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

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New 8 room house and 3 lots in southeast part of town. Will be sold for \$2000, the actual cost of lots and house, if taken soon. Inquire at this office. 27bf

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Bed rooms with bath; with or without board. Inquire of Mrs. Carl Roe, Enterprise. 33tf

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Horses, sheep or town property to trade for farm land. See Enterprise Real Estate Co., Wagner & Corkins, Enterprise, Oregon. 1f

Town lots for good gentle team or cows. Call at once. Mrs. J. H. Flowers, Enterprise, Oregon. w2

MISCELLANEOUS.

Good wages, working Modern Brotherhood of America. Society stands among the most prominent in the field. Write me for terms and plans. 3111 W. 5th Ave., Spokane, Wash. John J. Goar, state manager. 1c4

Nominating petitions for county and district candidates before the primary September 24, for sale at this office. Nicely bound. Complete sets only \$1 at office or by mail.

Irish Wit.

Swift scoffed at Irish "wit" in some biting lines. Nevertheless Irish wit is one of the most precious things. One soon has a surfeit of the professional funny man in England, the pawky Scot, the American humorist. The Irish peasant never disappoints, and with him it is all so naive and natural. -London Saturday Review.

Hill and Gould Join Hands.

SAN FRANCISCO.—Whatever the ultimate rail connection between the Hill roads in the North and the Western Pacific may be, Hill and Gould will first clasp traffic hands across the sea and a steamship company will be the first link between the traffic of the roads.

Negotiations are in progress for a traffic agreement between the Western Pacific and the North Pacific Steamship Company, which operates a fleet of five steamers on the Coast between San Francisco and Portland and San Diego in the South, and now has a traffic agreement with the Hill lines at Portland.

Indians Receive Cattle.

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore.—Three cars containing 100 head of shorthorn and Hereford pure-bred bulls arrived here from South Omaha for the Klamath Indians. These cattle were purchased in Nebraska by an agent of the Government, and were shipped from South Omaha.

THE MARKETS.

Portland. Wheat—Track prices: Club, 89c; bluestem, 97c; red Russian, 87c. Barley—Feed and brewing, \$22. Oats—No. 1 White, \$28 per ton. Hay—Timothy, Willamette Valley, \$18@19 per ton; Eastern Oregon, \$20@22; alfalfa, \$13@14. Butter—Creamery, 36c; ranch, 24c. Eggs—Ranch, candled, 30c. Hops—1909 crop, 10@13c; olds, nominal. Wool—Eastern Oregon, 14@17c per pound. Mohair—32@33c.

Seattle.

Wheat—Bluestem, 96c; Club, 90c; red Russian, 87c. Oats—\$23 per ton. Hay—Timothy, \$22 per ton; alfalfa, \$14 per ton. Butter—Washington Creamery, 33c; ranch, 23c. Eggs—Selected locals, 38c.

WILL HEAR FRAUD CASES AT MEMPHIS

Former Illinois Central Employees Must Stand Trial in Tennessee.

CHICAGO.—Criminal prosecution against the former Illinois Central employees whose names are involved in the \$1,500,000 car-repairing fraud charges are to be started in Memphis, according to the statement of an Illinois Central representative. The men to be made defendants are those who were declared by Judge F. H. Haskell, of Memphis, to be stockholders in the Memphis Car Company. The state's attorney of Memphis will start the prosecutions against the men, probably in the fall. His action follows the decision of Judge Haskell, in the suit in which they were declared stockholders in the Memphis company, and as a result of which McCourt and King returned to the railroad \$13,000 they had received as dividends. The decision was made August 11.

Rawn Estate May Be Sued.

Ira G. Rawn, late president of the Monon Railway, and former vice-president of the Illinois Central, was mentioned with the others as a stockholder, and it was said at that time his estate would be sued for the amount of his dividends. Each man was said to have owned 200 shares of stock in the company, which settles with the Illinois Central for \$200,000.

SECOND COLUMBIA JETTY TO BE BUILT

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The Chief of Army Engineers and the Secretary of War will recommend to Congress next session that an appropriation be made for the construction of a north jetty at the mouth of the Columbia River, and that the project be placed under the continuing contract system, so that the work may be carried forward expeditiously and continuously until completed.

