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OREGON NEWS NOTES
OF GENERAL INTEREST

Principal Events of the Week
 Briefly Sketched for Information of Our Readers.

The fifteenth annual convention of the Oregon Bankers' association convened at Eugene Tuesday.

The \$60,000 gravity water project undertaken by Monmouth nearly a year ago has been completed.

While fishing on a dock at Newport, Ivy Howard caught an octopus which measured about six feet in diameter.

Charles A. Barr, resident of Marion county since 1879, died at his home five miles south of Salem. He was 89 years of age.

A picnic for all residents of Marion county is being planned by the Marion County Community federation and will be held sometime in July.

The Roseburg cherry crop is ripening rapidly. Earlier varieties will be plentiful, it is believed, and the late fruit promises heavy yields.

The Linn county farm bureau has decided to arrange a series of poultry culling demonstrations in Linn county during August and September.

Former Salemites from all sections of Oregon and the Pacific northwest assembled at Salem Saturday for the annual homecoming ceremonies.

Eugene and Springfield have joined forces for a Fourth of July celebration. Springfield will celebrate Saturday, July 3, and Eugene Monday, July 5.

Aurora's new artesian well is now flowing at the rate of nearly 40,000 gallons a day, which is several thousand gallons more than the city uses.

Airplane forest fire patrol service in Oregon will not start until June 25, according to a letter received at the offices of F. A. Elliott, state forester.

The Sheridan Light & Power Co., with headquarters at Sheridan, has filed with the Oregon public service commission application for an increase in rates.

John Steiger, prominent sheep man and rancher of Baker county and known throughout eastern Oregon, died Friday while on a fishing trip near Baker.

Bert Jewell, of Greenpoint, formerly game warden for Clackamas county, drowned in the Clackamas river when the boat in which he and two companions capsized.

About 80 representatives of Baptist churches of Malheur, Wallowa, Union and Baker counties attended the Grande Ronde Baptist association, which was held at Baker.

W. H. Smith, Echo farmer, was killed on his ranch by Mayor Asa B. Thompson, of Echo, who went to aid the sheriff in arresting Smith on charges of robbery and assault.

Receipts of the motor vehicle department of the state government for the month of May, 1920, totaled \$99,696, according to a financial statement prepared by the secretary of state.

Unprecedented increase in business during the past few months is given as the reason for the increase in the capital stock of the Pheasant company of Salem from \$1,500,000 to \$4,000,000.

A number of men of Coburg and vicinity were cited by Deputy Sheriff Croner to appear before District Attorney Ray and explain why they have not obtained state licenses for their dogs.

Washington county Holstein breeders held a field meeting on the farm of H. Martin, near Eddy. Mr. Martin has a herd of thorough-bred cattle. A cattle judging contest for both adults and boys was staged.

For the purpose of discussing the wool and mohair market situation and the organization of a county wool and mohair growers' association, a series of meetings of growers of wool and mohair will be held in Linn county this week.

The fight of the Dallas churches to close the moving picture theaters in the city on Sunday was lost when the citizens of the town in a special election decided they wanted the Sunday evening shows by a vote of 407 to 260, ending a bitter fight.

A large amusement hall and several homes for employes of the Oregon Lumber company are being constructed at Bates, a lumber camp on the Sumpter Valley railroad, by the lumber corporation, in an effort to better living conditions and afford recreation to its employes.

Between 6000 and 7000 pheasant eggs are to be hatched this year at the state game farm at Eugene, according to State Game Warden Burghdoff. At present 1300 young birds are out and 2600 eggs are under the hens. The Corvallis farm will also produce about 7000 birds this year.

Because a large number of cases of illness from stomach trouble have developed in Medford from unknown causes, none serious, Dr. E. B. Pickel, city health officer, has issued a warning to all users of city water to boil the water for cooking and drinking purposes until a sample of the water has been analyzed by the state board of health.

A course in extension methods will be offered at the Oregon Agricultural college in the summer session, June 21 to July 31. Field work in nearby rural communities will be an important feature.

The Willamina & Grand Ronde Railway company, which proposes to construct a railroad and telegraph lines from the former town along the Yamhill river to a point near Grand Ronde in Polk county, has filed articles of incorporation in the state corporation department. The capital stock is \$500,000.

Street car fares in Portland were advanced from 6 to 8 cents, effective Tuesday, June 15, on an order issued by the public service commission of Oregon. In the findings of the commission the new rate was held to be necessary in order to increase the revenue of the company to meet its expenses.

A new prune evaporator will be erected in Dallas this summer by California parties on the E. C. Kirkpatrick tract, North Dallas. The evaporator is the patent of the parties who will install it and if it proves the success they claim for it will greatly revolutionize the drying of prunes in this part of the country.

John W. Todd, superintendent of the Salem public schools, whose name has been mentioned on several occasions in connection with the operations of Carlos L. Byron, now serving a long term in the federal penitentiary for land frauds, has been completely exonerated in a report prepared by an investigating committee.

