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## Wants

Cent a word single insertion, 1 1/2 cents a word 2 insertions. Special rates by month and year.

### LOST.

Green gold brooch of intertwined snakes with topaz setting. Lost on road between town and Homan's. Reward for return to G. E. Odie at News Record office. 45r1

Letter addressed to Mr. Ed Maag, Eureka, S. D. Finder please notify O. J. Roe, Enterprise. 45r1

Open-faced gold watch on fair grounds. Reward for return to C. S. Bradley, Enterprise. 45b2

### LOST OR STRAYED.

From old Sullivan place, now known as the Stubblefield farm, one flea-bitten gray horse, about 9 or 10 years old; has scar on shoulder; shod all around. Left night of Oct. 3. \$5 reward for return to place. Amalgamated Sugar Co., by S. Story, Enterprise, Oregon. 47b

### WANTED.

Wanted, three young ladies to join the junior class of nurses. Apply to Superintendent of Nurses, Grande Ronde Hospital, La Grande, Ore.

### FOR RENT.

Residence property and business room for rent, available now. E. M. & M. Co. 42b1f

### MONEY TO LOAN

State Funds loaned, 6 per cent. John P. Rusk, Atty. State Land B'd. Joseph

### FOR SALE.

I will sell all or any of my town property at reasonable prices. W. W. Zurcher, Enterprise, Oregon. 40b1f

Lots in Troy townsite. Your choice at one-third off during fair week and until October 31, making prices from \$15 up to \$70. Special sale limited to 25 lots. H. E. Merryman, Enterprise, Oregon. Will be at Troy October 6, 7 and 8. 42b4

Two lots in Alder View addition to the city of Enterprise. Beautiful location. A genuine bargain. Wm. H. McFetridge. 37bm

## NEWS OF NOTED PERSONS

Virginia Harned-Solern, the well-known actress, has filed suit for divorce against Edward H. Solern, the prominent actor, in the district court at Reno, Nevada.

No pardon will be granted to John R. Walsh, former Chicago banker and capitalist, who is serving a five-year sentence in the Leavenworth (Kan.) penitentiary for violation of the banking laws.

N. G. Broward, ex-governor of Florida, and recently elected to the United States senate to succeed Senator Tallafiero, died suddenly.

### FOREIGN NEWS BITS

Disorder bordering on anarchy grips Honduras. The anti-foreign outbreak in Amapala is rapidly extending over the almost disrupted republic.

Great agitation has been caused by latest interference of the Russians in Finnish affairs—the absolute prohibition of the importation of firearms and ammunition into Finland.

The yellow fever outbreak which threatens to become an epidemic will be a big setback to Italy. It has already injured business and it is feared that travelers will avoid the country until the danger is over.

Organized capital and organized labor in Great Britain are marshaling their forces for the greatest industrial struggle that England—perhaps the world—has ever seen.

### THE MARKETS.

#### Portland.

Wheat—Track prices: Club, 85c; bluestem, 89c; red Russian, 82c.  
Barley—Feed and brewing, \$22.  
Oats—No. 1 White, \$23 per ton.  
Hay—Timothy, Willamette Valley, \$19@20 per ton; Eastern Oregon, \$20@22; alfalfa, \$15@16.  
Butter—Creamery, 36c; ranch, 24c.  
Eggs—Ranch, candled, 35c.  
Hops—1910 crop, 10@12 1/2; 1909 nominal; olds, nominal.  
Wool—Eastern Oregon, 13@17c lb.; Valley, 17@19c lb.  
Mohair—Choice, 32@33c lb.

#### Seattle.

Wheat—Bluestem, 90c; Club, 84c; red Russian, 82c.  
Oats—\$27 per ton.  
Barley—\$21 per ton.  
Hay—Timothy, \$26 per ton; alfalfa, \$19 per ton.  
Butter—Washington Creamery, 36c; ranch, 22c.  
Eggs—Selected local, 40c.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST THROUGHOUT OREGON

### Chronicle of Important Events of Interest to Our Readers.

#### To Find Wider Use for Wood.

Portland—The forest service of the department of agriculture and the Oregon Conservation association are co-operating in a study of the wood using industries of Oregon.

The idea is to assist in the development of markets for local woods which may be suitable for various purposes, but whose use has been little known. As soon as all the data has been collected and compiled a publication will be issued jointly by the Oregon Conservation association and the forest service for free distribution.

#### Lumber Men Sued.

Portland—Suits aggregating \$53,078.36 were begun here in the United States court against J. D. Hamaker and associates. The demand is on account of timber cut from non-mineral lands of the United States, and is based on a value of \$22 per thousand board measure, the price of which the material is said to have been sold at Bonanza in Klamath county.

