, 5@6c per pound; sweets, 4c. Apples-30c@\$1.50 per box.

Strawberries-Florin, \$3@3.50 per Poultry-Hens, 17@18c per pound;

broilers, 35c; turkeys, live, 20c; dressed, choice, 25c; ducks, 18@20c; geese, 12@13c. Eggs-Fresh Oregon ranch, 20c per

Butter - City creamery, cubes, 28c

per pound; prints, 29@291c. Pork-Fancy, 111@12c per pound.

Veal-Fancy, 14@141c per pound. Hops-1912 crop, 10@15c pr pound. pound; valley, 14@18c.

good, \$7.50@7.75; medium, \$7.30@ 7.50; choice cows, \$6.75@7.35; good, that fighting has already occurred. \$6.50@6.75; medium, \$6@6.50; choice calves, \$8@9; good heavy calves, \$6.50@7.50; bulls, \$5.85@6.25.

Hogs - Light, \$8.75@9; heavy, Sheep-Yearling wethers, \$6.25@ SOUTHERN PACIFIC IS LOSER

2,373,000 Acres Forfeited by Violating Terms of Grant.

Portland-Lands in Oregon aggregating 2,373,000 acres, held by the Southern Pacific by virtue of grants made by congress to its predecessor, VETERANS GIVEN WARNING MEDFORD PLANS CANNERY the Oregon & California Railroad company, in 1866 and 1870, were declared See Physician Before Going to Get- Merchants and Growers of Rogue forfeited to the United States govern-Action of the Balkan allies and the ment in a decree pronounced by Judge States District court.

The decree was based on the fact, which Judge Wolverton assumed to have been proved, that the railroad company violated the terms under which the grant was made, in not selling the lands to actual settlers at ate drift farther apart than ever over \$2.50 an acre, in selling lands at a issued relative to the expenditure of Steenstrup and E. A. Welch was in selling more that 160 acres to one Governor Hatfield, of West Virgin-

Judge Wolverton's decision is another step in the upward march of the celebrated case toward the United States Supreme court. The entrance of the decree will be suspended for a few days to allow for the clearing up of some minor matters connected with

As soon as the decree is formally entered the Southern Pacific will appeal the case to the United States Cir-A number of French officers were cuit Court of Appeals, which means that it will be tried in the Ninth Cir-Indo-China, hurled by an adherent of cuit District at San Francisco. This court convenes the first Monday in October, 1913, and the case probably will be assigned to a hearing for the following November.

45 INCHES IS BAGGAGE LIMIT

Bankers throughout the country are Railroad Restrictions on Size of Trunks Effective June 1.

Washington, D. C .- Restrictions on freak baggage and baggage of extreme length or width will be placed Wilson's message to the California in effect about June 1, according to legislature, delivered in person by Sec- plans now being made by the Inter-

It is understood that these new regulations, which will limit the size of the trunks that will be handled by the railroads to 45 inches in length, will sippi, openly declares himself in favor work no hardship on the traveling public, but will serve to check effectively the tendency of commercial salesmen and the houses that employ A New York hermit, after his death them to carry queer-shaped trunks and baggage of unusual proportions. It is tive as Dudley Jardine, a wealthy probable that the commission will builder of church organs, and worth stipulate that baggage exceeding 72 inches in any dimension will not be accepted for checking at all. The charge for handling baggage over 45 inches in length, width or height will be equivalent to five pounds of excess weight for each inch of excess meas-

> These regulations were adopted by the railroads nearly two years ago, but agitation of the trunk manufacturers has postponed their enforce-

POKING FUN AT SUFFRAGISTS

leased from prison, and declares he England Laughs at Threats of Rich

American Contingent. International lawyers of several London—London papers are poking countries spoke in Washington in favor of equal canal tolls for all coun- American suffragette sympathizer, over her declaration that she would not spend a penny in London because of the treatment of English suffrafore the general council of women's gettes by the government. William of Astoria are demanding. Waldorf Astor's Pall Mall Gazette exclaims:

"O si sic omnes." a little boy who went into the garden

to eat worms. The Evening News says: "Despite Mrs. Belmont's refusal to scatter her millions among the inhabitants of this country the government will maintain of \$1,000,000 if necessary to raise the more or less a firm attitude."

Mrs. Belmont, who is staying at a London hotel, said: "I mean just what I say when I de-

clare that if New York fails to awake, Kerry Timber company to the Central we shall introduce militant methods of the type used in England.

