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COTTAGE GROVE ... OREGON.

NEWS OF THE WEF In a Condensed Form for Our **Busy Readers.**

Not Less Interesting Events of the Past Week.

Attacks on Chicago strikebreakers have again caused rioting in the streets.

Germnay is drafting a new commercial treaty for submission to the United ring and any pretense of ignorance in States.

An automobile in Chicago went persons.

velt over his success in bringing about speculators have been in possession all peace negotiations ...

A collision between trolley cars near Princeton, New Jersey, resulted in the injury of 16 persnos.

has won the first point.

London papers believe that the large money indemnity Japan will ask of Russia will break off peace negotiations.

Both Russia and Japan have accepted pose of their holdings for \$4.50 an acre but, as already made clear, informal in Washington.

The French government has called home its governor of French Indo-China, to confer on plans for the defense of the colony.

A test is to be made of the effectiveness of the defenses at Fort Monroe and Old Point Comfort, conceded by army and navy officers to be the chief defense to Washintgon.

Attorneys in the beef trust inquiry have disagreed.

Japan's terms of peace have been stated to Russia.

Bowen wants to contine the Loomis investigation in Venezuela.

American troops have killed a band of 40 rebels in the island of Samar.

The kaiser and czar will not recog-Sweden.

Deadly riots continue throughout the interior of Russia and hundreds of people are being killed.

The business of the Portland postoffice for April shows an increase of 35 when her navy has been entirely per cent over that of April, 1904.

Paul Morton, now secretary of the



Heney Says They are Worse Than Those of Oregon.

San Francisco, June 12. - Grave tharges have been made against the ROOSEVELT SENDS MESSAGES, TO officials of the state land office by

Francis J. Heney. The government attorney has reported to Washington that conditions in California are even worse than those in Oregon, in connection with which United States Senator SUGGESTS DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS Mitchell and Representative Hermann were indicted by a Federal grand jury. He has made accusations against men in state offices, asserting that they have A Resume of the Less Important but been in league with the speculators, such as John A. Benson and Frederick A. Hyde, who have fraudulently acquired vast tracts of the public lands in California.

"The trouble lies in the state land office itself," said Mr. Heney. "The note, the text of which, by authority of office has been hand in glove with the the president, was made public late toregard to the schemes of graft which have been carried out is absurd. The ring has received favors from the office ernments of Russia and Japan by Presithrough an open draw, drowning three ever since the last election, and as a re- dent Roosevelt. In the interest of husult two-thirds of the state's valuable manity, the president arges the warring All Europe joins in praise of Roose- timber lands have been stolen. The nations to conclude peace. It is sugalong of advance information. This tiations for peace be conducted "directhas been especially noticeable in the ly and exclusively" between the belligmatter of the creation of forest re- erent nations. The note indicates the In the case of the state of Kanass vs. the reserves cover as much vacant sive negatiations, but likewise expresses the Standard Oil company, the state school land as possible. This land was the president's wilingness to do all that practically worthless, all the good he properly may do to promote the school land having been taken up. preliminary arrangements for a time Some of it lies on the top of crags and and place for the meeting of representwas useless for any purpose except the atives of the Russian and Japanese govcreation of scrip. But those who filed ernments. A formal reply to the note on the land for \$1.25 an acre could dis- may not be received for several days,

> even better than that, by taking up significant character of the document lieu lands in the best part of the timber belt."

WILL ASK GUARANTEE.

Japan Would Bind Russia to a Strict Observance of Treaty.

Tokio, June 12. - On the ability of Russia to offer a sufficient guarantee that she will live up to any treaty of peace arranged hinges Japan's willing- yesterday to transmit to the president ness to bring the war to an end. This statement is made on the authority of one of the best known Japanese states- vided it could be obtained under proper men, on condition that his identity be conditións. kept unknown. Aware of the preference of Japan to

"Japan wants peace," he said, "but she will not be made a fool of by Rus-That nation must agree to keep sia.

her hands off the Far East for a long nize the disunion of Norway and term of years, and her treaty must contain some clauses which effectively preclude her resuming hostilities when her army and navy are rehabilittated, and such clauses must be of such character that they cannot lightly be disregarded. Even at the present time, tion.

