

The investigation was started by gossip and rumor concerning the "something wrong" connection with the death of the last blood to the "fatal" McClintock fortune. McClintock died following an attack of typhoid fever, and the cause of his death was clearly stated in the death certificate made out and signed by a leading Chicago physician. He was buried here, but omnious rumors and gossip continued until the attention of the States Attorney was drawn to the case. It was rumored that the boy had either been poisoned or killed in some other manner, and the name of William Shepherd, foster father of the boy, and chief beneficiary in the will of the dead youth was prominent'y mentioned when the case was re-opened. Shepherd, who was in New the trio will be taken to Klam-Mexico at the time the probe ath Falls for arraignment before opened, immediately cancelled an the United States commissioner extended vacation tour and hurat that place, Glen O. Taylor, the ried back to Chicago to aid in the investigation, in order to clear his name of any blame. Shep-A young man by the name of herd was highly incensed at the try. Should they persist in this the driver of the Pate car, plead- now that the probe has fallen flat,

to the attention of many of those who will visit Oregon during the coming year, and this will mean that more will elect to live in Ashland.

A former Ashland citizen, who has been visiting here this week from California, reports that many of the smaller cities in that state are merely holding their own or losing population, and that thousands of Californians will be ready to locate in Oregon when they visit this state in 1925.

the hills and mountains and the County Judge George A. Gardner, lice, who notified Chief of Police welcome rains are storing up res- on a plea of guilty to a complaint McNabb. Monday night, McNabb ervoirs of water for this city in charging sale of intoxicating li- patrolled the Ashland-Klamath 1925, which indicate that the quor. His attorney, E. E. Kelly, Falls highway for several hours, summer of 1925 will not be dry, announced his intention of filing awaiting the arrival of the susas, unfortunately the summer of a writ of review, which will carry pect, who had left Klamath Falls 1924 was. The Emigrant creek the case to the circuit court. Da- in a taxicab, in company with a dam will enable the Talent Irri- hack entered a plea of guilty last woman companion. gation district to add a large Friday, and efforts to withdraw amount of water to the supplies it were denied. On Thursday, Da-highway proved fruitless, and coming from the mountains. This hack's bail of \$750 on a similar McNabb returned to the city, bewill also mean the irrigation of charge was ordered forfeited for thousands of acres tributary to non-appearance. Dahack was or-Ashland which have suffered be- dered remanded to the custody cause of a lack of water hereto- of the sheriff. fore. A third case of selling intoxi-

Ashland's new 9-story hotel, cating liquor is still pending when completed will mean that against Dahack, two indictments thousands of tourists will stop alleging violation of the liquor answered the description of the here who otherwise would drive laws, returned by the last grand suspect had arrived from Klamwill stand equal to other Pacific able to agree, at the trial of Da- Sumner. Constable Moreley was coast cities in this era of hotel hack on a similar charge, and notified, and McNabb arrested option. construction.

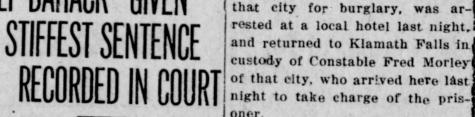
The California - Oregon Box deliberation. factory will be in operation and give employment to many supporters of families.

and summer will be in demand in the construction of the new hotel and other buildings which BIBLE will be completed within the next will be completed within the next eight months.

1924 has added minor improvements in the city, including the Frances - Butler apartments, a new rest room for the comfort of the tourists at the tourist camp, big improvements at the Hotel Ashland, the completion of the Ashland - Klamath Falls highway, connecting this city with Crater Lake, the completion of the Emigrant Creek dam, improvement

of part of the road to Lake of tute organization is considered until daylight when they obtainthe Woods, financing and build- one of the finest organizations of ed aid from a passing motorist. ing of the new hotel and the box its kind, presenting religious mu- This accident explained the delay factory, and many other projects sic, in the country, and every- in the arrival of Sumner in Ash-

