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Conditions in Other Lines # fusal to appropriate funds to # Out of 9,131 Accidents. of Industries Are Less Favorable

### BUILDING STILL ACTIVE

**Business Activities Abroad Speed**ing Up, Says Federal Reserve Board's Review

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8 .-- Continued recession in almost every Medford Clarion, Bend Bulletin, business field, with agricultural producers, favored by rising prices, constituting an outstanding exception to the trend, was vival of sizeable extent.

the United States entered July Home Town Merchants." ing declines were noted in whole- the School of Journalism, Universale price levels and in the volume sity of Oregon, with Hal Hoss,

The redeeming condition in the A cash prize of \$100 was fair sized crop at prices some- tical illustrations. A large com- 93 per cent of the 9,131 acciin the western range country and able time reading the aticles sub- car drivers been careful at all growing sections were adverse judges was referred to the editor- From wet and slippery pavefactors reported in the agricultur- ial convention the prize money ments, the report of Mr. Kozer al field.

### **Building Fairly Active**

proceeded apace in the United Sawyer, editor, on a ty-fifty not stated, 59 accidents. States for many months, in June basis. were declared to have shown seasonal contraction but to be still the topic suggested mentioned in proper lights, and nine from parkinvelving construction with a val- the official report were the Clarue considerably above the aver- ion's "Keep the Money at Home,"

sharpened, the review said, under land, Trade is Ashland Made," fog, while defective brakes and tional fiscal policies and lessen- Home Merchant and Oregon Pro- Jaywalking caused 53 mishaps, ed tensity in international rela- ducts."

"Economic conditions in Eur- SALE OF GOLD HILL ope during the first half of 1924 have been characterized by an increase in industrial activity," it | Smelting company, with headwas added, "a growth in domes- quarters at Gold Hill, today retic and foreign trade, and in many ceived authority frem the state countries by smaller fluctuations corporation commissioner to sell in prices and exchange rates. \$30,000 stock. The smelter, ac-Countries whose currencies depre- cording to the articles of incorciated violently in 1922 and 1923 poration, will be equipped to take have since adopted financial re- care of practically every kind of forms, resulting during the year ore mined in western and southin greater stability, and in con- ern Oregon. sequence business in those countries was no longer under the for \$200,000 in common stock constant necessity of adjusting and \$100,000 preferred at \$1 a itself to wide uncertainties in share. The officers are: C. A. Olmonetary values and was con- son, Medford, president; M. S. ducted more directly with refer- Johnson, Gold Hill, vice-presience to general economic develop- dent; P. M. Johnson, Medford, sec-

### ments. Europe Shows Improvement

"Beginning with the latter part of 1923 and continuing until May COUNTY APPEALS CASE of this year, unemployment through a large part of Europe has diminished, production in basic industries has increased and ed notice of appeal to the state in contrast to preceding years supreme court from a decision in the time and character of change the circuit court last spring. in the business situation in the awarding judgment to the city different countries has shown a of Jacksonville to amount to considerable degree of uniform- \$6050 and \$27 legal fees, in an ity. More recently there have action to recover municipal bonds been indications of slackening of the City of Jacksonville. production and trade but for the This action grew out of the 1922 or 1923."

### REMAINS OF "DEAD MAN" DEER CARCASS

deer. Constable Marsh and Deputy Coroner Rossmann investi-

gated. Workmen on the Eugene-Klamath Falls cutoff saw the 'corpse' under the water in Salt Creek, 39 years, died Tuesday. Ammer- Oregon Soldiers' home, was here today. Ten cents from every man 24 miles above Oakridge. The animal was believed to have fallen from a 500-foot cliff that borders the stream.

Reedsport - New 2-story, \$7, 000 building being erected at "H" and 14th streets.

Coos Bay's newest industryhoop plant-starts business.

### DUBY MAY QUIT STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION

SALEM, Aug. # rumor persists here that # # William Duby, chairman of # # the State Highway commis- # # sion, threatens to resign. # Officials said Duby is un- # # satisfied at the attitude of # the other members of the # commissiono over their re- # # complete the Baker-Cornu- # # copia project.