### GOVERNMENT URGED TO TAKE OWYHEE PROJECT

Salem.—State Engineer John H. Lewis, is using his utmost efforts to prevail upon the government reclamation service to take over the Owyhee reclamation project in Malheur county, which has been thoroughly organized by private interests, but is about to be abandoned by them. The government has made application for a permit to appropriate 480,000 acre feet of the waters of the Owyhee River, also other waters in Malheur county that are still in good standing and State Engineer Lewis has addressed a communication to F. E. Weymouth, of the reclamation service at Boise, Idaho, asking him to request of the department an investigation of the feasibility of this project under present conditions.

Mr. Lewis has also addressed communications to both Oregon's senators and to both congressmen, giving them the facts and asking them to use their influence with the reclamation department to take over the Owyhee project which embraces between 100,000 and 150,000 acres.

#### Monster Rally Planned.

Cottage Grove—This city, which probably will become the county seat of the county of Nesmith, if that measure should carry at the election in November, is making preparations to hold a monster rally and barbecue on October 15. At noon a barbecue will take place in the city park, and lunch will be served free. The Oregon & Southeastern railroad will run special trains. One feature of the day will be that of the special sales of the merchants, who have all consented to donate 10 per cent of all purchases on that day to the Nesmith county fund, as it requires a considerable fund to disseminate information concerning Nesmith county throughout the state.

### PRIMARY COUNT STANDS

Eugene—Lane County will not vote on local option in the coming election because the petitions were defective and did not contain the number of signatures necessary to get the issue on the ballot. Of 567 qualified electors necessary only 377 will stand after the careful analysis of County Clerk Lee and Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Skipworth.

As Saturday was the last day that petitions may be filed, it will be impossible to change the situation and it will now be at least two years before the question can be brought up here again, as the law permits a vote on this question only at general elections.

#### Lost River Farmers to Irrigate.

Klamath Falls—Farmers living in the small valley between Lost River and Stukel Mountain, 12 miles south of here, are jubilant over the approval by the secretary of the interior of their plan to irrigate their own land by taking water from Lost river. This dam is to be built across the river to turn the water out of its own channel into a canal, to turn the river from its own course across the valley and let it empty into Klamath river instead of Tule lake.

### COMMONER VS. COLONEL

Bryan Will Trail Roosevelt for One Week.

Indianapolis—Col. Theodore Roosevelt vs. Col. William J. Bryan, is the program of the rival party organizers of Indiana for the week. The former comes first and will make a dozen speeches from a special train.

Colonel Bryan will follow Roosevelt. He will answer Colonel Roosevelt and will attempt to show that the republicans were extremely inconsiderate of their own platform in bringing Roosevelt to Indiana.

#### Portugal Expelling Monks.

Lisbon.—The expulsion of the monks from Portugal has begun. No time will be lost in driving them across the frontier. Several hundred nuns have been assembled and will be deported. Cardinal Neto, ex-patriarch of Lisbon, the Bishop of Beja, and other prominent ecclesiastics already have been expelled.



KING MANUEL.

The Youthful Sovereign of Portugal Who Lost His Throne.

Lisbon—Though it is but a short time since the first shot was fired in the revolution that swept a king from his throne, Portugal is rapidly approaching normal conditions. No serious obstacle in the way of the new government is expected in the immediate future.

The suddenness of the sweeping change and the ease with which the people adapted themselves to the new regime have had few parallels.

#### Throw Record Broken.

Cincinnati.—The world's record for the long-distance throwing of a baseball that has stood for 36 years was broken at the field day between the Cincinnati and Pittsburgh National League teams here, when Sheldon Le Jeune, of the Evanville club, of the Central League, threw the ball 426 feet, 6 1/4 inches, 25 feet, 10 1/2 inches over the old record.

## FOREST FIRES BURN MINNESOTA TOWNS

Winnipeg—Scores of lives have been lost in a great forest fire which raged along the Canadian border in the Rainy River country and in Northern Minnesota. The towns of Beaudette, Spooner, Gracetown and Pitt, Minn., have been wiped out and refugees from the burning district who fled into Rainy River report seeing many charred corpses along the roadside in the burned district and the loss of millions of dollars worth of property. The fire was entirely unexpected. In the last summer there were many great fires in this same region, but the fighters had about subdued them when out of the northwest of the Rainy River country there appeared a great fire which swept through the dried timber, carried in its onward rush by a heavy gale, and, soon beyond control, it caught the unwarned settlers in its path of death and destruction.