> wiped off the face of the waters and her army has been disrupted and placed on the defensive at all points, we hear

DISCONTINUE WAR

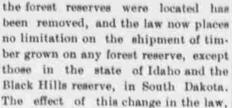
Russia and Japan.

Offers to Help in the Preliminary Ar. rangements if Wanted by the Warring Nations.

READY TO SELL TIMBER.

Government will Now Open Forest Reserves to Loggers.

Washington, June 9 .- Following out its declared intention of developing forest reserves by use, the bureau of Forestry annonces, by special bulletin, that mature timber in all forest re- R. C. Stohr a Convert to Flax Doc- Conrad Krebs Declares Project for serves is to be offered for sale. The restriction formerly laid upon the export of timber from the states in which



Washington, June 10 .- An identical and the declared policy of the department of Agriculture, is that the timber night at the White house by Secretary on the reserves may now be cut and disposed of to the highest bidder. On Loeb, has been forwarded to the govmany of the reserves there are great quantities of mature timber, and on some of them the facilities for getting it out at a reasonable cost are excellent. gested by the president that the nego-The forest service, which has charge of the administration of the reserves, is anxious to begin the cutting of this serves. Two superintendents have con- president's belief that an intermediary mature timber as soon as possible, and fessed that they were bribed to make may not be necessary to effect conclu- it is prepared to consider offers from lumbermen who wish to undertake such operations.

It is perhaps well to call attention to the fact that this announcement does not mean that the forest reserves are going to be devastated under authority of the government. On the contrary, President Roosevelt's aid in making as soon as they were included in a for- assurances that it would be welcomed the distinct and definite purpose of the peace. Negotiations will be carried on est reserve. And they often could do are already at hand. In view of the forest service is to improve the reand of the attitude toward it which both Russia and Japan have assumed, it is regarded in official and diplomatic will also provide for the reproduction ment of the industry, but he says if circles as the first firm and decisive of the forest and the restocking of step toward ultimate peace. At a late those areas upon which forest condihour tonight Mr. Tapkahira, Japanese tions are defective. Work of this kind invest in the enterprise. minister, had not been advised from Tokio of the delivery of the president's has been successfully carried on for some years in the Black Hills forest message to the emperor, but he was exreserve, and has been begun with the pecting a cable dispatch to that effect at any moment. The minister was able greatest promise of success on the lands of the Chippewa Indians, in Northern Minnesota, from which it is proposed a message from the mikado that Japan to create another National reserve. was, with Russia, desirous of peace, pro-

The public in general, and lumbermen in particular, will be interested in no way hampered the lumbering were obtained for white and Norway monthly salary. pine in the same region, and the slash

000 feet board measurement.



BELIEVES MILL FEASIBLE.

trines of Eugene Bosse.

Salem -- J. C. Stohr, of Chicago, assistant traffic director of the Harri-

man lines, accompanied by General Freight Agent R. B. Miller, of the O. R. & N.; General Passenger Agent W. ber grown on any forest reserve, except H. E. Lounsbury, traveling freight hop pool or corporation, President Conthose in the state of Idaho and the and passenger agent of the latter com- rad Krebs, of the firm, says he has reroom of the Willamutte hotel. As a hops. result of the conference Mr. Stohr states coarsest of twines and cordages, crash,

> can be manufactured from it. with the aid of a new flax pulling machine which is now in course of perfeccheaper, than in the foreign countries,

not compete with.

Mr. Stohr collected a great amount scheme it only remains for others to while here, and will carry it back to serves by utilizing the material that action the Harriman system proposed is now fit for lumber. In doing so, it to take toward promoting the develop- that it will be called." the project looks feasible to the man-

agement it will exert its influence toward interesting Eastern capital to

WANT SALARIES BY WARRANT

State Employes Dislike Certificates of Allowance.

Kay law, passed by the last legislature.

reached. It is reported that this is

Threshers to Meet.

