

ture of the brothers, but each

PORTLAND, Feb. 27 as turned out in a false eral and police narcotic officers, alarm. working together, last night ar-

SCHOOL EXPLOSION IS NEARLY FATAL

known addicts. Arrests were A serious explosion occurred made in pharmacies following yesterday in the chemistry room raids. The men were held for the of the high school, in which one girl narrowly escaped possible death, and several others permanent injury. The material ex-Drug company, 265 Burnside ploded while mixing a preparastreet tion which was being heated. The injured are Lois Hanson, Elizabeth Stearns, Webster Chattin street. and Max Crowson. Miss Hanson was the most seriously injured, Hall Pharmacy. being cut a bad gash on the neck, which nearly penetrated to the owner of the Laue-Davis Drug Jugular vein. She was rushed to store, Third and Yamhill streets. the hospital, where she was plac- Federal officers declared that

ed under an anasthetic. Max known users of narcotic drugs Crowson had both hands badly working as stool - pigeons had cut, his thumb split open and a made purchases of paregoric at tendon split lengthwise. Doctors the pharmacies. The paregoric say that it will not injure the contained a small quantity of use of his hands, however. The opium, it was said. others were less seriously cut The fact that paregoric is beabout the face and body. They ing sought by addicts is evidence are reported to be doing nicely. that the supply of opium, cocaine

FILES WORTH \$50,000 IN MCCLINTOCK CASE dicts just as there are opium ad-

CHICAGO, Feb. 27. -Elimina-, but those who have a craving for tion of the written record of in- opium or its derivatives use parequiry of William Sheppard, foster goric to satisfy their desires father of the late "Billie" Mc- when the stronger drugs are not Cliptock, millionaire orphan, re- obtainable. garding courses in bacteriology, It is believed that groundwork from the files of the national for last night's arrests was laid school of applied science, was several months ago, for at that worth \$50,000 to certain unnam- time information on the use of ed persons, it was testified at the paregoric by persons unable to McClintock inquest by one of the obtain cocaine was given officials three "surprise" witnesses round- by a woman operative who told of ed up by the police and held in having used it herself during a

greatest secrecy pending today's drug famine in Portland. session

Ezra Meeker, Aged Seattle Pioneer Great Grandpa PASSES AWA

GRANTS PASS, Feb. 27. -Ezra Meeker, Seattle's ninetyfour year old pioneer of Old Ore gon Trail fame and transcontinental flyer, is tripping along a

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Wilfred G. McDonald, 5015 54th nounced later. Avenue, South. She is Meeker's The deceased was born Dec. 25, fense is that scores of autoes to /kill Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick redistricting the state would not crime was on December 12, aceighteenth great-grandchild and 1844, and has resided in the city passed over the work without ac- Hotaling, prominent members of be "forced upon them," the re-The venerable great-grandfather Katherine Shook, his wife, and a Mrs. Blackburn won a contest at the instigation of another and AIR FLEET URGED BY will be the honor guest at christ- step-son, Clyde Payne of Orange, among the bank clerks of Jack- not yet identified third party to FORMER NAVY HEAD the superintendent of the reser- to the laws and morals that were needed. ening ceremonies, at which there California. son and Josephine counties, nine do the planned killing. "Russian set up by him, he declared. vation on February 10. will be an imposing assemblage Funeral services will take place months after the accident. Lou" Madison is under arrest, deof grandsons, granddaughters and at the Dodge Chapel. His going Most of the testimony was de- clared by police to have confessgreat-granddaughters. marks the passing of another of voted to showing the precautions ed that he and a friend had taken Little Margaret McDonald was the old pioneers that are yearly used by the irrigation company \$3300 from King for the propos-Mrs. McDonald will be remem- ity, he has served loyally, and condition of the plaintiff. Agreement. fleet by the United States. He Laupella Lang, and Millard Lang The program for next week was hered here as Grace Presley, his death is a real loss to the assailed the "conservatives in the are charged in another complaint referred to the attendance comdaughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. community at large and to that There's a message in The great organization, the pioneers. Tidings Want Ads. Presley, now of Seattle. Tidings Want Ads are ge-getters 'precious' battleships." public place. : were passed on. to be widened and resurfaced.

manager of the publicity depart- life, but is glad he has enough money to continue his experiments. ment, who will receive the reservations.

will be made up of British Columbia, Washington and Oregon sections. There will be subdivisions for cities in each section.

the southbound caravan will b joined by a similar deputation from Nevada.