The Canadian Northern railway estimates the loss of life between Rainy River and Warroad at 40, all being settlers and their families.

#### Honduras Asks for Aid.

Washington—Responding to an appeal from the Honduras government to the state department, the United States gunboat Princeton was ordered to Amapala, a revolutionary hotbed, to look after American interests.

#### Lorimer Suits Sherman.

Chicago—Vice-president Sherman and United States Senator Lorimer sat at the same banquet board here on October 12 at the local Knights of Columbus celebration of Columbus Day.

## PACIFIC STATES WILL HOLD A CONGRESS

### California Governor Issues a Call for Meeting in San Francisco.

San Francisco—Governor Gillette decided to issue a proclamation for the holding in this city of a Pacific Coast congress, which is to be attended by delegates from every part of the Pacific Coast and from Hawaii, who will consider merchant marine legislation and the advisability of maintaining a battleship fleet in the Pacific ocean as well as matters relating to the Panama-Pacific International Exposition and such other positions as are to be held on the Pacific Coast.

It is designed to have a Pacific Coast congress every year, so that the needs of the Coast may be impressed on the congress of the United States.

Invitations will be sent to officials and commercial bodies in Oregon, Idaho, Washington, Nevada, New Mexico, Arizona, Utah and Hawaii, as well as California. Governors, lieutenant-governors, senators, congressmen and presiding officers of the two executive houses of each state will be invited to come as guests and they will be under no expense. The mayors of cities on the Coast will be requested to attend the congress and to appoint delegates.

## COLORADO MINERS ENTOMBED IN MINE

Starkville, Colo.—At least 52 men are entombed in the Starkville mine of the Colorado Fuel & Iron Co., while, in the approaches to the mine, hundreds of their fellows, with oxygen helmets, movable rotary fans and picks and shovels are striving simultaneously to open the living tomb and to draw from it the poisonous gases with which it is at least partly filled. The men have been imprisoned and the rescuing parties have toiled since 10:50 p. m. Saturday, when an explosion, probably caused by coal dust, shook the earth for a radius of seven miles, destroying the main entrance to the mine and sealed the hapless toilers within it.

Because of the vast ramifications of the mine and its connections with other mine-workings it is hoped that perhaps half the men may be rescued.

#### Bible Declared Inaccurate.

Cincinnati.—That the scriptures are so full of inaccuracies that to place any reference to the Bible in the constitution of the Protestant Episcopal church would make it unreliable, was the statement made here by the Rev. A. A. Morrison, of Portland, Oregon. He made the assertion in reply to an appeal made by the Rev. J. H. Melvaine, of Pittsburgh, to prefix a preamble to the church constitution. The preamble was voted down.

### WOULD REORGANIZE ARMY

Defense of Seaboard Will be Principal Feature.

Washington—A comprehensive plan for an entire reorganization and reassignment of the federal military forces to be known as the Taft-Dickinson military policy is to be submitted to congress when that body convenes in December. It will mean a great deal to the Pacific Coast.

It is the purpose of the plan to mobilize large commands at all strategic coast centers where batteries have been emplaced or are proposed. This will insure the entire continental coast line against attack.

#### Geranium Big as Saucer.

San Francisco.—Richard Diener, a gardener at Colma, a suburb of San Francisco, where Crofton used to hold his fights, who has been experimenting secretly with all kinds of flowers in order to ascertain how to enlarge their size, has perfected a geranium six inches in diameter, which has been pronounced by experts one of the most extraordinary achievements in floriculture.

#### Railroad Merger Argued.

St. Paul, Minn.—Hearing in the Union Pacific merger case, wherein the government charges a gigantic conspiracy to destroy railroad competition west of Kansas City, began here Monday.

## BRIEF NEWS OF THE WEEK

The supreme court of the United States convened Monday for its winter term. Owing to the lack of a full bench it is believed that few cases of importance are likely to be argued or decided before late in the year.

The world's championship baseball series between the Chicago club of the National League and the Philadelphia club of the American league will commence at Philadelphia next week.

The Isthmian Canal commission reports there are 36,867 employees actually at work on the canal and the Panama railroad, and of this number 29,950 are canal laborers.

After sleeping continuously for 24 days, Julian Brice, aged 17, awoke, at Gainesville, Ga. He was extremely weak, but became stronger after taking nourishment and physicians think he will live.

Arch Hoxey, in a Wright biplane, flew from Springfield, Ill., to St. Louis and established an American sustained flight in an aeroplane, by covering 104 miles.

The members of the W. C. T. U. of Denver have started a crusade to compel a married man to wear a wedding ring as does his wife.