Salem-At a meeting held last week the state employes decided to levy an assessment upon themselves to raise a to know that in this last case the re- fund to defray the expense of hiring an strictions imposed by the forester have attorney to test the question whether it is the duty of the secretary of state to operations. Timber sold at public issue salary warrants on the first of sale, with full knowledge of these re- each month. The assessment levied strictions, brought higher prices than was at the rate of 2 per cent on the

John A. Carson was employed to conhas been burned and got out of the duct the mandamus proceedings, which from St. Petersburg, and he was unable way at a cost of about 12 cents per 1,- will probably be commenced this week, after the monthly payroll has been pre-

The supervisor of each forest reserve sented to the secretary of state and he grade free milling ore, and the width s authorized to receive applications for has refused to issue a warrant. the right to cut timber; intending pur- Secretary of State Dunbar takes the

chasers should communicate with him, position that it is his duty to proceed that was almost pure gold; the second not with the department at Washingunder the general law and issue

PROMISE BIG POOL.

Big Combine Will WIn.

Salem - Although a week has not passed since the issuance of the circular letter to the hopgrowers of the Pacific coast, New York and England, by the firm of Krebs Bros., of this city, E. Coman, of the Southern Pacific, and proposing the organization of a gigantic pany, were here last week to make in- ceived replies from almost every hopquiries into the practicability of the growing section of this state, and that establishment of a linen mill here, all spoke favorably of the proposition and held a conference with Eugene and pledged their hearty support. He Bosse, the flax expert, and Mrs. W. P. has already received promises aggre-Lord, a flax enthusiast, in the reception gating 25,000 bales of the 1905 crop of

So far letters have been received that he is convinced that a quality of from growers in the districts of Forest fibre that ca mot be excelled any place Grove, Woodhurn, Dayton, Corvallis, else in the world can be grown in this Eugene, Amity, Oregon, and Cowlitz, valley, and that everything from the Washington, while verbal assurances of support have been received from the etc., to the very finest linens and laces growers of the Independence, Dallas, Champoeg, St. Paul, Aurora, Brooks He is also assured by Mr. Bosse that districts and Washington and Yamhill

counties "I feel much encouraged over the tion and completion the raw material outlook," said Mr. Krebs, "and I can be produced quite as cheap, if not think there is no question that the move will win. The letters I have reand that the finished product could be ceived are from the principal growers placed upon the market at such prices and represent the business element of that the foreign or eastern mills could the industry, and when they recognize the feasibility and practicability of the

of reliable data concerning the industry fall into line and the thing is done. We shall probably wait two weeks to-Chicago with him to make his report. hear from all over the coast and east He would not state what particular before any steps are taken to call a meeting, but I now feel quite certain

BIG STRIKE IN OPP MINE.

Sacks of Ore are Taken Out Worth \$20,000 a Ton.

Medford-When the first big strike was made in the Opp mine, two weeksago, many people expressed opinions that it was a bonch and that the vein would pinch out, as so many other veins have done in Southern Gregon. Events have proved, however, that if it is a bunch it is the biggest, richest and most extensive ever found on the Pacific coast. Last week a second strike, somewhat smaller than the first one, was made, and a body of ore richer and larger than both others has just been uncovered, proving conclusively that the Opp mine is one of the most promising quartz gold mines ever discovered. on the coast.

Besides this extremely rich ore, they are taking out large quantiti s of high and depth of the vein increases. The first strike amounted to 20 sacks of ore certifi, one consisted of five sacks of an esti-

few days has been active in counseling moderation to Japan rather than in endeavoring to draw from Tokio some statement of probable terms. At the Russian embassy tonight Count Cassini remained without advices to comment on any phase of the situa-

communicate her peace terms to Rus-

sia directly, the president in the last

EIGHT-HOUR LAW ON CANAL.

navy, has been elected chairman of the Equitable Life Assurance society.

on the naval battle says Rojestvensky's fleet was defeated in the first hour.

The National Editorial association in its convention at Guthrie, Oklahoma, adopted resolutions favoring immediate statehood for the territory.

