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Amount of Unpaid Taxes # Less Than a Year Ago by \$22,526.07.

TOTAL TAX IS GREATER # es. Since the original suit

Ashland and Medford Both Show Decrease in Amount of Unpaid Taxes.

If the total tax delinquency of Jackson county for the present year is a criterion the general financial condition shows a slight improvement over that of a year ago, the amount of delinquent taxes being two per cent less than the preceeding year.

Delinquent taxes in 1922 a mounted to \$228,707.78. This Wholesale Freeing of Oregon Prisyear the amount of unpaid taxes amounts to \$205,181.71, showing a reduction of \$22,526.07.

While the county as a whole year ago as against \$17,247.30 by Governor Pierce today. this year. The increase this year is

In the valley proper, which embraces orchards and farms, un-\$90,695.98. Since October taxpayers from the valley have paid in \$22,500.41 on the delinquent

Ashland Has Decrease

The amount of delinquency in Ashland is slightly less this year. Of the 1921 taxes \$25,163.27 re- MOHLER BOY VICTIM mained unpaid at the time rolls closed in 1922. This year the amount is \$18,071.30, the amount being \$7,091.25 less than

October 5 totals \$9,930.30.

year it is \$26,326.58, with \$4,- Or. 102.61 paid on the delinquent account since October 5.

Last year the total tax collection in the county amounted to \$1,025,732.04. This year the total tax collected amounts to \$1,050,910.90, and increase of convicts are in transition from \$25,178.86.

EPIDEMICS OF MEASLES

PORTLAND, Dec. 22. -The House toward the summit. spread of diptheria and measles has not yet been abated, and rec- ed at Valdor and Buckhorn. ords in the health office yesterday showed 165 cases of diphteria in quarantine and 561 cases of measles reported.

Although the spread of these two diseases has cut the attendance in schools down materially. LODI HAS SEVERAL City Health Officer Parrish be lieves that better results will obtain if the schools remain in sesand picking up the disease.

\$1,200,000 IS VALUE OF PINKERTON ESTATE been found.

cording to documents today in the working again. probate court here. The size of the tween \$10,000,000 and \$15,000,-

WEST SIDE HIGHWAY IS REPORTED OPEN

SALEM, Dec. 22.-The state highway commission today announced that the west side highway is now open for travel between McMinnville and Corvalroad and the Soap creek bridge crime.

MILLION DOLAR BREACH

PROMISE SUIT DROPPED ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. # 22.-The million dollar # # breach of promise suit # brought by Evan Burrows ## Fontaine, dancer, against # Cornelius "Sonny" Whit- # ney was dismissed by the Supreme Court. The coun- # nounced that she will # immediately bring anoth-

er action on similar charg- # # was instituted, Whitney # has married. Miss Fon-# taine charged that Whit- # the new was the father of her child. She has previously

been married.

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oners at Christmas Is Frowned Upon.

SALEM, Dec. 22.—Convicts in shows a decrease in the amount of the Oregon penitentiary who had tired and left. The hearing was ordelinquent taxes the small tawns hoped that Christmas sentiment iginally schduled for 1:30 p. m. have an increase in the amount would result in obtaining a par- but was evidently decided that of unpaid taxes. Delinquencies in don for them will be disappointed. they would not appear. small towns totaled \$16,381.95 a This was the announcement made

"There will be no wholesale slight, however, being only \$965 .- granting of pardons and paroles at the state penitentiary during the holidays this year," said the governor. "Executive clemency will paid taxes totalled \$90,695.98 in be given only in the regular course 1921. This year the amount to of business, and every appleation or pardon or parole will have careful investigation. I have imof the state parole board and have ness and greif over the bursting them to be careful in recommen- of their love bubble. The long

the preceeding year. Ashland tax- day with a borrowed shotgun, jail. payers have paid \$6,844.80 on the Chris Zweifel, 16, accidentally delinquent account since October tripped and fell on the gun, which first met the mother of her love was discharged. The shot tore off Medford has a delinquency of the nose and part of his forehead They have received her into the \$35,024.59 a year ago, while un- and left eye. He was brought to family circle and as one of them paid taxes this year total \$29,- Dr. W. G. McGee at Nehalem, who and she is proud and happy for 024.88, or \$5,899.71 less than the had him rushed to the Boals hos- that, she said. year previous. The amount paid pital in Tillamook where he lies on the delinquent account since in a precarious condition with only a fighting chance for his life. ty in court. He seemed anxious to The personal tax delinquency He is the son of Mrs. Chris Zwei- have it all over with and assumed