The Salem dehydration plant will start operations for the 1920 season within the next few days. Spinach will come first, then strawberries, cherries and other fruits and vegetables. The largest runs will be on prunes and apples. Owners of the plant expect to have more than \$2,000,000 worth of products ready for the market before the end of the season.

Election of officers of the department of Oregon, Grand Army of the Republic, in annual encampment at Astoria, resulted in the selection of J. T. Butler, Oregon City, commander; R. A. Abbott, Astoria, senior vice-commander; Donald Clark, Portland, junior vice-commander; Joseph E. Hall, Portland, medical director, re-elected, and T. Brouillette, Portland, chaplain, re-elected.

The Eastern Oregon Livestock company has filed with the state engineer application covering the construction of what will be known as the "P" ranch reservoir for the storage of 120,000 acre-feet of water from the Donner and Blitzen rivers for irrigation purposes. A dam 40 feet high and 1000 feet in length will be constructed, which, together with the other proposed improvements, will cost approximately \$750,000.

An initiative petition providing for the complete abolishment of cigarettes in Oregon has been filed with the secretary of state, and will be referred to the attorney-general for ballot title. Under the proposed law it will be a violation to sell, keep for sale, solicit, advertise, receive orders or possess cigarettes, cigarette papers or what is generally known among smokers as "the makings." Persons violating the proposed law will be subject to both a fine and county jail sentence.

Purchase of practically all of the Clatsop county holdings of the Hammond Lumber company by the Crown-Willamette Paper company was announced by R. L. Herren, timber superintendent of the paper company. Although the exact purchase price was not made public, it is known to range between \$1,500,000 and \$2,000,000. The deal involves 17,500 acres of timber land in the Necanicum country with approximately 650,000,000 feet of standing timber. This timber cruses 88 per cent of spruce and hemlock.

In a signed confession reiterating statements made previously to fellow convicts but the truth of which were doubted by Dr. R. Lee Steiner, until recently superintendent of the penitentiary, James Ogle, now serving a life sentence in the institution for the murder of J. N. Burgess and George E. Perringer of Pendleton in Multnomah county last November, has assumed all blame for the shooting of the two men and exonerated David Smith and Walter Bannaster as far as the actual killing was concerned. Smith and Bannaster also are under life sentence for the part they played in the murders.

F. A. Elliott, state forester, has signed the formal contract whereby the government, through Colonel W. H. Arnold, commander of the western department of air service, will assign to Oregon a squad of airplanes for forest fire patrol work during the 1920 season. Under the provisions of the contract a patrol base will be located at Eugene, from which point two planes will make trips daily. One plane will go as far north as Portland, while the other plane will fly south to Medford. At Medford will be located a sub-base, where the planes operating south out of Eugene will stop for gasoline. There will also be operated out of Medford a plane which will travel in a northerly direction as far as Summer lake, thence south to Alturas and return to the sub-base.



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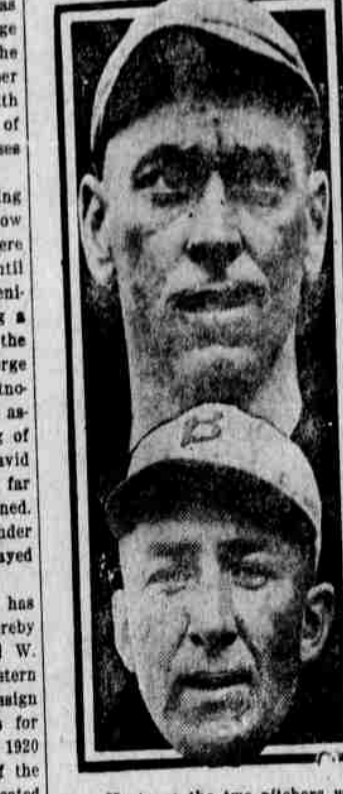


Mechanical mathematics has received a jolt. The speed, ease of operation and absolute certainty of correct answer from the adding machine was made to look like a truck-horse, and all by this little 13-year-old Kansas City (Mo.) school girl. Her name is Esther Kaplan. In recent competition there she set an international record as a lightning calculator when she solved six problems in addition in 47 seconds—and the machine with an expert demonstrator took one minute and 42 seconds on the same problems. Four types of adding machines were used against the girl.



Eugene V. Debs, Socialist nominee for president, photographed with vice presidential candidate Seymour Steadman as he was notified in the U. S. penitentiary at Atlanta of his nomination. Debs is serving a ten-year sentence for unpatriotic remarks during the period of the war.

PITCH LONGEST GAME



Here are the two pitchers who set the new major league record by battling 26 innings to a 1 to 1 tie, game called on account of darkness. It is Joe Oeschger of Boston Braves and Leon Cadore of Brooklyn. Both pitchers hurled superb games, but sensational fielding saved both at times. The former big league record was in 1913 when Boston beat Pittsburgh in 21 innings.

HORNBY YOUNGEST OF MAJORS' BIG STARS



Rogers Hornsby, brilliant infielder and batsman with the St. Louis Nationals, is the youngest of the "big league" baseball stars. He was born at Winters, Texas, April 26, 1896—now being just 24 years old. He has starred since 1916.