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**OREGON NEWS NOTES
 OF GENERAL INTEREST**

Principal Events of the Week
 Briefly Sketched for Infor-
 mation of Our Readers.

Elijah C. Jeffers, 80, an Oregon pio-
 neer of 1847, died at the family home
 in Astoria.

The Umpqua Academy association
 will hold its fourth annual reunion at
 Wilbur June 5.

William Howard Taft may appear
 in Hood River on Memorial day in a
 lecture on the league of nations.

The Fossil Telephone exchange has
 filed application with the Oregon pub-
 lic service commission to increase its
 rates.

A \$21,000 bond issue to finance the
 purchase of a park site on the banks
 of the Deschutes will be voted on at

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Work on the welcome arch to be
 placed at the main entrance to Baker
 on the famous old Oregon trail has
 been started.

Fire destroyed the opera house, two
 stores and two other buildings at Mer-
 rill, in Lake county. The loss is esti-
 mated at \$20,000.

Mrs. Sarah Thompson, believed to
 have been the oldest woman in the
 state of Oregon, died in Portland at
 the age of 102 years.

The seventh annual convention of
 the Cattle and Horse Raisers' associa-
 tion of Oregon will be held at Burns in
 Harney county May 24-25.

At the meeting of the Douglas Coun-
 ty Sheep and Breeders' association,
 which was held in Roseburg, it was
 decided to form a mohair pool.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Van Winkle, 77,
 Oregon pioneer of 1852, died in Salem
 at the home of her son, I. H. Van Win-
 kle, assistant attorney-general of Ore-
 gon.

Dorothy Cooper, the six-year-old
 daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cooper
 of Wauna, about 25 miles east of As-

torla, was fatally burned at the family
 home.

Four years old and registering 48
 pounds on the scales is the record of
 the first marked salmon of the 4000
 turned out in 1916 from the Columbia
 river that has returned to its home
 waters. The fish was caught at The
 Dalles in one of the wheels there on
 May 4.

Fees from the motor vehicle depart-
 ment of the secretary of state's office
 for the month of April totaled \$104,193,
 according to a report prepared by Sam
 A. Koser, assistant secretary of state.
 Total receipts of the automobile depart-
 ment for the first four months of
 the year 1920 were \$1,753,045.

The sale at Salem of Gertie Poppys
 Stimawes, a Jersey bull offered by F.
 A. Doerfler, owner of a large live-
 stock ranch located 13 miles east of
 Salem, to Thomas H. Moran of Dun-
 geness, Wash., for \$10,500, established
 a new record of price received for this
 class of animals on the Pacific coast.

Oregon produces as fine Jersey cat-
 tle as are found anywhere in the world
 but the industry has suffered from the
 lack of publicity, according to state-
 ments made by M. D. Duan of Chicago,
 president of the American Jersey club,
 in an address at a banquet at Salem
 in honor of the Oregon Jersey jubilee.

A favorable report on the so-called
 Benham Falls reservoir, which is in-
 tended for storage of water for the
 Deschutes irrigation district, will be
 forthcoming before June 10, according
 to a telegram received at the office of
 the state engineer from the United
 States reclamation service at Washing-
 ton.

By the text of its report, filed with
 Judge G. G. Bingham of the circuit
 court, the Marion county grand jury
 severely criticized bond transactions
 between O. P. Hoff, state treasurer,
 and John L. Etheridge, of the Portland
 firm of Morris brothers, and declares
 that exorbitant profits were exacted
 from the state by the Portland bond
 house.

Citizens of Douglas county are in
 arms over the recent bill that passed
 the senate transferring a large part of
 the Umpqua forest reserve to the Cra-
 ter lake national park. It is declared
 that if the house should concur that
 thousands of sheep and cattle belong-
 ing to stockmen, which are annually
 grazed in this forest, would be forced
 out of the county.