CONVICT ROAD CAMP IS MOVED TO SHASTA

WEAVERVILLE, Cal., Dec. 22. -Two hundred and twenty-five state highway camps in Trinity County to the headquarters camp nia. at Greenhorn Mine in Shasta

The office of the highway crew, which has been maintained in Weaverville for three or four. years, will be moved Saturday to Greenhorn, where new quarters have been built.

HICCOUGHING CASES

LODI, Cal., Dec. 22.-There is sion, preventing the well child- an epidemic of hiccoughs here. ren from running around town Since the strange case of E. L. French, which lasted 47 hours without cessation, was reported. other cases in milder form have

Wagner Sollars, clerk in the NEW YORK, Dec. 22 .- Wil- Beckman's Store, suffered a liam Allen Pinkerton, world fam- four-day attack during which he ous detective who died in Los suffered intermittently, coften Angeles on December 11, left an having an hour or two of rest. He state valued at \$1,200,000, ac- has entirely recovered and is

> with hiccoughs. Haskell has an was arrested in Portland yesteroccasional hour during which he day on a warrant issued here is free from hiccoughing.

MEXICANS PLEAD NOT GUILTY TO MURDER

KLAMATH FALLS, Dec. 22. A plea of not guilty was entered by Pablo Montes, Damacio Cadena CATTLE KILLED BY and Alonso Rovgoza when they appeared before Judge A. L. Leavitt

sel for Miss Fontaine an- # Grave Robber and "Sunshine girl" Arraigned in Wisconsin.

> GIRL PORTRAYS GRIEF Sailstad Maintains Jaunty Attitude, Indicating He is

> > Not Ashamed.

SUPERIOR, Wis., Dec. 21.-Edward J. Sailstad and his "sunshine girl," Dorothy Anderson, were arraigned before Judge S. S. Parker in municipal court yesterday and pleaded guilty to charges of arson. They were bound over to the superior court for sentence and bail fixed at

\$2500 each. Sailstad and Dorothy walked into the court room at an odd hour when most of the crowd that had hoped to see them had become

There was a good throng, however, to see the wan girl who sacrificed her future on the man she loved and that man who confessed "robbing a grave and committing arson in an effort to blot out his past life and to elope" with his "sunshine girl."

Girl Shows Grief Striding a bit unsteady, the girl ding cases for executive clemen- trip from Napa, Cal., where they were caught, and four days of jail life was wearing on Dorothy.

She tried to appear composed OF BORROWED GUN and dignified as she faced the crowd of curious. It was an effort NEHALEM, Dec. 22. -While however, and she appeared thankout shooting chum salmon yester- ful when they led her back to the

It was in the jail that Dorothy mate and his brothers and sisters.

Sailstad Is Jaunty

Sailstad appeared almost jaunfor 1921 was \$31,402.48, and this fel, a widow, residing at Mohler, an attitude that indicated he not only is unashamed of the affair with his, "sunshine girl," but is willing to go before the court of public opinion and let the world know he "will stick" with her.

CONTINUES IN PORTLAND County, where they will work on things out and Sailstad is decreed have investigated a number of lo- of the trip to the hospital at treaty between the two counthe Buckhorn Road, from Tower to be free from his wife, who since cations in Oregon and Washing- Yreka by motor. The trip occu- tries, announced the state depart-The convicts have been station- Richardson of Eua Claire, Sailstad and his sunshine girl plan to marry, he said.

CARMICHAEL BLAMED FOR DEATH OF LUCAS

OROVILLE, Dec. 22.-That August Lucas came to his death from gunshot wounds inflicted by Thomas Carmichael was the verdict returned by a coroner's jury Thursday, following the shooting of Lucas near Bidwell Bar Tuessheriff's office to give himself up. ported. Dr. F. M. Whiting testified that three bullets had entered Lucas'

body from the back. FORMER POLICEMAN IS

Dr. H. J. Bolinger suffered Cullen, at one time last summer a charging him with issuing a bad check for \$400 as payment on an automobile and with forging the names of persons to a number of other checks.