"I also meant what I said before leaving America about spending no money in England. But I was compelled to stay in this hotel because I

Old Age Pension Bill Up.

old age pension bill to provide \$1 to lumbia river, to the Nehalem valley, a cal and state fairs? \$4 a week for all those more than 65 years old whose incomes are under \$10 a week, was introduced in the house by Representative Kelly, of Pennsylvania. His plan would pension those with incomes of less than \$6 a week at \$4 a week; incomes of from \$6 to here at a public auction held at Main \$7 at \$3; between \$7 and \$8, \$2 a and Bridge streets, when the first outweek, and from \$8 to \$9, \$1 a week. The bill would disqualify all criminals, lunatics and inmates of almshouses.

Balkan Allies Are Fighting.

London-A Bucharest dispatch, dated April 24, to the Daily Telegraph, expresses the conviction that immediately peace is signed between the allies and Turkey, a new war will commence between Servia, Bulgaria and Greece. A Bulgarian correspond-Wool-Eastern Oregon, 14@17c per ent says that large concentration of ound; valley, 14@18c.

Cattle—Choice steers, \$7.75@8.25; these new campaigns, and adds that this year have small families," says shipped to the college for demonstrations of the colonists that are coming West these new campaigns, and adds that this year have small families, says shipped to the college for demonstrations. he has heard from reliable sources

Veteran to Get Big Job.

Washington, D. C .- Secretary Lane didates.

OREGON STATE ITEMS OF INTEREST

General News of the Industrial and Educational Development and Progress of Rural Communities, Public Institutions, Etc.

tysburg, Says Finzer.

Salem-Old veterans who will atat Gettysburg in July from Oregon are advised in a bulletin issued by Ad- the Merchants' association to secure a jutant General Finzer, through Gover- canning factory in the valley. nor West, to consult their family physician before deciding to take the long trip in the hottest time of the year.

Rules and regulations have been W. F. Isaacs, George T. Collins, P. S. higher price than \$2.50 an acre, and the state appropriation providing for named, to solicit subscriptions from Idaho, the charges of Mr. Adams are ary. These are signed by James P. Shaw of department headquarters, and Colonel Lewis C. Garrigus, Confeder- a mass meeting of ranchers will be ate veteran, and commissioners.

> The camp will be open for the reception of visitors June 29, and will close July 6. No one not a veteran of the Civil war will be given food or will be at the High Water Mark monall its equipment of tents, cots, blankets, etc., but each veteran must provide his own towel, soap and toilet arthe government will become the propcamp. No trunks will be allowed in take active charge. the baggage.

LIVESTOCK RULING IS MADE

Ballot Wording Knocks Out Clackamas Provision, Says Judge.

Oregon City-The "double negative that means a positive," was the basis Oregon, will delay picking their fruit of a decision by Circuit Judge Camp- for at least two weeks beyond the bell that knocks out for the time be- usual picking season, and then propering the county provision that livestock ly cool and store their fruit prior to Judge Campbell based his action upon of the department of agriculture, exelection. The instruction on the bal- the East, after the California pears est ranges. lot at that time read:

"For stock running at large-Yes." "Against stock running at large-

The form, as prescribed by the leg- last fall to make experiments to deterislative law of 1907, indicates that the mine just how the Oregon pear-growsame title for the matter to be voted ers can handle their fruit in order to upon shall precede both the words market it to best advantage in the "Yes," and "No." In ruling the pre- East. Their report, which contains sent vote inadequate to express popular opinion in the matter, the judge, after reviewing the statement printed on the ballot, said:

"No fair interpretation can be given the words as they appeared upon the ballot, using their ordinary meaning, save that every elector who voted was in favor of stock running at large."

Astoria Wants Public Dock.

Astoria-A modern public dock, not less than 1000 feet in length, built vessels at a time, and equipped with and strawberry crops. for handling freight, and not less than 35 feet of water in the channel across

The movement in support of these projects was started a few days ago. Under the leadership of Dr. Alfred The Star compares Mrs. Belmont to Kinney, a committee of direction of over 200 members from the various sections of the country is being formed, and each member is pledged to back the Port of Astoria commission in bonding the port to the extent funds required.

\$800,000 Bonds Secured.

