MBER REPORT MADE

BUSINESS 25 PER CENT ABOVE OUTPUT

nents During Past Week 34 er Cent Above Production in Association Mills

nety-nine mills reporting to Coast Lumbermen's associa- for the week ending December manufactured 55,797,466 feet umber; sold 89,599,487 feet shipped 74,544,976 feet, says weekly bulletin of the associa-

w business was 35 per cent e production. Shipments were er cent above production.

rty per cent of all new busi- taken during the week was for are water delivery. This unted to 27,996,097 feet, of h 17,694,233 feet was for do- le cargo delivery, and 10,301,- feet export. New business by amounted to 1,273 cars.

rty-eight per cent of the lum- shipments moved by water. amounted to 35,410,580 feet, which 17,143,221 feet moved twise and inter-coastal; and 7,359 feet export. Rail ship- ts totaled 1196 cars.

cal auto and team deliveries ted 3,254,350 feet.

nfilled domestic cargo orders ted 110,448,059 feet. Unfilled rt orders 98,552,088 feet. Un- d rail trade orders 1414 cars.

the first fifty-two weeks of year, production reported to Coast Lumbermen's associa- has been 5,148,143,135 feet, business 5,206,818,132 feet, shipments 5,314,323,775 feet.

ane County News

(Continued from page 2)

Mr. Dunn being the evangel- Thursday evening. Mrs. Dunn a company of young people the Christian church at Elk- gave a Christmas pageant.

CRESWELL PERSONALS
(Register Lane County Special)

RESWELL, Ore., Jan. 1. — rge Hawley and a friend from are Grove were here Thursday rnoon, greeting old friends.

oy York moved into the house ed by Mrs. Ann Sears Thurs- Their goods were moved by t McKay in his truck.

arney McKay of North Bend is ing his mother and other rela- s this week.

hester Hewitt made a trip to ny and back Wednesday.

CRESWELL PERSONALS
(Register Lane County Special)

RESWELL, Ore., Dec. 31.— new stage schedule to take t January 1 will place north d stages at Creswell at 9:30 m., 1:20, 3:50 and 7:20 p. m. south bound stages at 8:20 m. and 1:10, 3:30 and 7:30 p. m. ev. A. H. Saunders, pastor of tral Presbyterian church of Eu- e, and Mr. Gray called on nds Wednesday.

arol Groshong and wife of Ta- a spent Christmas with Mr. shong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Groshong.

he Grange will serve a supper Grange hall Friday evening from 5:00 p. m. Proceeds will be used for Grange fund.

The wedding party accompanying Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Gent, who were married at Eugene Wednesday had a jolly time parading the town with the bride and groom on the front seat of a wagon towed by an automobile. They announced their presence with suitable noise and the people were given an opportunity to pay their compliments to the new married couple.

CRESWELL, Ore., Dec. 30. — Mrs. Mabel Campbell of Hermiston with her daughter is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Schwering, arriving last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hyett of Silverton arrived in Creswell Monday evening and remained over Tuesday. They are returning from a six weeks' absence from the state, visiting Los Angeles and southern California. Mr. Hyett is thoroughly enjoyed over southern California.

Miss Myrtle Groshong of Portland is home with her mother for the holiday recess.

Mrs. Lucila Brewster, Mrs. Margaret Martin and Philip Gamboa of Eugene were in Creswell Tuesday and the guests of the Civic Improvement club at their indoor picnic.

George Sedgwick and Elizabeth Sedgwick motored to Portland Tuesday and from there will go to Astoria where they will visit friends and also transact business. They will visit their aunt, Miss Helen Sedgwick and brother, William Sedgwick at Portland. Miss Stella Maaranen went with them as far as Corvallis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Maaranen left for Corvallis Tuesday to settle in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perkins went to Cottage Grove Tuesday on a bus ness trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Summers of Olympia, Wash., were the guests of Miss Zella Steele at the recent Civic Improvement club dinner.

PLEASANT HILL PERSONALS
(Register Lane County Special)

PLEASANT HILL, Ore., Dec. 30. —The Christmas entertainment here December 21, was enjoyed by a large crowd. A generous donation was given for the orphan's home at Corvallis, instead of having the usual gifts exchanged. Each child present received a box of candy and nuts.

Miss Erma Laird of Sedro Wooley, Wash., is spending her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Laird.

Miss Alice Swift of Portland spent the Christmas holiday with her brother and family.

Miss Lelah Parks, who is teaching at Siltcum, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Parks of Cloverdale.