In their report this board estimated that a jetty extending southwesterly from the end of Cape Disappointment for a distance of two and a half miles, could be built for \$1,205,000.

Cattlemen Honor the Ex-President.

CHEYENNE, Wyo.—Wyoming extended to Colonel Theodore Roosevelt the first of the series of demonstrations planned for him in the West. From all over the state came men and women to join in welcoming the colonel.

Roosevelt was an embodiment of the spirit of the west. He spent the entire day in one wild continuous rush of western events. Cowboys, cowgirls, Indians, squaws and even the horses were the objects of his enthusiastic attention. He overworked the word "bully" in his enjoyment, and took to shouting the real cowboy yell.

CARTER PRODS PINCHOT

Declares His Policy Responsible For Great Loss By Forest Fires.

HELENA, Mont.—Senator Carter, in discussing the charge of former Forester Pinchot, that Senators Carter and Hayburn and Congressman Mondell were "in effect fighting on the side of the forest fires," said: "Pinchot's policy is really responsible for the appalling loss by fire in Montana and Idaho this summer. He drove the settlers and prospectors, who were the real guards of the federal forests, out of the country and left the domain to the pranks of the lightning and the negligence of the campers. His patent leather forest rangers could not meet a difficulty which the old settlers overcame every year."

Japan Says Korea Will Benefit.

SEOUL, Korea.—Lieutenant-General Terauchi, Japanese Resident-General in Korea, and negotiator of the convention of annexation which was informally promulgated Monday, said regarding the annexation: "No stone will be left unturned to make the Koreans and the world feel that Japan's rule in Korea is a beneficial thing for the Koreans. It will and must imply no degradation to the Koreans, who, under the annexation, will enjoy exactly the same rights in Korea as the Japanese.

EXPRESS RATES REDUCED

Illinois Railroad Commission Makes a 50 Per Cent Reduction.

SPRINGFIELD.—The fight of the state of Illinois against exorbitant express rates reached a climax when the Illinois Railroad Commission issued a schedule of maximum rates and charges, which makes sweeping reductions in existing rates. In many cases the reduction exceeds 50 per cent. This is especially true, in the schedule on shipments of less than 100 pounds, which constitutes by far the greater bulk of express business and in which the greater number of shippers are directly interested.

JOHN LIND.

Democratic Nominee For Governor of Minnesota.



COURT HOLDS CLOSED SHOP TO BE ILLEGAL

NEW YORK.—Supreme Court Justice Goff has decided that striking for a "closed shop" is unlawful and granted most of the terms of the sweeping injunction asked for, restraining striking cloakmakers from interfering with efforts of manufacturers to conduct their business in their own way. Picketing and patrolling are included in the restraining order. The court declined, however, to enjoin strikers from holding meetings, declaring that their right of free expression of opinion could not be curtailed.

The court was led to this decision by what was regarded as proof that the "primary purpose of the strike being to drive nonunion employees out of the trade, except on conditions of joining one of the defunct unions, the purpose was against public policy and illegal."

Roosevelt Speeches Criticized.

CHEYENNE, Wyo.—Severe criticism of Theodore Roosevelt by a New York newspaper, the Evening Post, brought forth a spirited reply from him. He learned that he had been criticized for some of the speeches which he had been making on his Western trip, particularly for his remarks concerning corporations in his Buffalo speech.

ZELAYISM HAS NO PLACE

President Estrada Pledges Himself for Its Abolition in Nicaragua.

BLUEFIELDS.—General Juan J. Estrada, of the provisional government of Nicaragua, is sending to Dr. Salvador Castriello, his personal representative in the United States, a note setting forth the policy of the new administration.

In it he will pronounce for the re-establishment of the finances of the country; the elimination of Zelayism; the abolition of private privileges and concessions and complete compliance with the terms of the Washington convention, aiming to put a stop to the perpetual revolutions in the Central American states and encroachments by one state upon another.

Stork Lurks Near.

BERLIN.—News has just reached here that the Russian royal family is expecting another visit from the stork and that, for the benefit of the Czarina's health, the Czar and family will sojourn in Germany.

ITEMS OF INTEREST THROUGHOUT OREGON

Chronicle of Important Events of Interest to Our Readers.

Restocking River With Trout.