Manufacture of sorghum in Marion
 county as a means of beating the high
 cost of sugar is advocated by C. I.
 Lewis, manager of the Oregon Growers
 Co-operative association. Mr. Lewis
 says sorghum has been manufactured
 in the Lebanon district and some other
 sections of the state for many years
 and has proved profitable to the pro-
 moters of the industry.

There were four deaths due to indus-
 trial accidents in Oregon during the
 week ending May 6, according to a
 report prepared by the state industrial
 accident commission. The victims were
 L. A. Freeman, bucker, Eagle Creek;
 Marlon Bigham, sawyer, Bush; Frank
 Lewis, deck hand, Bandon, and Lee
 Hollenbeck, deck hand, Bandon. A to-
 tal of 493 accidents were reported.

A Phillip Connally, member of a
 wellknown Union county family, ac-
 cording to Mrs. Celia George, his house
 keeper, committed suicide by shooting
 himself through the heart at his farm
 home, eight miles from La Grande.
 The reported suicide was committed
 while Connally was making prepara-
 tions to pay \$12,500 damages won by
 his housekeeper in a breach of promise
 action.

Oregon will not get any captured
 German field guns or other confiscated
 war equipment until congress passes
 an act providing for the distribution
 of this class of material, according to
 a telegram received at the executive
 offices from P. C. Harris of the adju-
 tant-general's office at Washington.
 One bill is now before congress, how-
 ever, which, if passed, will allow Ore-
 gon a number of guns of 77 caliber and
 above.

Between April 1, 1917, when the
 state highway commission had its in-
 ception, and April 30, 1920, there was
 laid in Oregon approximately 430 miles
 of paving, 448 miles of macadam and
 grading, totalling 988 miles, according
 to a report prepared by the highway
 department. The total estimated cost
 of these improvements was \$25,312-
 759.46, of which the state paid \$18,011-
 058.55. Contributions of counties
 amounted to \$3,634,595.10, while the
 government's share of the total expense
 was \$3,667,105.81.

At a meeting at Astoria of repre-
 sentatives of all the canneries and
 cold storage plants on the Columbia
 river, with two exceptions, the price
 per pound to be paid for raw fish dur-
 ing the season which opened at noon
 Saturday were set as follows: Chi-
 nooks weighing over eight pounds, 12
 cents; those under eight-pounds to be
 refused; steelheads, 9 cents; blue-
 backs, 9½ cents; silversides, 3 cents;
 shad, 1 cent; white sturgeon, 10 cents,
 green sturgeon, 5 cents.

Because the state highway commis-
 sion apportioned to some counties of
 Oregon sums of money in excess of
 that raised through the uniform tax
 levy of 1 mill for market roads while
 to other counties were apportioned
 funds in amounts smaller than \$6



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rived through their respective levies.
 A. D. Leedy, district attorney of Grant
 county has filed with the state high-
 way department a written protest. He
 urges a re-distribution of the market
 road funds together with the granting
 of such other relief for Grant county as
 the commission may deem advisable.

Sixty-five bankers from lower Wil-
 lamette and Columbia valley counties
 attended the annual meeting of group

No. 1 of the State Bankers' association
 at Salem.

David M. Leach, 70 years old, pioneer
 resident of the Lexington district, near
 Heppner, committed suicide by shoot-
 ing himself through the head with a
 .38-caliber revolver.

Interest on irreducible school funds
 of the state from August 1, 1919, to
 May 1, 1920, amounted to \$350,926.11,
 according to a statement issued by the
 treasury department.

George Johnson, known as "Shorty,"
 a bachelor about 40 living at Port Or-
 ford, has been taken to the state psy-
 chiatric hospital at Salem, a raving maniac. John-
 son, apparently normal, was strolling
 along the beach at Port Orford when
 he discovered a beautiful agate. The
 stone contained almost a perfect fig-
 ure of a monument with a cross on top.
 He declared it was a sign of the sec-
 ond coming of Christ and from that
 moment on his mind became unbal-
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