wait Monday night. against the City of Ashland, and in many sections, today continued will engage in the banking busimaking improvements in their The organization opened its remains a secret. to take their toll of bridges wash- ness in Jacksonville. the Talent Irrigation district, the present tour on December 18, in DRY ENFORCEMENT IS The dance is similar to the stocks and buildings; and today C. Fithian, chief of staff of the ed out, with railroads and highthere are a greater number of Bakersfield, Calif., and since that TO BE INVESTIGATED pleas of the plaintiff were denied. Charles Terrill, the retiring Junior-Genior prom which was Grand Dragon of this section said ways flooded over in the Pacific Butler filed notice of an appeal local merchants through consis- time, concerts have been given sheriff, will return to his farm held at the Civic clubhouse re- the complete organization for the Northwest, according to many reto the state supreme court. tent advertising making a strong throughout Central and Northern on Lake creek after serving six cently but is under the supervis- carrying out of the raids had been WASHINGTON, Dec. 31. --- The The controversy was over the bid for the community's trade California, and in Oregon. The Federal enforcement of prohibiports received here. ion of the parents instead of the completed at the office of the negotiations for the Ashland water These reports show that the years. than ever before, which means organization is at present on its tion will go "on trial", before the students. Klan, and that everything was that less Ashland trade will go to return trip to Los Angeles, and Couzens Senate Committee early Ashland and the Talent Irriga-Miss Delilah Stevens, the indamage may total two to three Patrons and patronesses for the in readiness for the raids. He coming county clerk, announced the contract between the City of million dollars before the peak evening are Mr. and Mrs. J. H. stated that the decision to stop Monday that Mrs. Etta Robinson in January, Senator Couzens anof the storm is reached. This McGee, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Forsy- all liquor traffic possible in Chichants had previously conducted nounced here today, following a would be named ch'ef clerk of given before the singers reach tion district invalidated, the City point in the storm is expected no systematic advertising for the, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McNair | cago had come after it was delong conference with the leading about Friday. the recording department. (of Ashland enjoined from carrytheir home on January 6. business. and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dodge. termined that Federal and local dry officials of the country. Two bridges are jammed Mrs. Trowbridge, who conducts ing out the contract, and from authorities were seriously handi-Another encouraging thought the irrigation district to repay Walla Walla by ice. The highway The investigation will deal NO PAPER TOMORROW the Glee Club is the head of the is the bright outlook for a wise capped in their efforts by the chiefly with the defects in the between Eugene and Springfield # \$20,000 given for water rights, Following a custom "MR. A" MAY PAY EVEN smallness of their numbers. It music department of the Bible = and constructive administration legal machinery for the enforceis flooded, and the streets of # maintained for many # etc., .etc. Institute, and is professor of MORE IN LOVE AFFAIR was discovered that thousands of of the city affairs during the Sutherlin, Oregon, are under sev- # years, the Daily Tidings # ment of the law, although Couz-In another Ashland action singing, conducting and hymnolgallons of liquor had been smugfollowing two years. Any change eral feet of water. All railroads # will issue no paper to- # ens stated that the committee the suit of Richard Reswick CALCUTTA, India. Dec. 31 .-- gled across the Canadian border ogy. in government brings doubt until centering about Portland have # morrow afternoon. All # Sir Hurri Singh may yet pay an and into Chicago in preparation would also inquire into the notoragainst the Southern Oregon An opportunity will be been delayed by the severe storm. 21 employees of the paper 22 even greater price than the \$750,- for one of the biggest celebrations the newly elected officers have ious liquor scandals wherever the Chautauqua association for the sented the hearers at tonight's proved their ability. Ashland was # will be allowed to observe # 000 blackmail extorted from him, ever held in the city, and it was violations appear to involve irregcollection of a \$5000 note, a deconcert to make a free will of-Grants Pass - 1,000 acres in # New Years Day with their # in order that his illicit Paris love to stop this traffic in liquor that ularities on the part of governfault was entered by the defendfering. (Continned on page four) Evans Creek valley may be wat- # families. # might be kept a secret from his the Klan decided to stage their ment agents. (Continued on page 4) ered from main canal. # people raids.