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ONE OF FOUR BEST Sutherlin Sun and Tidings

Close for Honors

shown in the federal reserve Oregon State Editorial Associa- Sam A. Kozer, secretary of state. ness conditions, made public to- an unusual feature of interest in carelessness. day. The countries of Europe at the form of an exhibit of 125 edithe same time were declared to totrials and articles printed in included speeding, 183; failure to be experiencing a commercial re- Oregon papers within the past six give right-of-way, 1,381; reckless months upon the topic of "Bene- driving, 260; cutting corners, Steel, textile, automobile and fits of Town and Country of Pat- 372; double at intersections, 155; nonferrous metal industries of ronfzing Oregon Industries and driving while intoxicated, 123;

with decreased employment, the The symposium was the first ing on left side of street or highments, running 15 per cent below arranged by Dan C. Freeman, reversing directions in middle of the volume of a year ago, and manage of the Associated Indus- block, 40; passing to left sales in distributing channels of tries of Oregon, who originated streetcars while discharging pasthe retail and wholesale trades, the idea and who had the co-op- sengers, 31; inexperience, 24; alike dropped off. Accompany- eration of George Turnbull, of jockeying on bridges, 21. of commercial loans extended by president of the Editorial Association.

line of agricultural production up for the best editorial or ar- if the operators of the vehicles was noted principally in the cer- ticle along constructive lines and responsible for the accidents had eal growing regions, although cot- especially with regard to origin- been careful instead of reckless, ton was said to be promising a ality, logic and appeal, and prac- said Mr. Kozer today. More than what above spring levels. Drought mittee of judges spent consider- dents were preventable had all bad weather in scattered tobacco mitted. When the decision of the times. ion, William E. Phipps, editor, ding, and from accidents on wet Building operations, which have and the Bend Bullet, Robert W. pavement where the cause was

the Bulletin's "Insure Yourself." Business activities abroad have the Ashland Tiding's "With Ash- There were five accidents due to the encouragement of better na- and the Sutherlin Sun's "The

SALEM, August 7-The Sunset

The corporation is capitalized retary, and A. C. Hough, of Grants Pass, acting attorney.

### TO SUPREME COURT

The county of Jackson has fil-

first half-year as a whole busi- failure of the Bank of Jacksonness has been more active than for ville in August, 1920. The bonds corresponding periods in either were given to the county treasof the bank, as security for countheir return, and won the first nounced nature to say relative to paying ore. "Not even a color was of a man, reported to have been Roberts represents the city of ance. discovered above Oakridge Sun- Jacksonville, and District Attorday, was found to be that of a ney Newton Borden the county, NEW APPOINTEE HOLDS -Mail Tribune.

### BUSINESS MAN DIES

Ammerati, a native of Italy, aged appointed commandant of the ancial campaign, it was announced ati had been in the grocery busi- yesterday conferring with Gover- woman and child in Ashland is king of featherweights, Johnny ness in Dunsmuir for several nor Pierce, State Treasurer Myers the goal of the Army for this Dundee, has been asked to show years. He is survived by his and other state officials. Mr. day.

8,480 Might Have Been

DUE TO CARELESSNESS

Avoided

Many Causes Given for Wrecks; Carelessness Caused 5,457 and Intexication 123

SALEM, August 8.-That of gon between January 1 and June 30, 5,457 were due entirely to carelessness on the part of driv-PORTLAND, August 8-The ers was the statement today of

Coupled with this cause may be failure to give signal, 290; driv-

Many Avoidable This makes a total of 8,480 accidents which might have been avoided, and many lives that

was voted to the Medford Clar- shows 140 accidents from skid-

Thirty-six accidents were caused The four leading articles upon by having no lights, 26 from iming with no lights. This makes a total of 71 accidents caused by a failure to comply with the law equipment caused 110 wrecks. and there are a few listed under obstructed view, loss of control, failure to alight properly, insuf-SMELTER STOCK APPROVED ficient clearance, falling asleep, fire and runaway teams.