Dr. James E. Arnold, Baker It is planned that the motor excursion will reach San Francisco on April 12, the day before the official opening of the convention City Hall Pharmacy, 275 Fifth of Pacific coast hotelmen. Num-

bers of the hotelmen of the north Frank E. Kline, clerk in City are expected to join in the cara-

rested four well-known Portland

druggists on charges of selling

paregoric containing opium to

government. Those arrested fol-

R. A. Watson, proprietor of the

John M. A. Laue, president and stick together about five days in wish to pursue their own itineraries, make visits or otherwise pause by the way.

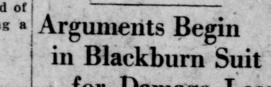
clubs all over the state will be

NEW OMNIBUS BILL . and heroine in Portland is low. Although there are paregoric ad-

dicts, they are few in number,

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paign expenditures and contribu- pionship to them. Just what hap- it. tions, with limited campaign pened to it, no one really knows. tatives.



MEDFORD, Feb. 27. - Arguments were begun yesterday morning in the damage suit of Mrs. Viola Blackburn against the Medford Irrigation district, and the case is expected to go to the

jury early this afternoon. Mrs. Blackburn is suing the irrigation district for \$6440 damages, for

Laac Newton Shook, aged pion- alleged injuries received in an little more jauntily these days, eer and prominent resident of auto accident on the Pacific high-

The Pacific northwest caravan fill be made up of British Col-umbia. Washington and Oregon **MEET LOCALS HERE TOMORROW** As the plan is now formulated,

Northerners Are Out to Gain Recompense; Locals Are in Best of Shape for Meet. Have Been Going Through Gruelling Practice

Roseburg High will tangle here total to ten straight. Then they a second serious operation, which tomorrow night, and, according turned right around and lost a was made necessary by peritonitis to reports, are steamed up to give 'double bill to Salem. What in which set in after an appendicitis the past and members have workvan. Sojourners will be urged to the locals a working-over. The the world got into them is not operation. season up to date has not been a known. Since that time they have

California, or until Los Angeles victorious one for the northern- not won a game, except an easy DILL BILL IS PASSED is reached. Disbandment then will ers, and all indications have it one from Grants Pass. be in order, at least for those who that they will attempt to plunge What Coach Walter Hughes has

recompense gained by them. eagerness to its outcome. It is the senate.

With a stringent schedule of not fact, however that the team training and practice kept all has fallen. It may have simply PLOT REVEALED TO MADE BY CONGRESS week, and with every member of have had a slump. Yet it looks

the team back on the floor and in bad. They may have overcome WASHINGTON, Feb. 27-Con- the best of condition the local it by the time the game starts NEW YORK, Feb. 27-How a gress sent a new omnibus bill, quintet expects to really. "break tomorrow. If not, they have a highly organized group of interproviding for \$65,000,000 wage away," and regain some of their week before the real test comes national anarchists planned and ncreases of postal employee's old time form which they display- a week later, when they meet nearly assassinated President Wilthrough enlarged revenues from ed earlier in the season. This Medford for the final games of son, J. P. Morgan, Charle's

higher postal rates, to the pres- form at the time was subject to the season. At any rate it is go- Schwab and General Coleman Duident for signature. The bill also unlimited praise by fans, and ing to be a good game, and a pont, during the year of 1915. provided complete publicity cam- promised to bring a state cham- keen interest is being shown in and how their efforts were frustrated by government worker Rumors that Ashland is "done Garland, was revealed today by funds for senators and represen- Anyway, they had an average of for" so far as winning the state Ralph Easley, president of the ten clear gictories, and up to that championship is concerned, are national civic federation. Easley hours. This is my seventh con- 23 miles north of Redding, and time had not had a game that entirely fictitious. By taking the made the statement following secutive session and the first that Delta, 27 miles north of Redding.