TRAIN AT ANDERSON yesterday morning. These men ANDERSON, Cal., Dec. 22 .lis. Pavement has been completed were indicted by the grand jury Eight head of cattle have been 1 weasel were also taken and the evening. except a four-mile section be- for the murder of Jose R. Felix killed on the railroad track in the skins saved. Thirty-two badgers, tween Monmouth and the Luckia- on December 4, and following northern end of town in the past 36 porcupines, and 5 skunks were mute river and a one-half mile their arrest were said to have con- two days. Six at one time were taken but no part saved. An avsection between the Suver cross- fessed to having committed the slaughtered by a through pas- erage of 12 predatory animals per senger some time during the man per thirty days was taken A six-story wholesale building in Polk county. Both of these gaps The trial of Montes was set for night. It is understood the stock thruout the district an an aver- was gutted in a spectacular fire

Jest 'Fore Christmas

ATHER calls me William, sister calls me Will, Mother calls me Willie, but the fellers call me Bill! Mighty glad I ain't a girl-ruther be a boy. Without them sashes, curls an' things that's worn by Fauntleroy! Love to chawnk green apples an' go swimmin' in the lake-Hate to take the caster-ile they give for belly-ache! 'Most all time, the whole year round, there ain't no flies on me, But jest 'fore Christmas I'm as good as I kin be!

Got a yeller dog named Sport, sick him on the cat; First thing she doesn't know where she is at; Got a clipper sled, an' when us kids goes out to slide, 'Long comes the grocery cart, an' we all hook a ride! But sometimes when the grocery man is worried an' cross He reaches at us with his whip, an' larrups up his hoss, An' then I laff an' holler, "Oh, ye never teched me!" But jest 'fore Christmas I'm as good as I kin be!

Gran'ma says she hopes that when I git to be a man I'll be a missionarer like her oldest brother, Dan, As was et up by the cannibals that live in Ceylon's Isle, Where every propeck pleases, an' only man is vile! But gran'ma she has never been to see a Wild West show, Nor read the Life of Daniel Boone, or else I guess she'd know That Buffalo Bill and cowboys is good enough for me! Excep' jest 'ore Christmas, when I'm good as I kin be!

And then old Sport he hangs around, so solemn-like and still, His eyes they keep a-sayin': "What's the matter, little Bill?" The old cat sneaks down off her perch an' wonders what's become Of them two enemies of hern that used to make things hum! But I am so perlite an' 'ten so earnestly to biz That mother says to father: "How improved our Willie is!" But father, havin' been a boy hisself, suspicions me When, jest 'fore Christmas, I'm as good as I kin be!

For Christmas, with its lots an' lots of candies, cakes an' toys, Was made, they say, for proper kids an' not for naughty boys: So wash yer face an' bresh yer hair, an' mind yer p's and q's, An' don't bust out yer pantaloons, an don't wear out yer shoes: Say "Yessum" to the ladies, an' "Yessur" to the men, An' when they's company, don't pass yer plate for pie again; But, thinkin' of the things yer'd like to see upon that tree, Jest 'fore Christmas be as good as yer kin be!

President Coolidge on Important Matter.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22. -A

nations is considered of impor- garage. limitation.

JACKSONVILLE IS TO HAVE A SAWMILL

D. H. Clare and two sons-all experienced sawmill men, who recently sold a big lumbering plant Sailstad seems to sense the sym- at Cambridge, Idaho, have been broken bones of his leg protru- WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The ner has 375 days yet to serve un- forgotten to close a switch, and pathy of the public which is pro- here or several days looking over ding through the flesh, Walter American government has sub- der his sentences. Under the con- the engineer couldn't switch, and nounced here as it was in Califor- this place with a view of establish- Kearney was conveyed from Cecil- mitted counter suggestions to ditions of his pardon he must the engineer couldn't see where he ing a lumbering plant in or near ville over the Salmon Mountains Great Britain in connection with pay off the fine at the rate of was bound for in the fog. If the court can straighten Jacksonville, says the Post. They on muleback, making the last lap drafting the twelve mile limit his disappearance marred L. C. ton and are sure that this is by pied fourteen hours. Kearney sus-