Astoria-A mortgage given by the Trust company of Illinois to secure \$800,000 in bonds was filed for record in the county clerk's office Wednesday afternoon. The mortgage covers sev- ceeded in enlisting pupils and parents eral thousand acres of timber land in in the industrial work. He compli-Clatsop and Columbia counties and mented the county superintendent and bonds which are dated January 1 of this year and run from two to 11 been made and predicted that Clatson years, were issued to secure funds for county will rank high among the counthe purpose of building a logging rail- ties of the state in its exhibits, both Washington, D. C .- The progressive road from Woods landing on the Co- agricultural and industrial, at the lodistance of 31 miles, as well as to erect mills and establish and operatelogging camps.

Seaside Cheese Sells High.

Seaside-Cheese brought \$1 a pound put of the Clatsop County Incorporated Cheese company was placed on sale. Dan J. Moore acted as auctioneer. James Peterson, a grocer, was the

first successful bidder and paid \$25 for 25 pounds; Seaside Cornet band was second and R. E. Stewart was third. Bruce Perry, a lad of 10, was among the successful bidders. The plant plans to put out 400 pounds of cheese a day when in full running order.

1913 Colonists Bring Families.

Hood River-"It seems that all of Mrs. Harrison Miller, who arrived tion purposes. here recently for a visit with her father, D. I. Stone, a local orhardist. gines on the campus and college farm. 'I don't think I ever saw so many babies together as were on one of the has advised Senator Kern that no man cars attached to the Soo-Spokane would be appointed commissioner of train. There were 23 little fellows in pensions who is not a Civil war vete- the car, and the oldest was not over 5 for women were announced by Colonel things gay."

Valley Behind Move.

\$2000 will be readily secured.

posed association.

among the growers.

are gone.

Oregon Growers Told How to Mar-

ket Pears Successfully.

much technical information for the

Crop Contracts Secured.

selling concern will be explained.

Clatsop Pupils Progressing.

Ashland Farmers to Exhibit.

iting these displays, it is planned to

gather a large collection of dry farm

Students Study Engines.

The students are testing their en-

Eight-Hour Day to Be Urged.

held here to promote the move.

Salem-Plans to initiate a bill pro-

to forward East in due season.

the work.

Industry Circular No. 114.

Washington, D. C. - If the pear-

Medford-As an auxiliary to the ir-

Expert Practical Lumberman Retires and Points Out Defects. Washington, D. C .- A scathing in-

dictment of the present-day management of the Forest service is contained in a memorandum filed with the secretary of agriculture by Daniel W. Adams, who, after five years as expert lumberman in the forestry bureau, voluntarily retires to engage in pri- Essad Pasha, Defender of Scutari, Charles E. Wolverton, of the United tend the 50th anniversary celebration rigation movement plans were formu- vate business. Impracticability, bad lated Saturday at a joint meeting of business management, improvidence members of the commercial club and and an excess of bureaucratic methods are the general charges he makes. Mr. Adams gives names, cites in-The merchants of the city will be asked to subscribe \$2000 and the fruit stances and refers to records to subgrowers will furnish \$5000. A com-mittee, consisting of John H. Carkin, sensational than the charges often made by the late Senator Heyburn, of bania at Alessio. paying the expenses of survivors of the merchants and active work has convincing, because they are made by the battle back to attend the annivers- been started. It is expected that the a competent man who spent five years in the service. As soon as this money is obtained Dealing with the timber question,

called, the outline of the proposed he says that the head of the timber dicannery presented and the \$2000 will vision is one of the most experienced be loaned without interest to the pro- and best-informed lumbermen in the ountry, but his suggestions are large-The cannery will be similar to the ly disregarded by students in the servshelter within the camp. Those not one now operating at Puyallup, Wash. ice and acute disagreements ensue provided with proper credentials will Ranchers may subscribe for stock at whenever the government undertakes be barred from the camp. The camp \$10 a share to any amount, but each to sell its timber to private lumbersubscriber will have but one vote, men. He charges that the "personnel ument on the battlefield, complete in The profits of the association above of the forest service is composed of so operating expenses will be divided many theorists and highly-trained young men who have injected such A large board of directors and a senseless and impossible regulations ticles. The "mess kit" provided by small executive board will be named, that the sawmill men purchase timber career, made a dramatic move in proand if the cannery is built a practical only when their privately owned tim- claiming himself king of Albania and erty of the veteran upon breaking man from Puyallup will be secured to ber is exhausted." As these young is said to be marching into the intercamp. No trunks will be allowed in take active charge. men conduct the field work, Mr. Adams alleges, it often costs the for- was received with enthusiasm at LATE HARVEST IS ADVISED est service three times as much as the stumpage is worth to designate the be proclaimed and take possession. trees which the purchaser may cut. \$1 a thousand for a lot of timber, and Albanians a reputation for barbaric it cost the government \$7 a thousand simplicity approaching savagery. He growers of the Rogue River valley, in to mark the timber, prior to cutting.