Replying to Inquiry, Independent Candidate Says Organization Cannot Survive

ator La Follette, independent him in Oregon under the laws of candidate for the presidency, in- this state at the expiration of the dicates that he is opposed to ninety day permit. This provis-Knights of the Ku Klux Klan. In ion of the law applies to privatea letter to Robert Scripps, New ly owned and operated vehicles York, who had directed an in- and does not apply to anyone dequiry to La Follette as to his at- siring to engage in commercial titude, the Wisconsin senator work with their vehicle.

"I am unalterably opposed to ANOTHER DENIES RICH evident purposes of the secret organization known as the Ku Klux Klan as disclosed by its public

acts. It cannot long survive." Klan.

didate for the presidency to de- Cox went into the "gold field" clare opposition to the Klan, John but he reports that he failed to

CONFERENCE WITH PIERCE DUNSMUIR, August 8-Ercole Hendershott of Portland, newly a part of the Army's annual finwidow, a son, Joseph, and daugh- Hendershott succeeds Judge Geo. The drive is progressing stead- fans. W. Riddle and will assume the ily, according to officials in management of the institution charge, and it is hoped that the the Portland Boxing Commission, Oregon City—No. 1 mill of the early next week. The transfer tag day will be a success and will has tendered Dundee's manager similar should not be required of family, but was of nervous tem-Hawley Pulp & Paper Co., des- will be made by W. A. Dalziel, net a considerable sum to the an offer of \$10,000 with the privimotor tourists. troyed by fire in October, 1923, is secretary of the state board of cause. now rebuilt and turning out pa- control, who will go to Roseburg

CLEVELAND, August 8-Babe Ruth, the slugging outfielder of the New York Yankees, hit his 37th homerun of the season today

### ANGLO-RUSSIAN TREATY IS SIGNED

LONDON, August 8-The treaty between Soviet Russia and England, the first ever made between the two governments, was signed tonight. It includes a general treaty and trade agreement. The British signatures did not include the name of King George.

CANYON CITY YOUNG WOMAN KILLED; OTHERS INJURED

CANYON CITY, Ore., August 8-Miss Bernice McCool was instantly killed, Richard Lindholm, critically injured, and Mrs. Annie Ince and Jack Pocock slightly injured, when an automobile in which they were riding left the road and overturned near here last night. Lindholm was driving and officers who investigated said the car must have been traveling 50 miles an hour. Lindholm was arrested the 9,131 auto accidents in Ore- twice within the past 10 days for speeding.

### FLIERS STILL MEETING WITH DELAY

REYKJAVIK, Iceland, August 8-Due to the heavy ice pack this morning, and told of the lying off Angmagsalik, Greeland, American Army and Naval officials may decide to establish a sea base for Lieutenants Smith and board's monthly review of busi- tion at its annual convention had Many more were partly due to Nelson, American round the world fliers. However, if the Danish supply ship, Rask, is able to force its way through the ice within the next few days, the original plan will be carried out, having the back up the "expert" testimony Yankee airmen make Greenland the next stopping point.

### CALIFORNIA FIRES BURN OVER 9000 ACRES

SAN FRANCISCO, August 8-More than 9,000 acres have been burned over and thousands more are menaced by two major fires ways nervous, had fainting spells, which are being fought with all available resources. The Cassel drank a good deal, was immature, blaze in Shasta National forest is uncontrolled and running wild before a high wind. A distastrous fire is raging the Plumas National review said, while railroad ship- of the kind ever gathered and was way, 64; improper parking, 79; forest. James Hunter, Klamath Indian, began serving a 30-day sentence in the Humbolt jail for having falled to extinguish a camp fire which started a small forest fire.

Secures Information Will Aid C From Raffety; Many Oregon Men Violating Law

To get authentic information

Bona fide residents of the state of Oregon are required to license such vehicles as may be owned by them under the laws of this state. The fact that a resident of Oregon may spend a few months in another state does not entitle him to operate a vehicle over the highways of this state under foreign license.

Every non-resident of Oregon upon entering this state must make application for a visitor's permit covering such motor vewhich has been licensed under the laws of his own state. This per mit entitles him to operate motor vehicles over the highways of Oregon for a period of ninety time, the law presumes to determine his residence status for motor vehicle license purposes.