SAY HOSTILITIES HAVE CEASED IN PUEBLA FRONT NEW HEALTH PROJECT

EL PASO, Dec. 21.-Hostilities have been suspended on the

ASSISTANT APPOINTED

SALEM, Dec. 22.-Miles McKey of Portland today was appointed ARRESTED IN EUGENE ting in Portland lived at Albany. January 1.

KILL 500 PREDATORY ANIMALS IN NOVEMBER

During November, 45 men

plicit confidence in the members came in showing signs of weari- Duke of Sutherland Confers With House Bursts Into Flames While Little Tot is Lone Occupant.

> conference over the possibility infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. the Third rebel brigade under now forming in Oregon. of calling an international conven- L Tate was burned to death yes- Gneral Sanchez south of Puebla tion for the limitation of air terday morning when the Tate after severe fighting, according OLD DAYS RECALLED craft was held at the White House residence took fire from an over- to dispatches from the War detoday between President Coolidge heated stove. Mrs. Tate had step- partment. The Revolutionaries and the Duke of Sutherland, un- ped outside to feed the dog and are said to have suffered heavy der secretary of British air forces, had been out of the house only a casualties. Following the conference, Suth- few minutes when the building erland indicted that it is believed burst into flames. The house was OREGON HAY PRODUCERS that the present time is not pro- small and of box construction, pitous for calling the convention, with only one door. Before help owing to the unwillingness of arrived the whole buliding was a

> > from the burning house.

MAKES PAINFUL TRIP

YREKA, Dec. 22.-With the far the best opening for a sawmill tained a compound fracture beto be found on the Pacific coast. low the knee when he was thrown from a horse Monday.

PLAN OF ASSOCIATION

A health center, where clinics all of which are furnished by exile. the sale of Christmas Seals.

TO ATTORNEY GENERAL LEADER OF FLORENCE BANK ROBBERY CAUGHT

PORTLAND, Dec. 22.-Tom He will assume his duties here plicated in the robbery, but the remaining three are being held for investigation.

MASCOT GETS DECISION

OVER DANNY EDWARDS worked a total of 1218 1-2 days Mascot won the decision rom Dan- city of Osaka has purchased ten the piano in the home, the theft to death at Utsaladdy, Camano and took 463 coyotes, 36 bobcats, ny Edwards in a ten-round bout tromometers and caused them to occurring on Tuesday night, while Island, as a result of a kerosene 1 wolf, a total of 500 predatory here last night. Weldon Wing be placed in various sections of all members of the family were lamp explosion, which destroyed animals. Eighteen badgers, 15 beat Mike DePinto to a decision the city. One of the tromometers at home and sound asleep. skunks, 2 racoons, 2 beavers and in another ten-round go of the Osaka records movements of the

WHOLESALE BUILDING IS GUTTED IN SAN FRANCISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22 .- Osaka. estimated at \$500,000.

PUEBLAIS

Adolfo De Lahureta, Chief # of Rebel Forces, Makes Peace Offer.

SANCHEZ IS DEFEATED # The distinguished party

Rebels Win Victory South of Puebla-But Sustain Heavy Losses.

TAMPICO, Dec. 22 .- Federal forces have recaptured Puebla from the rebels under the command of General Martinez, according to dispatches from the interior. Many rebels were slain and captured. Ten thousand federal troops attacked the revolutionists attempting to make a stand at Puebla, after abandoning Sananana and Xoshihuacan. The defeated forces are reported reforming their ranks at Losarcos.

Guerilla bandits are reported in full flight in the state of Lamauipas.

is attempting according to what state in his official capacity. vity on both sides since the battle of Sanmarcos.