Mrs. R. P. Laird and children visited at Corvallis for a few days preceding Christmas. They returned in time for Christmas dinner at the P. N. Laird home Friday. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bristow were additional guests.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Y. Swift entertained at Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. Ed Parks and family, of Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Parks and family, Cloverdale, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lloyd of Coquille, Prof. and Mrs. Cooper, Miss Anna Parks and Miss Margaret Cooper of Arago, Coos county.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Phelps and family spent Christmas at Summit in Benton county.

Mr. and Mrs. English and daughter Margaret of Lebanon were over-night guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Tinker, Tuesday.

Word has been received here that Arlo Bristow, who has had a successful pastorate at the Christian church at Snohomish, Wash., for the past two and a half years will move to Camas, Wash.

Mrs. Anna Walker fell recently, receiving severe bruises and fracturing two ribs. She is making rapid recovery but will be confined to her bed for some time. She is visiting her sister, Mrs. P. L. Bristow, Oakland, Cal.

D. G. Linton has purchased a new Chevrolet touring car and Mr. Tinker a new Ford touring car.

Prof. F. F. Cooper and Miss Lelah Parks are attending a state teachers meeting in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hyde of Eugene, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Tinker, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Kabler, a teacher in the high school at Elkton, Ore., is at home for the holiday vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith entertained Christmas day with a dinner which was followed by a Christmas tree. Those present were Mrs. Markham and Miss Parmalee Markham, also Mr. and Mrs. Morton Markham and Mr. Oldham, all of Springfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Morton Bristow and daughter, Marian Luella, of Dexter.

Miss Margaret Smith of Eugene, spent Christmas at home and attended church here last Sunday.

Mrs. Tamara Markham has just received news of the death of her brother-in-law in North Carolina. He suffered a paralytic stroke a month ago and passed away December 19.

YARNELL PERSONALS
(Register Lane County Special)

YARNELL, Ore., Dec. 31.—Jack Reynolds and family spent Christmas day in Eugene with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lindsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Manlee Spores were with Mrs. Spores' parents near Halsey over the week-end.

James Baker is spending his week of vacation with his brother Lyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Spores and daughter Mildred, were guests at the John Spores home Christmas day.

Mrs. Emma Davis and daughter Arleva, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Moore and daughter Phyllis, spent Christmas day with Mrs. Josie Spores.

Members of the Sunshine club with their families are planning a watch night party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Moore.

The school and also the Sunday school each gave short programs and had a Christmas tree.

McKENZIE BRIDGE NEWS
(Register Lane County Special)

McKENZIE BRIDGE, Ore., Dec. 31.—Guests at the Log Cabin hotel this week were: Mrs. L. V. Jenkins, wife of the chief of police of Portland, and a party including R. V. Jenkins, of Portland; Mrs. Chas. Klingensmith, Portland; Miss Alice Cranford, Portland, and Mrs. M. E. Mackeegle of Los Angeles.

A party from Eugene including: Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Parks, Miss Dorothy Parks and Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Hesse, were also visitors.

Snowballing on the summit is a popular pastime now.

BLACHLY PERSONALS
(Register Lane County Special)

BLACHLY, Ore., Dec. 31.—Mrs. C. M. Hulburt and son Linfred, with Homer Worthington, motored to Eugene Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Witham of Union spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Slayter.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Slayter, Mrs. Anna Pontius, Ruth Pontius and Robert Dalter motored to Eugene Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Myers and sons and Mrs. Ann Oldham spent Monday in Eugene.

Homer Worthington returned to Toledo Monday to resume work.

C. M. Hulburt spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Slayter.

Mrs. E. O. Post and son: Misses Mildred and Olive Mead are visiting their parents at Reed for a few days.

Robert Slayter and Linfred Hulburt motored to Eugene Tuesday on business.

W. B. Blachly, Ed and Gus Johnson were business visitors in Junction City Tuesday.

F. E. Blachly was a business visitor in Eugene Tuesday.

Walter Chastain of Harrisburg was a business visitor in Blachly Tuesday.

Noble Harpole of Junction City was buying cattle in this vicinity Tuesday.

Minor Billings returned Tuesday to his work on the North Fork.

FRANKLIN PERSONALS
(Register Lane County Special)

FRANKLIN, Ore., Dec. 31.—A large group of friends and relatives attended the funeral of Mrs. Soll Mounts Saturday afternoon.

Miss Ethel Akerson of Spokane spent Christmas with her parents here.

Willis Smith and wife of Bordeaux, Wash., arrived Saturday evening to spend Christmas and the holidays with relatives. They were married December 16.

Tobias Jacobson of Seattle visited home folks Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Keller of Springfield, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brown.

Delbert Rouse and his mother moved to the Richardson place with his brother Arthur.

Iva Foot and family have moved to the Bert Hubbs place, which he traded for.