Occupation is not given consideration in the Act. Therefore, whether employed or not, such nonresident would be required to

GOLD ORE STRIKE KLAMATH FALLS, Aug. 7 .-Reports of the finding of gold lans. La Foliette quoted Abraham in the vicinity of Diamond Lake Lincoln and Thomas Jefferson in recently are unfounded, is the support of his stand against the report of W. H. Cox, packer, and guide of the Diamond Lake dis-La Follette is the second can- trict, who resides at Prospect.

## SATURDAY TAG DAY

Saturday will be tag day for SALEM, Aug. 8.—William M. the Salvation Army in Ashland, as PORTLAND AFTER BIG

Camp; Meeting Featured by Duet by Woods Brothers

At the regular noon meeting of two alienists, possible in establishing and main- weight.

taining the camp. formers were compelled to re- osophy of utter selfishness. spond with the third number.

Johnny Gruelle suggested that weekly contribution be taken ULAITH hicles owned and operated by him from members and the funds applied to the purchase and equipment of another playground. Mr. Gruelle suggested the idea of the equipping of another playground in another district with a view Declare Difficulties Increasing; days, at the expiration of which to relieving children from the east side coming clear over to the west side for recreation. No action was recorded on the sug-

gestion. Fred C. Homes was asked to respond to the subject, "How's WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—Sen- license any motor vehicle used by satisfaction to all those present. 'he Farm, Fred?" and did with A number of guests were in at-

TITHIANS POSTPONE TRIP TO SEE COPCO Owing to the fact that many which was to have been made Sunday, has been postponed, it was announced this afternoon by I. H. Fuller, secretary of the Lith-

date, Mr. Fuller announced.

### GOVERNOR ASKS FOR ECONOMY IN BUDGET

W. Davis, Democratic nominee, find anything more valuable that Pierce has served notice on all urer by W. H. Johnson, cashier having declared yesterday that he lava. Several other prospectors leads of state institutions to cut was opposed to the organization, also equipped with pans started out frills and unnecessary items ty funds. The bank failed, and and made the announcement that investigations. They have all in preparing their burget estithe treasurer had the municipal in his speech of acceptance he come out now, Cox states, and nates. Prompt action was askbonds. Jacksonville filed suit for would have something of a pro- they failed to locate any of the ed by the Governor in making up EUGENE, August 8—The body legal tilt. Attorney George M. religious toleration and intoler- found," is the comment of Cox passed on by the state budget ommission, composed of the governor, Secretary of State, Kozer, FOR SALVATION ARMY and State Treasurer, Myers. The legislature takes final action.

### CHAMPIONSHIP BOUT

PORTLAND, August 8. - The his class before Portland boxing

Matchmaker Harry Hansen of ilege of 35 per cent of the gate receipts to box here Labor Day at the baseball park.

Fraternity Brothers of Loeb # farms. All wire communi- # Spokesman for Gompers Stand

### SAY LOEB IMMATURE

College Chums of Young Slayers Claim Leopold Had Philosophy of Utter Selfishness

CHICAGO, August 8-College tudents, fraternity brothers of Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb passed rapidly through the witness box in Judge Caverly's court 'queerness' which characterized

both youths in school. It was all "lay" testimony to of alienists that the defendants were mentally disabled when they murdered Robert Franks. Loeb, the college youths said, was alirresponsible, impractical, and read dime novels.

Leopold, they said, always talked of "superman philosophy," had weird ideas of right and wrong, and his philosophy seemed to be, "what ever gives me pleasure is right."

mony very seriously. The defense planned to wind up the "lay" tes-

for Ashland residents on the pro- and luncheon of the Kiwanis club While the college chums of the visions of the law requiring non- today two movements of local im- two young killers filed through residents of owners to register portance were given the unani- the stand, with their evidence their cars, the Tidings wrote to mous endorsement of the organi- showing the mental irresponsibil-Sam A. Kozer, secretary of state, zation, the Y. M. C. A. and Boy liv of Loeb and Leopold, State's who referred the letter to T. A. Scouts. Not only were the two Attorney Crowe and his assist-Raffety, chief of the traffic di- organizations given the endorse- ants paid close attention, but did appointed in the order and convis on. The following is Mr. Raf- ment of the Kiwanians, but they not cross-exance a witness. pledged active support to the an- From their attitudes, it was evi- is generally recognized that huntnual camp of the Boy Scouts and dent that they did not believe will render every assistance that the testimonies carried much