climax of their winning streak other to be played on a neutral cation of the autobiography of ment and confusion. I cannot ex- section will be locked at 6:30 was when they made an up-state floor they are eligible to enter the Samuel Gompers, in which the trip and cleaned up the northern state finals. The winners of this late labor leader told of activities for Damage Loss part of the state without a loss, may consider themselves real of anrchists and of German pro-

the world war.

points in a game that looked like in their coaching system, which Hearing Given certain defeat. Yet they won was formerly made up of paid from Salem before a huge crowd coaches. They now have coaches of nearly 2000. They won from who teach part time, making their Following this -they won from teams eligible for' the all-state

he helped to settle. The newcom- after an illness of several weeks, tion district, in installing a cul-SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27. -INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 27 Police were continuing their in- Having obtained a promise from The hearing opened at 2 p. m. er is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Funeral arrangements will be an- vert. The chief contention of the de- vestigation into the alleged plot the republican leaders that a bill The commission of the alleged Rev. Judson Oldfield. An ideal, Dunsmuir.

day, March 4, at 1 0a. m. Mr. H. E. Crosby of O. A. C. will be Time-Keeper by Members present. The brooding of chicks and other seasonable topics will be discussed at this time. All who can possibly be there, are asked to do so. A large attendance is desired.

PRESIDENT ELBERT'S CONDITION SERIOUS

be held at the city hall, Wedness

BERLIN, Feb. 27-President Eberts condition was announced as being "precarious", following

BY THE SENATE TODAY WASHINGTON, Feb. 27 .- The feelings and little machine poli- will be prosecuted by the district through the gap that is now open had to do, and will have yet to do, Dill bill, permitting the states of ties. Mr. Speaker, you organized attorney's office, it was stated yesin the Ashland basketball kne- is something tremendous. To pull Washington, Idaho, Oregon and the house and appointed the com- terday by the district attorney's up. If the results of the last Med- a team out of the hole into Montana to enter into an agree- mittees on the first day of the office. Commercial bodies and civic ford-Ashland contests are being which it has fallen is a task not ment relating to the disposition of session for the first time in the used as a foundation for these re- easily conceivable, and the town water of the Columbia river and history of the legislature. You asked to co-operate in making the ports, however, there will be no as a whole is looking forward with tributaries was passed today by have been fair in all your deal-

KILL PRES. WILSON decided to put a 'watch' upon you.

of the Legislature

with chimes that proclaim the that his recovery was nearly ashour and quarter-hours.

"The membership of this house in would bring a fatal result. ed hard both in the committees appears that there is no doubt as and on the floor," Representative to Collman's recovery, a charge Carkin said. "There has been a of assault with intent to kill or general expression of individual assault with a dangerous weapon,

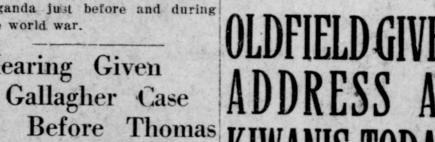
ings and rulings. "Members of the house have become suspicious of you and have

It is pure gold, keeps active time and is not two-faced, which is emblematic of you."