If the efforts of the commercial organizations of the Northwest are fruitful in results, hundreds of thousands of dollars will be saved to the people of Oregon, Washington and Idaho annually by placing the hog-raising industry on a basis which will supply the home market.

## NEWS OF NOTED PERSONS

"Never!" was the word used by Mayor Gaynor of New York, in refuting the suggestion that he has the presidency in mind.

William R. Hearst offers \$50,000 for a flight in a heavier-than-air machine from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

Jack Johnson is now a full fledged registered automobile racing driver. The champion pugilist who aspires to steal Barney Oldfield's speed crown, has been listed by the American Automobile Association.

In two communications addressed to the grand jury, Mayor McCarthy of San Francisco, demanded that the body judge between him and W. R. Hearst by investigating the charges recently made against his administration by the Examiner.



SENATOR LA FOLLETTE.

One of the most interesting bits of political information that has come to Washington in the past week is a direct tip from Wisconsin that Senator La Follette has repudiated Roosevelt as an ally, if indeed he ever recognized him as such.

Miss Julia D. Grant, grand daughter of President Grant, was married Saturday to Edmund C. King, member of a well-known Toledo family and connected with the Western Co. of Portland, Oregon.

The Independence League convention of New York, nominated John J. Hopper, of New York City, a civil engineer and contractor, and put Hearst himself on the ticket for lieutenant governor.

#### Explosion Due to Dynamite.

Los Angeles—The investigation committee appointed by Mayor Alexander to inquire into the cause of the explosion which destroyed the building and plant of the Los Angeles Times on the night of October 1, reported that the explosion was that of dynamite.

## OLD WISCONSIN MAN GIVES UP LONG FIGHT

### Six Years of Warfare Is Ended When John Dietz Displays White Flag.

St. Paul—Old John Dietz, the famous defender of Cameron Dam, has been beaten at last, after a desperate rifle battle with the deputy sheriffs at his cabin on the Thornapple river in Sawyer County, Wisconsin, that lasted nearly all day.

Dietz surrendered and brought to an end the stubborn resistance of the man whose stand for the last six years against what he considered an injustice, has attracted wide-spread interest. The surrender did not come without death and bloodshed. One man is dead, four men and a woman are wounded and much property has been destroyed.

The surrender of Dietz was dramatic. The alert lumbermen leaning on their rifles at the edge of the clearing and gazing intently at the windows of the log cabin, suddenly saw the flutter of a white handkerchief at the door. Then little Heen appeared and advancing with the cloth over her head, walked to the edge of the clearing, where she announced that her father was willing to surrender.

Dietz was wounded while firing from the barn during the afternoon, when a bullet went through a crack and passed through his left hand.

In the little cabin broken jars and dishes lay scattered on the floor, they having been struck by bullets, of which more than 2000 had been fired during the day. Bullets lay on the bed, having bounded back after striking against the wall. It was a miracle that the entire family was not wiped out.

## LOS ANGELES TIMES RELIEF FUND LARGE

Los Angeles—Funds for the relief of families left dependent by the Times' explosion may equal the amounts appropriated for the capture and conviction of the conspirators. Banks have joined with the newspapers in collecting the funds, and it was announced that the total so far collected was more than \$30,000.

Seventeen of the 20 or more men who lost their lives in the explosion which wrecked the Times newspaper plant were laid to rest Sunday in graves ranged side by side in Hollywood Cemetery. One funeral service was held for all, in Temple auditorium, which was packed by 2500 men and women, while a greater crowd, unable to enter, stood outside in silence.

#### China Welcomes New Era.

Pekin.—One hundred of the wealthiest Chinese merchants, recognized as the most conservative class, gave a farewell banquet to the delegation of American business men, representing the Chambers of Commerce on the Pacific Coast. The American speakers referred to their amazement at their reception, which they characterized as overwhelming throughout China, culminating in Peking, where they had been admitted to the palaces of the Forbidden City, which seldom have been opened.

### CHOLERA CASES IN GOTHAM

New York.—A case of cholera developed in the steerage of the Hamburg-American liner Moltke, which has been detained at quarantine as a possible cholera-carrier.

Dr. A. H. Doty, health officer of the port, reported the case with the additional information that another cholera patient from the Moltke is under treatment at Swinburne Island. This makes three cases of cholera that have actually reached this port.

#### To Hold Big Mining Fair.

Sumpter—The business men of Sumpter, in conjunction with the mining men of the district, are making preparations for the holding of a mining congress here on October 20 and 21. Invitations have been sent broadcast to the mining public, and indications are that a good attendance will be on hand.