Intimate views of the two A violin duet by Chester and youths on trial were given by Harvey Woods, brothers, accom- the'r friends. Loeb, from their panied on the piano by their descriptions, was a wild liver with mother, Mrs. E. A. Woods, was a a brain that had not fully develfeature of the noon meeting and oped. Leopold, according to their sport affection. luncheon. The numbers called testimony, had a glorified opinfor a heart encore and the per- ion of h'mself, and had a phil- brought home in the coming of

Control of Tourists Urged by Doctor

bile tourists have increased public health problems, but airplanes are going to multiply them several fold, according to Dr. Walter M. Dick.e of San Francisco, sec- also capable of winning the title retary and executive officer of from the Golden Bears of Cali- pers and other trade union oftendance at the meeting lunch- the state board of health of Cali- fornia.

Dr. Dickle yesterday addressed the annual conference of city and county health authorities of the Pacific coast and was the speak-Lithians are absent from the city, er at the luncheon tendered the from Klamath and Jackson coun-ment than that. the Lithian excursion to Copco. visitors by the Social Workers' ties at Huckleberry mountain, ac-W. C. A.

from communicable diseases Lake country to the mountain, divine right of judges to do as should not be checked, but should The trip will be made at a later be under supervision," Dr. Dickle 1500 persons picking berries, and declared in telling the convention of proposed standardized interstate auto camp regulations. gratory families spreading small- this year on account of the dry inspiring the Clayton act, or settlmunities almost entirely unvac- busy picking for weeks to come." contended. cinated. "Smallpox of a virulent type is more prevalent now in the MYSTERY WOMAN IS

> Control of Campers Urged camps, pure drinking water and pital.

proper disposal of waste.

Josephine county steadily increasing production alfalfa hay. | new \$80,000 church.

The state did not cross-examine the witnesses to any extent, and evidently did not take the testitimony today and to conclude the case Monday with the testimony

PORTLAND, Aug. 8.-Automo-

### FIVE KILLED, MANY INJURED BY TORNADO

MILWAUKIE, Aug. 8. -# Five persons are reported # ## dead, a score or more injur- ## # ed and property damage # # running into thousands of # tt dollars has been recorded as tt the result of two tornadoes, # the which leveled twenty square ## miles of growing grain and ## at cation has been destroyed. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .

# TO CLOSE SEASON

Will Confirm Action of State Game Commission, Which is Butt of Charge

SALEM, August 8. - Governor Pierce will some time next week issue a confirmation closing the hunting season in Oregon, it was announced at the executive's of-

fice today. The governor reserves the right to reopen the season any time sufficient rain falls and eliminates the existing forest fire hazard which prevails throughout the

The governor's position on the hunting season was made public following a conference this morning with the State Game commission, and during which Attorney Winslow, Salem, representing hunters charged the commission with conspiring to "put it over on the governor" and the Forestry ers. service with extravagance. The Game commission immediately

denied the charge. Action was recorded several days ago by the State Game commission in closing the season and recent "association and training" it was expected that the governor as a Wall street lawyer, and told would confirm their action, due to of an attempt by Davis to get the unusual hazard that exists all over the state, due to the pro-

longed drouth. While many hunters will be disfirmation closing the season, it ing will be extremely difficult until after a heavy rainfall.

### OREGON AND O. A. C.

COACHES ON THE JOB PORTLAND, August 8. - Another six weeks and the pigskin will replace the horsehide in

The nearness of the season is Coach Schissler, new Oregon Aggie mentor, who was entertained early this week by O. A. C. alumni at La Grande. And word comes that Oregon's new coach, Joe Maddock, has been studying under Stagg at Chicago and will soon come to Oregon to handle the varsity at Eugene. New coaches at the Oregon schools has brought about a keener sense slanderous at all about trade unof rivalry for football honors,

students say. One of the biggest seasons in his office in the Central Trust Pacific Coast football is predict- Company of Illinois at Chicago ed. Stanford and Washington than he began the organization loom as particularly strong, with of what he calls : the Minute Men Idaho and U. S. C. also rated as of the Constitution.'