The house broke into handclapping as Representative Carkin sion that, beginning March 1st at called Page Rudie to take the watch to the rostrum. "I doubt if I have the vitality north of Redding, Shasta county,

to say the things I would like to will be closed to traffic for si say," Speaker Burdick said. "We teen hours daily until May 15th. are approaching the end of the bordered on defeat. Perhaps the next two games, and winning an- the announcement of the publi- has not ended in turmoil, excite- The gates at either end of this

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KLAMATH FALLS, Feb. 27. On the serious charge of assault-

Burdic Presented Expensive JOHN COLLMAN TAKES LEAVE FROM HOSPITAL

KLAMATH FALLS, Feb. 27. --SALEM, Feb. 27. - Breaking Sufficiently recovered from into the routine house business wounds incurred when attacked of the afternoon, Representative by a man, declared by authorities Coffey, yesterday took the chair to be Gus Yorden, a ranch emwhile Representative Carkin, in ploye, John Collman, well known behalf of the members of the Klamath rancher, has returned to house, presented Representative his home, where he is now con-Denton G. Burdict, speaker of the valescing. While Collman is not house, with a \$400 gold watch, entirely out of danger, it was said sured. Only an infection setting

Yorden is being held in fail under an open charge. When it.

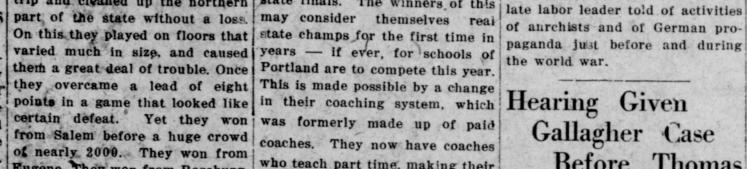
California Roads Closed to Traffic on New Schedule

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 27. -Announcement is made here by the California Highway Commis-6:30 p. m., the Pacific Highway. in the Sacramento River canyon, The closing regulation will be

o'clock p. m. each evening and will not be opened to traffic until 10:30 a. m. the following morning.

The closing is necessary becaust of reconstruction work which will necessitate heavy blasting during the night time and the closing of the road. The work will be rushed during the next three months. with the exception that the highway may be opened for a longer period during the season of heavy summer travel.

ing his wife, Fannie Gallagher, In making the announcement. The reason is that he has just Ashland for the past 25 years, way June 4, 1922, when the car MURDER OUIZZING STRIKING SENATORS "Ideals of Americanism, as il-RETURN TO CAPITOL lagher was being given a hearing Washington," was the topic of a around the work. and that there with attempt to kill, George Gallustrated in the life of George no detours will be available the commission pointed out the welcomed another of his many died at his home in the Shook in which she was riding passed CONTINUES TODAY descendants into the great country building, this morning at 6:00 over repair work of the irrigaspeech delivered before the Ki- are only limited accommodations er Bert C. Thomas this afternoon. wanis luncheon at noon today by north of Redding and south of according to him, is a mere castle A similar closing was enforced eighteenth great-grandchild and has been given the name of Mar-garet, with the approval of her is Meeker's nine-The father is Meeker's nine-The father is Meeker's ninein the air, until it has taken tan- last Spring without serious inconpublic document in the offices of thing we can do, than to live up to render aid to motorists, if The work now under way con-WASHINGTON, Feb. 27. - Mrs. Lulu Lang is charged with The Kiwanis quartet, composed gister of widening and straighten-Aircraft will be the key to power attempting to destroy certain pub- of Carl Loveland, Henry Enders, ing eleven miles between Half in the next war, Rear Admiral lic records in a public place and V. D. Miller and Harry Tomlin- Way Creek and Dog Creek, a Sims, now retired, told the House of assaulting another in an at- son, sang several songs, followed part of the 1925 reconstruction horn here last Saturday.-Seattle becoming fewer and fewer. As a to protect traffic and medical ed murders, but declared that they Aircraft Committee today. Sims tempt to commit a felony. Mrs. in chorus by the entire meeting. program of the commission to be citizen and friend of the commun- testimony to show the physical had pever intended keeping their urged development of a great air Lang, her husband, Thomas Lang, B. C. Forsythe received the prize. financed with gasoline tax funds. Astoria - Ten miles highway navy who are holding out for with using obscene language in a mittee and several resolutions between Astoria and Svenson is



Grants Pass, bringing the grand meet.