Swedish and Danish princes have refused the Norwegian throne and Norway is preparing to establish a republic. Great Britain urges the choosing of Prince Arthur for king. His sister is to marry the crown prince of Sweden.

The Michigan flood is subsiding.

The Russian warships at Manila have disarmed.

Vladivostok.

A British submarine boat has been lost with 14 lives.

In the Norway-Sweden dispute Britain is standing by Norway and Germany backs Sweden.

of union with Norway, but desires an alliance against Russia.

great winning for the strikers.

Norway is proceeding with the organization of an independent government. If a suitable king cannot be found a republic will be established.

Russia's willingness to make peac Roosevelt to make peace.

General Gomez has arrived in Havana and is in somewhat better health.

extra session, it is now believed it will of fine land. be convened the middle of November instead of October. The delay raises the hopes of the antis of defeating the railroad rate bill.

King Alfonso is visiting in England. Delcasse has resigned as foreign min-

ister of France. The grand dukes have advised the

ezar to make peace.

The Omaha Commercial club will visit the fair in July.

Chicago teamsters have appointed a committee to settle the strike.

Two convicts from a gang at work on a road near Salem have escaped.

Linievitch says he can defeat the Japanese army and wants more war.

work. Inir.

from our secret agents in St. Petersburg that the advocates of a war policy urge Admiral Enquist's report to the czar the czar, if he feels that he must subscribe to peace terms, to refuse to com-

that would prevent the execution of contracts for new warships of all classes which were made with German and American firms of shipbuilders.

SWEDISH ANGER RISING.

Norway Accused of Ignoring Rights of Sweden by Her Action.

Stockholm, June 12 .- It is impossi- struction of the Panama canal.

ble to forecast Swedish policy in relation to the Norwegian rebellion but senting the will of the Norwegian peo- tion of congress.

ple. However, it is difficult to see

Butte County Canal Open.

Gridley, Cal., June 12 .- With the opening of the headgates and the turn-

ng on of the water into the Butte county canal today, what is probably

Great Drydock Launched.

stantly at work.

Gasoline Cars the Thing.

Chicago, June 12 .- The management of the Harriman lines has ordered six

Moody Holds It Applies to Laborers ton. and Mechanics.

Washington, June 10 .- The opinion of Attorney General Moody regarding mit Russia to any policy of disarming the application of the eight-hour law on the Isthmus of Panama was made public today. He holds that the act of August 1, 1892, which limits and restricts to eight hours the daily service of laborers and mechanics employed by the present tendency to criticise the of allowance they must discount them the government of the United States or by any contractor or sub-contractor upon the public works of the United

> laborers and mechanics in the con- no evidence to prove Mr. Rockefeller That act, however, the attorney gen-

eral holds, does not apply to the office signs are lacking of any willing acqui- force of the Isthmian Canal commisescence therein. The king, crown sion stationed on the Isthmus, or to ity. The Japanese are said to have cut off prince and many others, official and any of the employes of the government unofficial, are disposed to regard the who are not within the ordinary meanacts of Christiania as those of a rebel: ing of the words "laborers and mechanlious cotiere of politicians which can- ics." Also that the scope of the act is not be considered as necessarily repre- not limited by the territorial jurisdic- ment, both in defense of it and in op-

In answer to the request of the secrehow an official protest can be made, tary of war for an opinion on the ad-Sweden may not resist the dissolving since nothing short of a successful war ditional question of whether the prois likely to restore the situation. In visions of the act mentioned apply to all, responsible men hesitate to com- the hours of labor of "mechanics and mand such a course. That this hesita- laborers" employed in the construc-Chicago teamowners may split on the tion will survive the heat of a parlia- tion, maintenance and operation of the strike question. If they do it will be a mentary session may be slightly doubt- Panama railroad and steamship line, the attorney general decides in the neg-

ative.

Once-Famous Prince Dead.