MEDFORD.—The work of restocking Rogue River and its tributaries with fish is proceeding steadily with the best success. The last shipment consists of 2000 Eastern brook trout, and they were placed in Ashland Creek. The little fellows were but an inch long, and arrived in fine shape from the Clackamas hatchery. Although the journey they made was long, but five of the fish were dead at the time the cans were emptied into the creek. Another shipment of 50,000 Eastern trout will be made in September from the Clackamas hatchery, to be distributed in the tributaries of Rogue river.

Water 15,000 Acres.

VALE.—Preliminary surveys for the Harper Basin Irrigation project, being promoted by Attorney G. W. Hayes, W. W. Caviness and C. H. Oxman of Vale, are completed and Engineers Miller and Oakes are working on the maps and estimates. The project will water 15,000 acres of fine land located 25 miles west of Vale. It is stated that construction will be comparatively easy, and that this project is the most feasible in this section. The most difficult engineering features will be a 250 foot tunnel and a 50 foot drop in the main canal.

PROHIBITION PARTY FILES COMPLETE STATE TICKET

SALEM.—The Prohibition party has filed a ticket with the secretary of state. The candidates are: For governor, A. E. Eaton, of Union; for secretary of state, W. A. Davis, of Milton; for state treasurer, Leslie Butler, of Hood River; for justice of the supreme court for four-year term, C. J. Bright, of The Dalles; for superintendent of public instruction, R. R. Steel, of Portland; for congressman for the second district, George B. Pratt, of Portland.

County Fair for Klamath.

KLAMATH FALLS.—Plans are being matured for a county fair to be held in this city this fall. The gathering of products has already begun and funds for the undertaking are subscribed by the business men. It is the intention of the chamber of commerce to get most of the exhibits for its information bureau, where a display is maintained for the benefit of those seeking information regarding the Klamath country.

SECRET SERVICE ON TRAIL

Jackson County Court May Offer Reward for Arrest of Forest Incendiaries.

MEDFORD.—District Attorney Mulkey has asked the county court to hold a special session and offer a reward of \$500 for the arrest and conviction of the incendiaries who have been making so much trouble throughout southern Oregon during the past two weeks.

While Assistant Forecaster C. J. Buick declined to discuss the matter it became known that he had recommended to the forestry officials in Portland that a reward of at least \$250 be offered by the department for information leading to the arrest and conviction of those responsible for the present fires. Those on the fire lines throughout the Crater forest have gathered enough evidence to show beyond a doubt that the fires are being set out.

Large Fire Loss.

MILTON.—The greatest fire ever known in this section broke out Saturday night, burning to the ground the Peacock mill, two adjoining dwelling houses, two warehouses filled with wheat, belonging to the Farmers' Warehouse Company, containing nearly 100,000 bushels of wheat. The loss will be in the neighborhood of \$150,000.

Citizens to Buy Bonds.

MARSHFIELD.—At a mass meeting of citizens of North Bend the matter of the proposed electric line of the Coos Bay Traction Corporation was discussed. The citizens were asked to take \$50,000 worth of the bonds of the company, of which \$25,000 worth was subscribed at the meeting.

BRIEF NEWS OF THE WEEK

The population of Michigan state is 2,810,173, an increase of 389,191, or 16.1 per cent, as compared with 2,420,982 in 1900.

The year book of the North American Young Men's Christian Association now being issued shows 2017 associations, an increase of 103 during the year.

It is estimated that dividend and interest disbursements in September by railroad, industrial and other corporations will aggregate \$100,000,000. This is \$20,000,000 ahead of last year.

Estimating the cost of a series of ten discharges at about \$100,000, the war department officials declined requests to order a bombardment of the skies by all its guns on Puget Sound and at the mouth of the Columbia river in an effort to bring on rain in the burning forest district of the Northwest.

What promises to be one of the greatest commercial battles in the history of the United States opened in Chicago Monday when the interstate commerce commission began its inquiry into the propriety of the general advances in freight rates recently announced by the western transportation lines.

NEWS OF NOTED PERSONS

Herman de la Gercantz, the Swedish minister to the United States, has been recalled.

On Wednesday a statue of the late Thomas B. Reed, speaker of the national house of representatives, was unveiled in his home city of Portland, Maine.