### 1500 PERSONS AT

There are about 1500 persons vicious and unwarranted stateassociation of Oregon at the Y. cording to district game warden lican party, by nominating Dawes, "Travel of persons suffering from a trip through the Crater views-his championship of the

"Although there is a crowd of they please with union men." the Klamath Agency Indians are commencing to come in, very few more bitter than that made of berries are being found," said Mr. Davis by Gompers. Gompers den-There is particular danger of mi- Parr. "The crop is very short ied Davis had anything to do with pox on account of the large com- season, but many persons will be ing the railroad strike as Wilson

Control of auto campers, Dr. terious unclad woman found on a him a list of questions on issues Dickle said, could best be brought gravel bar of the Columbia river in which labor is vitally interestabout by reciprocal reports from near Junction City last Saturday ed. Gompers refused to do this, one health officer to another re- was today identified as Mrs. Vesta saying it would be unfair to the garding contagious cases on the Granger, registered nurse, who in other candidates. road. He also advocated clean 1922 worked in a Roseburg hos- In the letter Compers also

The woman was identified by ing: Dr. Paul A. Turner, state health Mrs. Rudolf Hansen, of Walker, "We recall no instance in commissioner for Washington, who worked with Mrs. Granger at which La Follette has hesitated spoke along similar lines, partithe hospital. Mrs. Hansen said to give faithful service in furthcularly with relation to uniform Mrs. Granger mentioned to her erance of legislation supported health legislation. Dr. Robert M. many times that she had a moth- by our movement." Mullen of Vancouver, B. C., said er and nieces in Portland, but that if steamers were required to did not mention any names. Mrs. Brownsville building new sewhave clean bills of health there Granger was always well dressed ers, placing additional fire hywas no reason why something and seemed to belong to a good drants and improving water sysperment, Mrs. Hansen said.

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Charges Consistent Anti-Union Activity

DAVIS ALSO ATTACKED

Gompers Charges Democratic Nominee Did Not Inspire Clayton Act ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 8.-A new blast was fired at

Charles G. Dawes, Republican vice-presidential nominee, by the American Federation of Labor today, charging him with "consistent anti-union activity." It was time to balance its criticism of the Democratic presidential nominee, John W. Davis, whose labor record was scored

by Samuel Gompers in a letter sent by the labor chief to the Democratic national committee. This double barrelled offensive against the two old party line ups is calculated to emphasize vigorously the federation's indorsement of La Follette, the indepen-

### dent candidate.

Woll Is Spokesman The statement against Dawes was issued this morning by Matthew Woll; spokesman for Gomp-

Gompers in his letter to William B. Wilson, of the Democratic national campaign committee, denied that Davis ever did anything for labor, pointed to Davis' together with Gompers.

Gompers spurned the plea of Wilson for delay of La Follette indorsement until after Davis makes his acceptance speech in Clarksburg next week. Follow-

ing this up, Woll said: "If Mr. Davis intends to maneuver for labor's favor as has been indicated by his attempt to interview Mr. Gompers and by Mr. Wilson's appeal for an impossible delay, we look forward to a similar maneuver in one form or another from the Republican or-

ganization. Both May Seek Favor "It is not impossible that both sides may seek to recover some of their lost favor through the medium of acceptance, but no amount of talk can change a re-

cord of action. "But we have had about enough of conversational friendships." During the war - while both Gompers and Dawes were serving -Dawes "wasn't saying anything ionists,"- Woll said. "But no soon

er was General Dawes back in

"General Dawes has said Gomficials are more concerned about the right of union men to assault and murder peaceful citizens than HUCKLEBERRY MOUNTAIN about upholding the law of the land. No one has made a more

Roy Parr, who recently returned "accepts and indorses his peculiar

Dawes' Criticism Bitter The criticism of Dawes is much

Gompers also revealed that FOUND TO BE NURSE al conference, failed because of conflicting engagements, had sug-EUGENE, August 8 .- The mys- gested, that Gompers submit to

complimented La Follette, say-

Portland - Home of Pacific . Medford Methodists dedicate International Live Stock Exposition to be rebuilt.