Berlin, June 10. - Prince Leopold von Hohenzollern, cousin of Emperor William, who came to Berlin to attend by a great patriotic demonstration of the result being uniform prices and has been announced to Japan and a re- the most important irrigation enter- the wedding of Crown Prince Frederick loyalty to and sympathy with King ply received. The German emperor prise in Northern California is now in William and Duchess Cecilia, died Oscar. A great procession, accomleads the European powers in aiding working order. There were no hitches suddenly tonight of appoplexy, aged 70 panied by bands, went to Rosendal or accidents, the river pouring its water years. The prince will be remembered Castle, where the bands played the into the canal as the gates were raised. In history as the candidate of the Span- national anthem. In a few minutes The canal is 14 miles long, 30 feet wide ish Cortes for the throne of Spain and the king and other members of the royon the bottom and carries 25,000 inches as having been unwittingly the cause of al family appeared on a balcony of the While the president has announced of water, equivalent to 500 cubic feet, the Franco-Prussian war. He lived at castle and were enthusiastically cheered no definite date for calling congress in a second, and will irrigate 80,000 acres Sigmarion in the original principality by the demonstrators, while a number of Hohenzollern. He was married to of ladies presented the king a bouquet the Infanta Antonia, of Portugal.

Baltimore, June 12 .- The govern- May Smoke But Not Sell Cigarettes.

ment drydock recently built by the Indianapolis, Ind., June 10 .- Judge Maryland Steel company at Sparrow's James Leathers, of the Marion county squadron of the North Atlantic fleet, Point, which will be towed to Manila, Superior court, today decided in the consisting of the armored cruiser was successfully floated today. Miss case of the State vs. W. W. Lowry, in- Brooklyn and the protected cruisers Endicott, daughter of Rear Admiral dicted for smoking a cigarette, that the Chattanooga, Galveston and Tacoma, Endicott, christened the new vessel anti-cigarette law passed by the last selected by the Navy department to "Dewey." The Dewey is the largest legislature is constitutional, except bring home the body of John Paul floating dock in the world. It will lift wherein it may conifict with the inter- Jones from France, assembled off the 25,400 tons and cost \$1,125,000. Its state commerce law. Smokers may naval anchorage at Tompkinsville, construction required 500 men con- import cigarettes from other states and Staten island, today, and will proceed smoke them, but it is held unlawful to sea on the way to Cherbourg. The to sell or give them away.

Russian Loss May Be 15,000.

No Let-Up On Beef Trust. Gunshu Pass, June 10. - According Chicago, June 9 .- Instructions were additional gasoline motors to be used to reports received by General Linie- received today by the Federal grand on their branch lines. The original vitch from naval officers who have ar- jury which has been investigating the has issued a circular letter saying that motor has proved such an eminent suc- rived at Vladivostok, the losses of Ad- affairs of the beef industry, to continue reliablea dvices from New York and

A delegation of business men of Bos- cess that it has been decided to use miral Rojestvensky's fleet were from the investigation and return indict- California growers are that the 1905 ton has started for the Lewis and Clark motors eventually on all branch line 9,000 to 10,000 officers and men killed ments if the jurors find that the testior drowned, and about 5.000 prisoners. mony warrants such action.

cates of allowance for the reason that no appropriation is available. The employes contend that under the OVERTURN THE WHITEWASH.

Convention of Baptists Refuses to En-

it is the duty of the secretary of state to issue warrants for salary claims, dorse Rockefeller. even though there be no appropriation North Bend, Ind., June 9. - "Re- available. The difference to the em-

solved, that we express ourselvs against ployes is that if they receive certificates at 10 per cent. A warrant would be great Baptist brotherhood in the person worth its face value. of one of its most active members, and States, applies to the employment of this in the face of the fact that there is

Sumpter Valley Extension to Begin. Sumpter-A working crew has gone s or ever has been either directly or out over the Sumpter Valley railway

indirectly connected with conduct that bound for the front. Work has been started on the extension from Tipton, s out of line with the highest moraland will be pushed with all possible speed until Austin station has been

This resolution caused a storm of protests today at the convention of the the objective point of the road this Northern Indiana Baptists' association. It was voted down after vigorous composition to it.

was drawn by Rev. Mr. Wheeler, of Elkhart, who introduced it and made a speech in defense of it. Rev. Mr. Lankin, of Mishawaka, also defended it. The protests were started by Rev. C. threshing machines have announced a R. Parker, of Laporte, who, among meeting to be held at Shedds on Satur-

in the most rigid way."

and farmers generally are invited to at-Stockholm, June 9 .- The Norwegian coup d'etat was answered here tonight ing at the improved condition of their

> Census Returns Coming In. Pendleton - Assessor Strain has received part of the returns from the state census being taken in this county and reports that Milton city has 990 people and Freewater between 300 and 315. The North Milton precinct, in | which Freewater is located, has 1,500

inhabitants, being one of the most thickly settled in the county.