Sanchez Is Defeated

SALEM, Dec. 22.—Oregon hay France to participate. However, mass of flames. The child was producers won their fight for re- day. The dust was the reward of the conference today between the three months old and the father duced freight rates when the three week's work by Mr. Krouse RUNS MILES ON WRONG representatives of the two great is a mechanic employed in a local State Public Service Commission and his partner, Fred Smith. It rendered a decision reducing rates is being cashed by a local bank tance relative to the question of Arthur Tuck former Olympic from five to thirty-five per cent, athlete and University of Oregon effective January 1. It is said the BOOTLEGGER IS FREED man carried the infant's body new rates will put Oregon growers on a parity with Washington and

WITH BROKEN LEG U. S. EXPLAINS DELAY IN

other neighboring states.

mating the agreement.

CONDITIONS IMPOSED ON RETURN OF VENIZELOS

Puebla front, according to a bul- may be held, and free service of a ciation of Army and Navy offi- year to the city, as the lights have harbor authorities and officials letin received by De La Huerta nurse given, is being established cers has announced a willingness been costing \$164 a month and partisans. Parleys between the by the Orgon Tuberculosis Asso- to have former Premier Venizelos the new price will be \$135. The rebellion leader, Mayette, and Ob- ciation in rooms placed at their return to Greece, provided he street lighting will be put on a regon leaders may result in a de- disposal by the North Pacifc Col- guarantees the banishment of the separate circuit. flection of a considerable body of lege of Dentistry, in East Port- Glucksburh dynasty, including day night and the subsequent ap- government troops in that neigh- land. This is but one of the many Prince Paul, brother of King PICKPOCKETS GET 5810 pearance of Carmichael at the borhood to the rebels, it is re- health projects of the Association, George, who is now virtually an

ENGINEER KILLED WHEN

assistant attorney-general and will Murray, confessed leader of the jured when the Dixie Limited Street, who said she had been session. EUGENE, Dec. 22.—Earl M. be assigned to the new state income tax department. Mr. Mc Bank of Florence December 11, ed completely over and Engineer negotiable paper. the greater part of one day, and member of the Eugene police force Key is a graduate of the Univerestate caused surprise because his fortune was believed to be behave caused the wreck.

JAP CITY BUYS OUTFIT

PORTLAND, Dec. 22.—Billy most in the next earthquake, the had been stolen from the top of 77, Civil war veteran, was burned earth's crust 250 times as large. Pulsations of the earth at Kobe and Kyto, cities near Osaka, are

said to be much less than those of

building.

PRESIDENTIAL YACHT IS DELAYED BY HEAVY FOG

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22 -The Presidential yacht, Mayflower, famous for its prominent passengers, among them being former # Presidents Wilson and Harding, was held to its dock today by a heavy fog, # Linville Reports 1678 Arpreventing a trip planned # by President Coolidge and a party of political friends. contemplated a trip down the Potomac, but navigation was impossible, due

to the fog. Despite the fact that the trip was delayed, the President and his party remained aboard the yacht

Fred L. Gifford, Head of Oregon Klansmen, Visits in This City.

Fred L. Gifford, Grand Dragon alty. which means head, of the Ku Klux De Lahuerta, civilian leader of the Ashland this week, and it is un-\$110.50 per convicted person. Mexican revolt, is reported to derstood paid two official visits

BY POKE OF DUST

BAKER, Dec. 22 .- A buckskin convictions. Fines totalled \$22,purse containing between \$500 | 571. and \$600 in gold dust, the property of W. A. Krouse, prospector valued at \$25,455. These figures WIN REDUCED FREIGHT of Greenhorn, was on display here do not include the strictly fedin the city yesterday, and brought eral cases of those handled by back to mind the olden, golden the local police.

CONDITIONALLY BY PIERCE

MONTESANO SIGNS A 5-YEAR LIGHT CONTRACT

MONTESANO, Wash. Dec. 22-A new five-year contract with the Washington Coast Utilities com-

lights was signed Wednesday. The new contract will mean a ATHENS, Dec. 22.—The asso- saving of approximately \$400 a

IN MONEY AND NOTE

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 22 .- The man was killed and several in- Mrs. Anna M. Gaskill, 516 Eighth term for having liquor in his pos

STOLEN FROM HOME after Christmas.