A magnificent public welcome is being prepared for Cardinal Vanutelli, the papal legate to the eucharistic congress in Montreal, who is due to reach that city Friday accompanied by numerous other delegates to the congress from all over Europe.

At Nelson, B. C., Sir Wilfred Laurier held a conference with representatives of the Portland and Spokane chamber of commerce to discuss an international project for deepening the Columbia river, making it navigable from the sea to West Robson, B. C.

Professor William James, of Harvard University, one of America's foremost philosophers, died Saturday.

FOREIGN NEWS BITS

Spain and the Vatican are now in a deadlock in their conflict, according to a statement by Premier Canalejas.

Ireland is still losing population. The excess of births over deaths in 1909 was 27,786, according to the registrar general's report just issued, but as 28,676 people emigrated during the year there was an actual decrease in population of 890.

The death of LuChuan Lin (Look Chun Lum), grand councillor of China, and one of the most powerful cabinet members on the eve of the annexation of Korea by Japan, is regarded here as a piece of particularly ill fortune for China.

The Canadian Methodist Conference at Victoria overwhelmingly declared in favor of church union on the basis already agreed upon by the joint committee representing the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches of the dominion. The special session of the Porto Rican legislature, which convened Tuesday, will consider measures to lease the government telephone and telegraph lines to a private corporation, to safeguard the interests of the island in the importation of seeds and tree cuttings and to cede lands for the erection of a million-dollar hotel in San Juan.

Longest Road Planned.

LOS ANGELES, Cal.—Railroad connections from Alaska to Cape Horn, South America, are not far distant, according to D. E. Thompson, for a number of years American ambassador to Mexico.

Goodness and Greatness.

Goodness comes from within—from feelings, thoughts and desires resulting in actions. Greatness is the consequence of bold actions, great energy, ambition, enterprise and perseverance.

Fire Charged in Timber Location.

SAN FRANCISCO.—Suit to annul patent to more than 2000 acres of rich timber lands in California, Oregon and Washington, alleged to have been obtained by the California Box & Door Company through fraudulent locations by 30 men in its employ, has been filed in the United State circuit court here.

EMPEROR'S SPEECH AROUSES GERMANY

Declaration Crown Bestowed by God Provokes Protest From Press.

BERLIN.—The speech delivered by Emperor William of Germany before the provincial banquet at Koenigsberg, in which he emphasized his belief in a divine mandate by which he rules, referred to the Prussian crown as "Bestowed by God's grace and not by parliaments or people's assemblies," and laid a lance against the movement for woman's suffrage, is the political sensation of the hour.

Every shade of disapproval is voiced, from mild regret to mockery of the alleged absolutist pretensions of the emperor. The opinions expressed in the minor German capitals appear to make no distinction be-



EMPEROR OF GERMANY.

tween the sovereign's position as emperor of Germany and king of Prussia, and tacitly aver that his responsibility to the empire as a whole precludes declarations as king of Prussia, which are inconsistent with the headship of the empire.

Inquiry is everywhere raised whether the imperial chancellor, Dr. Von Bethman-Hollweg, knew in advance of speech of such a nature.

The press generally comments also upon the necessity of the German parliament taking some action on the subject when it meets.

PRIMARY LAW TRIED IN NEW ENGLAND

BOSTON.—The political attention of the country gradually is being forced on New England, where, early in September, the first measuring of strength between the Republican and Democratic parties in the state elections of 1910 is to take place. Vermont, on September 8, and Maine on September 12, will elect state officers and representatives in Congress.

On the same day as the Vermont election, New Hampshire will hold her first statewide primaries, and the first under a direct primary law affecting an entire state to be held in the East.

The terms of Senators Page, of Vermont; Hale, of Maine; Lodge, of Massachusetts; Aldrich, of Rhode Island, and Bulkeley, of Connecticut, expire March 4, 1911. Mr. Hale and Mr. Aldrich have declined re-election. New Hampshire does not elect to the Senate again until 1912.

Impressed Har.

"You will never be able to make her believe that he is a liar. "I wonder why?" "I believe that he once told her she was beautiful."—Houston Post.

Fire Conditions Improving.

ROSEBURG.—Forest fire conditions in Douglas county are improving, according to reports received here from the stricken districts. Acting Forester Harpham is still advertising for volunteer fire fighters and as long as these can be secured, there is little probability of the militia being pressed into service.