There is a provision of law under Turks' which the government gives away tim- bania. In Vienna and Paris his surber for domestic use to persons living render of Scutari is regarded as havnear the national forests. It the Deer ing been an arranged matter with shall not be allowed to run at large. shipment, they can, in the judgment Lodge forest in 1912 Mr. Adams King Nicholas, who approved his plan shows that it cost the government \$9 a to proclaim himself independent prince the wording of the ballot when the tend their marketing season six or thousand feet to give away timber, of Albania. matter was voted upon at the last seven weeks and get better prices in because of the impracticability of for-

This conclusion is reached by A. V. AUSTRALIAN MEAT ADMITTED arms is now regarded as a move to de-Stubenrauch and H. J. Ramsey, who were sent to the Rogue River country San Francisco to Encourage Ship-

ments to Lower Prices.

San Francisco-Following a conference between San Francisco meat dealers and Mayor James Rolph, Jr., it was announced Saturday that shippear-growers of the Rogue River valley and other sections of Oregon where ments of meat from Australia will be pears are grown commercially, has admitted at this port, and this, it is just been published in Bureau of Plant said, means there will be a cut in prices to consumers of from 1 to 2 Hood River-The management of the shipments from the Antipodes say dead at the home of her owner, Mrs. the Apple Growers' association, Hood they have formulated plans to resist Elizabeth Grinnell, of Pasadena. She River's new amalgamation of apple any fight in the shape of a meat war was 25 years old.

marketing agencies, is now securing that may be thrust upon them. the signatures of growers to contracts. It is said that 300 tons of beef and friends many of the notables who have with slips to accommodate several for the shipment of the year's apple mutton will be brought here from Auspassed their winters in Pasadena in The greater tralia in May, and the final purpose is all the modern electrical appliances portion of next week will be passed by to increase the extent of the ship- Mrs. Russel Sage, who, on her last the members of the association in ments until 2000 tons a month are holding a series of meetings in the being received. The initial shipment the shoal at the mouth of the Columbia important sections of the valley, that reached this port several weeks river are two things which the people where all of the details of the new ago was held up temporarily by Federal health authorities, due to a ques-P. S. Davidson has been elected tion of tagging carcasses which arose. president of the new association and Dealers say that this meat, when it C. W. Hooker, secretary, the latter was distributed to retailers, was prohaving been a member of the board of nounced satisfactory.

directors of the Apple Growers' union.

tralian meat. Astoria - L. R. Harrington, state field worker for the juvenile industrial

Hunger Ranks Wavering. fair branch of the Oregon Educational Colorado Springs - Four of the 17 department, passed the past week, in members of the Industrial Workers of theories of the extreme egg possibilicompany with County Superintendent the World, now on a hunger strike in ties of a hen have been shattered by O. H. Byland, visiting schools in this the city jail, notified Chief of Police the exceptional Theodosia, who in her county, with a view of arousing the Burns Monday night that they were lifetime laid several times the number interest of the pupils and parents in days of their jail sentence, provided Mr. Harrington is familiar with they received the regulation prison hen could attain to. this branch of school work and he sucfare. The decision came at the conclusion of a stormy "star chamber" session at which those tiring of the bread and water on which they had the teachers on the progress that has subsisted for 48 hours were called "in-

Stockholders Favor Rise.

surgents" by their companions.

New York-Owners of millions of dollars' worth of railroad securities park, appeared in a wagon and adand one whose wealth alone is estimated in the hundreds of millions, Ashland - Agriculturalists in this favored the wage increase awarded locality are preparing to enter the Saturday to the Eastern railroad firelists of Eastern land show exhibits, on men, and made personal appeals to the recommendation of the Oregon Develboard of arbitration in their belhaf. This fact was made known by Judge opment league. Inasmuch as the Chambers, chairman of the board, who State Immigration commission bears declined, however, to disclose the the expense of forwarding and exhibnames of those who had interceded.

