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OREGON BRIEFLETS

Salem—The railroad commission has set for hearing on May 11, in this city, the matter of double-deck chutes on stock cars. The investigation affects all lines in Oregon.

Cottage Grove—Thursday, July 29, was set as Cottage Grove day at the Seattle Exposition by the Woman's Club of this city.

Portland—Warnings to fruitgrowers not to market fruit that does not meet with the market requirements are being issued by L. C. Fones, the county fruit inspector.

Astoria—A depth of 120 feet has been reached by the machine which is boring for oil on the Hess ranch in the Young's river district. There a strata of black sand was reached and a good flow of gas was struck.

Union—There is more land seeded to grain in the Grand Ronde valley than ever before. Land which has never been broken before, but pastured continually, has been seeded to spring wheat and oats.

Weston—Yeggmen burglarized and set fire to Sim J. Cully's store early Sunday morning. The safe was blown open and about \$5 taken. The burglars made their escape on a handcar stolen from the O. R. & N. toolhouse.

The Dalles—Fruit and vegetable growers here have perfected the Dalles Fruitgrowers' Association. It has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$5000. It is the intention of the organizers to build a warehouse and cannery.

Eugene—The Eugene bakers have decided neither to raise the price or reduce the size of their loaves of bread. The bakers have enough flour on hand to hold the price where it is and they hope by the time their supply runs low that the price of flour will be back to normal.

Woodburn—Police officials imprisoned a man named Rice, who was peddling shoes and cigars. Twelve pairs of shoes and a box containing cigars were found hidden in different parts of the town. It is supposed he robbed a freight car recently, cached the goods and came back to dispose of them.

Albany—The high price of wheat has increased the price of bread in Albany. Two weeks ago the local bakeries reduced the size of their loaves from one pound to 15 ounces and they have now announced an increase in the price. The wholesale price has been raised from 3½ to 4 cents a loaf. The retail price yet remains at 5 cents a loaf.

Burns—Indicted by the grand jury recently, Steve and Vernie Kern, settlers near Crane Creek Gap, have been arrested and charged with entering the house of a neighbor, during his absence and stealing therefrom almost everything of value it contained. In default of \$750 bail each, they are occupying cells in the county jail.

Astoria—Word has been received here stating that John H. Trullinger, a former Astoria boy, has been successful in having one of his paintings accepted by the committee and given a place of honor in the salon of the Academy of Arts in Paris, France. The picture with which Mr. Trullinger gained this honor was a portrait of his wife.

Salem—Ten thousand copies of the school laws of Oregon, publication of which was authorized by the recent session of the legislature, will be completed by the state printer and ready for distribution from the office of the state superintendent of public instruction in a few days. The edition is large enough to supply each school district in the state with four copies.

St. Johns—A railway signal designed to take the place of the block system, and which has the added advantage of enabling the operator to call a train back to his station if a mistake has been made, is what August Wilhelm, of this city, claims he has invented. The signal is operated by an operator at the station by means of two wires, one operating trains approaching and another trains going. Current is supplied by storage batteries at the station.

Salem—The state railroad commission, after an investigation on its own motion of certain rates in force on the O. R. & N. and Southern Pacific, has ordered a hearing on May 13 at Salem. In its order just issued, the commission states that it has investigated the rates on wool, wool combings, wool waste and has found sufficient evidence to warrant an inquiry as to whether these rates are unreasonable and unjustly discriminatory.

Declines Ambassadorship.

Portland, Or., April 26.—Harvey W. Scott, editor of the Oregonian, who was tendered the ambassadorship to Mexico, has declined that office. Mr. Scott expressed appreciation of the tender, but declared that business considerations compelled him to give up any thought of accepting the mission.

Coast Charities May Meet in Seattle. Seattle, April 27.—Miss Virginia McMeacham, secretary of the Char-

ity Organization Society of Seattle, is preparing a plan for submission to the leading cities of the Pacific Coast which contemplates a gathering of representatives from all the charity organizations to discuss ways and means for harmony in operation.

Milton—Fears that the fruit crop of the Walla Walla valley had been injured by the frosts several days ago have been generally dispelled by the careful investigation of the orchards and vineyards in this vicinity. In some places near the state line strawberries and prunes were injured some, but the damage is not considered to be of great volume. Apple orchards, which were in full bloom at the time of the frosts, are injured in no way.

For Sale — S. C. B. Leghorn and Indian Runner duck eggs for hatching. C. S. Marks, R. 1, box 25, Monmouth, Ore. Phone 224. 40-9

Polk's Gazetteer.

A business directory of each city, town and village in Oregon and Washington, giving a descriptive sketch of each place, together with the location and shipping facilities and a classified directory of each business and profession. R. L. Polk & Co., Inc., Seattle.

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