Fewer Hops This Year.

Salem-President Conrad Krebs, of the Hopholders' Protective association,

than last year.

mated value of \$1,500; the third one, the ore of which is considered richer

than either of the other two, consisted of 40 sacks, already taken out, and there remains an unknown quantity of ore still in sight. This would make the three strikes aggregate a value of over \$20,000.

Hon, H. E. Ankeny has visited the mine and while there offered \$1,200 for three pieces of ore weighing altogether 110 ounces. The offer was refused. At this price the ore would be worth \$133 a pound, or \$236,000 per ton.

June 14 a Salem Holiday.

Salem-The Greater Salem Commercial club has adopted a resolution asking all business houses to close on June-14, which will be Salem day at the Lewis and Clark fair. The Business Men's league will take a similar action, and at the request of the city council, Mayor Waters will issue a proclamation asking that Salem day be observed as a holiday here, so that as large a number as possible may go to Portland to attend the fair. President Hofer says that Salem should send 2,000people to the fair on June 14.

Gold Brick Worth Thousands.

Cottage Grove-A. B. Wood, manager of the Oregon Securities company, day, June 17, to determine prices to be has returned from Bohemia, bringing charged for threshing grain and wages with him a gold brick worth several to be paid laborers during the harvestthousand dollars, the second clean-uping season. Both owners of harvesters from that company since they started up. Mr. Wood went to the camp to install the new superintendent, T. C. Archer, of Prescott, Ariz. Mr. Wood says the plant is in constant operation, and that the entire system of machinery is running splendidly.

Will Hanley Selling Cattle.

Burns-W. D. Hanley left for Ontario at the close of the month with cattle. He took about 1,500 head from the present time. Farmers are jubi- the P ranch and picked up enough more lant over the prospect of abundant at Venator and Anderson valley to swell crops and fruitgrowers are also rejoic- the number to 2,500 or 3,000. The bunch is mostly 2-year-olds, with a few yearlings and 3-year-olds.

PORTLAND MARKETS

Wheat - Club, 84c per bushel; bluestem, 90@91c; valley, 85@87c. Oats-No. 1 white, feed, \$30.00 per ton; choice milling, \$30.

Hay - Timothy, \$14@16 per ton; clover, \$11@12; grain, \$11@12; cheat, \$11@12

Eggs-Oregon ranch, 181/@19c per dozen.

Butter-Fancy creamery, 17%@21%c Strawberries-\$1.25@1.50 per crate. Apples-Table, \$1.50@2.50 per box. Potatoes-Oregon fancy, \$1.35@1.50; new potatoes, \$1.50@1.65.

Hops-Choice, 1904, 22%@24c per pound.

Wool-Eastern Oregon, best, 19@ hop crop in those states will be smaller 23c; valley, 27 1/2 @29c; mohair, choice, 31@32%c.

Brooklyn will receive the casket.

season, and that the company will be satisfied with this much of an extension for the present. The large force of men being put to work leads to the /The defense of John D. Rockefeller impression that if it is possible the road will be extended further. Albany-Linn county operators of

other things, said: "Rotten things should be dealt with

Sweden is Loyal to Oscar.

tend this meeting. Such meetings have become annual affairs in Linn county, wages throughout the county. Continued Rain Helps Crops. La Grande-The continued rains of the past week have been of great benefit to growing crops and grain and grasses have never been better than at

of flowers.

orchards, as the damage by late frosts Bring Home Paul Jones. is not nearly as bad as at first reported. New York, June 9. - The second