Six Months in Jail and Fine of Edwards, it is alleged, ran-\$750 Handed to Alleged Eagle sacked a trunk in a hotel room **Point Bootlegger**

in Klamath Falls, removing \$150 struction of a sawmill plant with downpour of rain Monday night, which was hidden in the trunk, JACKSONVILLE, Dec. 31. together with a quantity of cloth-Eli Dahack, well known resident ing, a camera, and several other Falls, Ore., by the Shevlin-Hixon many places because of inability fects of the greatest conflict in of the Eagle Point district, was articles. He immediately left for interests as soon after the first of the storm sewers to carry the history of the world. sentenced to serve six months in this city, but his movements The bountiful fall of snow in jail and pay a fine of \$500 by were traced by the Klamath po-

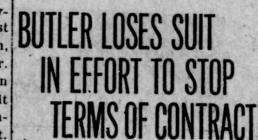
A wait of several hours on the those in the mill. lieving the Klamath officers had

the hotels of the city resulted in the Minneapolis office of the Bend streets began to fast subside. the discovery that a man, who company.

Bend concern did not exercise the

were discharged after 27 hours' Edwards, or Sumner as he was known here. Upon the arrival of the Shaw-Bertram Lumber com-The sentence meted out to Da- Morely, Edwards was positively ite information had been receiv. Klamath Falls, and late last ed here regarding the option. night the constable started for for Portland to confer with offichome with his prisoner and the ials of the Shevlin-Hixon company woman who accompanied him to

in regard to the option. I am anx this city after the theft. iously awaiting word on whether The driver of the rented car the option has been taken up or in which Edwards and his com- will not be exercised, as until I panion made the trip to this city hear word I can not buy certain OFFERING stated that they started from equipment that we would be the state of the stated that they started from equipment that we have intend-



In a decree handed down by which make Ashland a better and where concerts have been pre- land, the failure of McNabb to has no definite plans for the fu- renting the hall and music. Ice when the raiders are to be loosed PORTLAND, Dec. 31. - Rapid- ture, but it is persistently rum-Circuit Judge C. M. Thomas Moncream and cake will be served. by the invisible empire, to visit sented, the singers have been make the arrest after his long more progressive community. ly rising rivers and heavy rains ored in the county seat that he Dickey's orchestra will furnish the every meeting place in the city, day, in the suit of C. S. Butler The Ashland merchants are greeted by capacity audiences.

CAMP IN MEDFORD AT KLAMATH FALLS

of that city, who arrived here last Shevlin-Hixon Concern to Build Cabins Washed Away, Others Are Mill to Saw Timber Recently Undermined by Severe Storm **Purchased at Falls** of Monday Night

PORTLAND, Dec. 31. - Con-MEDFORD, Dec. 31 - The

a capacity of 100,000,000 feet almost record breaking, created shows that the world is well on a year will be started at Klamath flood conditions in the streets of the way to recovery from the efof the new year as weather con- away the fast falling rain quick ditions permit, according to inenough; caused Bear creek and Secretary of Commerce, everyformation obtained here from E.

C. Shevlin, a stockholder in the country to flood their banks, and company. This mill is to handle timber cut from holdings recently acquired tributary to Klamath Falls. Mr. Shevlin said. It will give employment to about 700 men, in- feet and two inches, far more ducts, the farmers are in a good than normal. cluding the logging forces and

In Portland E. C. Shevlin stated that no information on the

and the city auto camp. W. J. Bertram, part owner of ed at the Merrick camp, as the pany stated today that no definflood washed away several of the tourist cabins and undetermined others in the finst row and one-"Mr. J. R. Shaw left Friday half along the river. Several of the cabins are overturned by the flood, but did not float away. In this flood among the cabins stands the auto of a man who was living

in a cabin. Two men residing in one of the cabins were awakened some time after midnight to Ralph Jennings will be sworn in find their structure flooded and as sheriff. Miss Delilah Stevens as

> what personal effects could easily as county judge. be seized, to safety on higher land.



well known residents of the Apand a marked improvement is plegate, and John Doe Pate of shown in Germany and Belgium, Klamath Falls with the alleged according to the figures made sale of intoxicating liquor were public. The conditions of the two

tions exist in France and Italy,

filed late Monday afternoon by latter countries is especially infederal prohibition authorities. teresting, particularly that of All three defendants were in Germany. These two nations were volved in the state dry raids of hardest hit by the effects of the last week. The charges against

war, and their recuperation, John and Edwin Taylor were disshown in activities in the markets missed when called before County Judge Gardner. A high powered automobile, said to belong to Pate, is held by the county authorities pending the filing of According to Herbert Hoover confiscatory claims on the charge

smaller streams throughout the thing in the United State's indiof transporting liquor. Bonds of \$1000 each were postcates the most prosperous year ed by each defendant this morncaused the greatest rise in the during the past twenty-five. With Rogue river during this year. The gigantic agricultural crops, and ing, Henry Taylor, father of the two brothers, and Oscar Knox of river at Gold Ray yesterday with a ready market and good Jacksonville, a sawmill operator, morning was at a depth of 15 prices prevailing for these proqualifying as bondsmen. According to the county clerk,

financial condition, while the re-In all during the 24 hours end- mainder of the country is on a ing yesterday morning 1.43 of an firm financial footing, better than inch of rain had fallen, most of ever before.