COLUSA, Cal., Dec. 22.-Mrs. WAR VETERAN BURNED TO TO REGISTER TEMBLORS L. A. Moore reported to the police this morning that five Christ-TOKIO, Dec. 22.-To find out mas packages, all packed and which part of the city shakes the done up ready for distribution, ing, Civil war veteran was burned

YOUNG GIRLS SWIM

TWENTY EIGHT MILES BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 22 .-Lillian Harrison, 17, girl swimming champion of South America. 25 hours.

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rests and 1445 Convictions in Oregon.

FINES TOTAL \$159,666.74

Six Counties Convict Every Man Arrested During Twelve Month Period.

PORTLAND, Dec. 22.-Dr. J. A. Linville, federal prohibition director, has announced figures showing the activities for all the sheriffs' offices of the state in prohibition enforcement during

1923. During the 12 months 1678 were arrested on liquor charges and 1445 were convicted. Since 86 per cent of those taken into custody either pleaded guilty or were found guilty, it may be deduced that a captured man has small chances of escaping the pen-

Fines reached the grand total VERA CRUZ, Dec. 22.—Adolfo Klan in Oregon, was a vistor in of \$159,666.74, an average of

Deschutes, Douglas, Gilliam, have made peace overtures to the to the local Klan. Gifford left yes- Josephine, Lincoln and Sherman leaders of the federal forces. He terday for other towns in the counties all convicted every man arrested. The Coos county sherare believed well founded reports. Reports emenating from Port- iff's office made 150 arrests, the to arrange a conference with fed- land, one of which appeared in largest number outside of Multeral military chiefs. There has the Tidings of December 20, in- nomah, and secured 130 convicbeen comparatively little inacti- dicated that Gifford is facing a tions. Klamath came next with fight with his own ranks. L. I. 119 cases and 92 convictions. Powell, former king kleagle of the Washington had 112 arrests with Klan, and Gifford have come to 103 convictions. The enthusiasm MEXICO CITY, Dec. 22.—The the parting of the ways, Powell of the Washington county courts federal troops, commanded by being one of the incorporators of may be judged from the fact that REDMOND, Or., Dec. 22.—The General Cruz were defeated by the Allied Protestant Association, Klamath, with nearly as many convictions, assessed fines of only \$5546, while Washington as-

sessed \$12,678. The Multnomah sheriff's office made 231 arrests and secured 190

Fifty automobiles were seized

RAILROAD TRACK IN FOG LONDON, Dec. 22.-Anything may happen in a London fog. An engineer pulled his train out of Victoria Station recently dur-SALEM, Dec. 22 .- Governor ing a heavy fog, bound for Work-Pierce has issued a condition- ing. He brought the train to a al pardon to George Turner, who standstill some time later in the TWELVE-MILE TREATY is in jail in Multnomah county vicinity of Southampton, miles on a charge of bootlegging. Tur- away from Working. Someone had

GROUNDING OF BIG LINER

WILL BE INVESTIGATED NEW YORK, Dec. 22.-A Naval poard of inquiry, consisting of an admiral and four officers of high rank, has been appointed to conpany for furnishing the city with duct a hearing on the grounding of the giant liner Leviathan and fix responsibility. This makes of the United States Line, which operates the liner, are conducting

MAY ASK GOVERNOR TO PARDON JUDGE

SALEM, Dec. 22 .- It was reported here today that Governor first report of pickpockets op- Pierce will be requested to issue DIXIE LIMITED WRECKED erating in the holiday crowds a conditional pardon for Judge here this season was made to the Keyes of Wasco county, who re-MARIETTA, Ga., Dec. 22.—One police yesterday afternoon by cently was sentenced to a jail

> tenced several weeks ago, it has been announced that he will not start serving his jail term until

DEATH IN RESIDENCE

SEATTLE, Dec. 22-Henry Vin the dwelling he occupied. He was at one time county surveyor of Skagit county.

RESIGNS POST

PARIS, Dec. 22 .- The Greek arrived here after successfully minister of finance, Conifas, reare graveled and will carry light January 15 and the other two will belonged to T. R. Kendall, Amos age of 13 for the men working in early this morning. The loss is 4 story Higgins-Warren-Niemi the Platte. She was in the water not accepted, according to a dispatch from Athens.