Idaho Alien Law Repealed.

and other products from this district during the coming summer and have them classified in a systematic manner sion of the legislature, so Chinese and Japanese now can own and hold all the for two decades, says that the 45-foot land they can purchase in the state. Oregon Agricultural College, Cor-On recommendation of the governor vallis- Advanced students of farmall anti-alien legislation was wiped out power machinery at the college are because of its effect in deterring Euro- ready over 20 feet above low water. studying four types of traction en- pean capitalists from investing in the The law becomes effective shipped to the college for demonstra- May 1.

Altitude Record Broken.

Bellenger, of the marine corps, asviding for an eight-hour day generally machine.

FOREST SERVICE ARRAIGNED **AUSTRIA MOVES** AGAINST ENEMY

Reported to Have Entered Montenegro With Large Force.

Proclaimes Himself King of Albania-Coup Complete.

Cettinje-Essad Pasha, the defender of Scutari, who surrendered the town to the Montenegrins and was permitted to depart with his troops, sensational than the charges often has proclaimed himself king of Al-

> London-According to a report published in Berlin, an Austrian naval division has left Trieste with 10,000 troops, with the intention of occupying Antivari Dulcigno and San Giovanni di Medue, and advancing against Cettinje.

> The Strassburger Post asserts that the German emperor has received a telegram saying the Austrians already have entered Montenegro. This probably is premature, but little doubt is felt that Austria is determined to move alone unless the ambassadorial conference at London resolves upon

> European action. Essad Pasha, the hero of Scutari, who had a picturesque and adventurous Alessio and is proceeding to Tirana to

Essad Pasha is an Albanian chief-In one intsance the forest service got tian of the type which earned for the was always opposed to the young repressive measures in Al-

The whole scheme of the alleged storming of Scutari and the marching out of Essad Pasha's army with their ceive Europe. Essad is said to have joined Djavid Pasha's army of 9000 men, and if he has the support of Servia and Montenegro it will be a severe blow for Austria.

WORLD RECORD HEN IS DEAD

At Age of 25 Years Had Laid Over 4500 Eggs.

Pasadena-Theodosia Roosevelt, so named because of her evident antagonism toward race suicide, said to cents a pound. Dealers interested in have been the oldest hen in America is

Theodosia numbered among ber the last quarter century, among them visit to this city, made three calls at

the Grinnell home to pet Theodosia. The aged hen laid approximately 4500 eggs in her long and useful life, besides mothering many broods of incubator-hatched chickens. Statisticians figure that the eggs laid by Theodosia, at the average price of only 25 cents a dozen, were worth The health authorities of Oakland \$93.75. The accepted cost of keeping also have moved to accept the Aus- a hen in these parts is \$1 a year, making Theodosia's net earnings \$68.75. At a capitalized value of \$1.25, she has made 3000 per cent on her valua-

tion for her owners. Poultry experts admit their accepted ready to work out the remaining seven of eggs that naturalists and poultry college experts would have said any

Hyde Park Again Bedlam. London - Hyde Park again was

turned into a bedlam by the suffragettes and their opponents last Sunday afternoon. The women, declining to recognize the police order that no suffrage meetings were to be held in the dressed a small crowd. Immediately youths commenced to gather and an attempt was made to drag the wagon to the Serpentine for the purpose of ducking the women. Mounted and foot police intervened just in time to save the women from rough handling.

High Columbia Forecast.

Wenatchee, Wash. - High water records for 15 years will be boken by the Columbia river this spring, say Boise, Idaho—All laws prohibiting old river men. B. W. Jones, official forecaster for the Columbia & Okano-Idaho were repealed at the recent sescurately gauged the rise of the stream record of 1909 will be exceeded by 10 feet at least. The river is rising at the rate of two feet a day and is al-

Funeral Cargo Planned.

San Francisco-It is reported that arrangements are being made here by the great Chinese mercantile concern, Annapolis, Md. — The hydroaero-plane altitude record was broken twice fornia to China at a date yet to be here Saturday. Lieutenant P. M. L. fixed the mortal remains of between 5000 and 6000 Chinese, the skeletons cended 3710 feet in a Curtiss machine. of nearly all of the Chinese who have Later in the day Ensign Victor Herb- died in the state within the past 50 7.25; ewes, \$4.75@6.25; lambs, \$7 ran. This would eliminate many can-years. I can assure that they kept E. Hofer and a mass meeting will be ster climbed to 4450 feet in a Wright years. The transfer, it is said, will be made in a single shipload.