option held by the Shevlin-Hixon which came down Monday night. The only dark spot on the hori- local federal official, being abbeen mistaken in their assertions Lumber company would be given It stopped raining along, towards zon is the threatened refusal of sent from the city on a vacation. that Edwards had started in this out until the Klamath Falls con- morning, and the flooded condi- Great Britain and France to pay direction. Yesterday, a tour of cern was notified directly from tion of the streams and the their war debts, owed this coun- Burnett, alleged to have been action of the States Attorney, and The rapid rise of Bear creek attitude, it is stated all personal ed guilty to a charge of posses- has not decided his future action,

The option was taken on the caused that usually quiet stream credits will be cut off, and this sion of intoxicating liquor this but states he may bring suit Shaw-Bertram company over a to overflow its banks after mid- act would materially decrease the morning before County Judge against those responsible for the through the city. When the jury. A jury in the circuit court, ath Falls in a rented car, and had month ago and was to expire the night and reach the dignity of a business of this country. It is Gardner, and was given a sent- action. building is completed Ashland the first of the month were un- reg'stered under the name of Ben first of the year, providing the raging river, which flooded the thought however, that the mere ence of three months in jail and

east side of the Merrick auto camp threat of stopping of all credit fined \$50, the jail sentence be-

SEATS

Considerable damage was caus- ognize their debts. Burnett pay the fine which he said he would do.

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Federal action in Jackson county bootlegging charges, according to county authorities, was due to the well known proneness ILAN TAKE of Jackson county juries not to convict upon the testimony of dry sleuths. JANUARY

PARENT-TEACHERS TO Next Monday, January 5th, ENTERTAIN STUDENTS

The high school Parent-Teachhad to wade out quickly with county clerk, and W. J. Hartzell ers association is sponsoring a and cafes where anti-Volstead Chauncey Florey, the retiring low's Hall Thersday evening. This

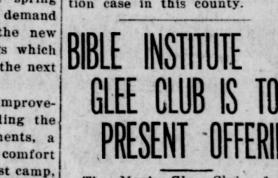
The main portion of the Mer- the courthouse, will enter the in- dent, alumnus, teacher or parent welcome to the infant. 1925. Acrick camp, however, was not surance business in Medford. He who wishes to attend and is be- cording to information here, it

ten years as county clerk.

The report shows that the typhus germs were contracted nawill force these countries to rec- ing suspended on condition that turally, and were not inducted into the body, either through the food given McClintock, or through hypodermic injections.

> RAIDS IN CHICAGO ON DRY VIOLATORS

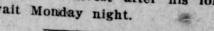
CHICAGO, Dec. 31. - The possibility that the Ku Klux Klan dance to be given at the Odd Fel- parties may be under way tonight loomed up here today as Chicago county clerk, after 14 years at dance is for any high school stu- was preparing to give a riotous touched by the swollen stream. served two years as a deputy as- ing given at this time in order is the Klan's intention of cleansessor, two years as recorder and that the college students may at- ing up Chicago. All plans for tend. Twenty-five cents will be this action have been openly an-County Judge George Gardner charged to cover the expenses of nounced, only the "zero hour"



GLEE CLUB IS TO

night, but that about mid way The Men's Glee Club of the between the two cities, the driv-Bible Institute of Los Angeles, ing rain blinded him, and he lost under the direction of John Bis- the road, going off into a ditch, sel Trowbridge, will present a and breaking a spring on the car.

free concert at the Presbyterian Unable to get the car back on Church here tonight. The Insti- the road, they were forced to wait



hack is one of the heaviest ever identified as the man wanted in administered in a liquor viola-Labor throughout the spring tion case in this county.