G. N. Bryant is installing a light and water system on his farm.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Keller, Mrs. Ed Young and Maude, and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith were in Eugene Monday.

Bessie Keller of Wendling spent Christmas with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Young.

May Rouse spent a few days this week with Thelma Hamer of Elmira.

Ina Rouse was a caller at Ed Young's, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Smith spent Wednesday evening at G. B. Crones. They were surprised with a charivari.

Engineer Drowns at Sea
(By The Associated Press)

VANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. 1.—Heavy seas which swept over the vessel on the voyage from the Orient washed Chief Engineer Hugh Dickson to his death, officers of the steamer City of Vancouver reported when the ship reached port last night. Dickson was missed December 6, five days after the City of Vancouver left Osaka, Japan.

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16 LYNCHINGS IN YEAR

TUSKEGEE INSTITUTE MAKES REPORT ON DEATHS

Same Number Reported for 1924 Is Lowest Since Records Have Been Kept

TUSKEGEE, Ala., Jan. 1. — (Special to the Register.)—There were 16 persons lynched in 1925 in the United States according to figures made public today by the Tuskegee institute. This number, ranking with 16 for 1924 as the smallest number of persons lynched in any year since records of lynchings have been kept, is 17 less than 33 for 1923, and 41 less than 57 for 1922. Two of the victims were insane. Three others had been formally released by the courts. Ten of the persons lynched were taken from the hands of the law, two from jails and eight from officers of the law outside of jails. Two of those lynched were burned at the stake and one was put to death and body burned.

There were 29 instances in which officers of the law prevented lynchings, seven of these were in northern states and 22 in southern states. In 26 of the cases the prisoners were removed or the guards augmented or other precautions taken. In 13 other instances, armed force was used to repel the would-be lynchers. In three instances during the year persons charged with being connected with lynching mobs were indicted. Of the 41 persons thus before the courts, 21 were sentenced; five suspended sentences, dependent on good behavior, of from four to 12 months on the road; one for 30 days in jail, and 15 of from six months on the road to eight years in the penitentiary.

Of the 16 persons lynched all were negroes, six or less than one half of those put to death were charged with rape or attempted rape. The offenses charged were murder, six; rape, four; attempted rape, two; killing officer of the law, two; attacking child, one; insulting woman, one.

The states in which lynchings occurred and the number in each state are as follows: Alabama, one; Arkansas, one; Florida, two; Georgia, two; Louisiana, one; Mississippi, six; Missouri, one; Utah, one; Virginia, one.

FOREST DECREASE SEEN

CONSUMPTION NOW SURPASSES TIMBER PRODUCTION

Y.C'd for Capital Value Held Just Basis for Taxation of Growing Trees

(By The Associated Press)

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 1.—Three fifths of the estimated 800,00 acres of forests of the United States are leveled and consumption is surpassing growth of the remaining trees four times, says Professor Fred R. Fairchild of Yale university.

In a paper prepared for the convention of the American Association for Advancement of Science, here December 28 to January 2, the professor, who will head the investigation provided by the Clarke-McNary forestry act, dwells upon taxation as particularly pertinent:

In this regard he advocates the substitution of the principle of "income or yield for capital value as the basis of taxation."

"Any enterprise may be handicapped or destroyed by excessive or discriminatory taxation," he declares. "Forestry is peculiarly sensitive to taxation, and finds the general property tax most burdensome.

"In forestry, the major income may appear only once in every 50 or 60 years. The annual property tax, even when perfectly administered, is certain to impose an excessive burden."

Privately owned forests still embrace about four-fifths of all the forest land in the country, he states, adding that private owners cannot be expected to handle their properties to meet the public interest unless the business is profitable.

"The following conclusions," Professor Fairchild says, are now generally accepted:

"Special favors to forest owners are not the solution.

"The revenues of the states, counties, towns, etc., must not be impaired.

"Taxation must not be an obstacle in the way of far-sighted investment in forestry."

He concludes by advocating taxation based on income or yield.

GRAIN RATE CASE HEARD

TARIFF ON FARM PRODUCTS BEFORE SUPREME COURT

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 1.—The so-called grain rate case, involving freight tariffs on various farm products, an effort on the part of the Oregon public service commission to reduce the rates from 5 to 25 per cent, is now before the supreme court. The commission won its case in the lower court for Marion county and the railroads appealed. The commission's brief was filed with the court yesterday.

The order of the commission which is the basis of the litigation attempted to establish a uniform rate scale applying to all the main railroads of the state. The order was made after an investigation requested by the Oregon farm bureau, Hermiston commercial club, Tillamook County Creamery association, Oregon Co-operative Hay Growers and some other organizations.

Among the contentions of the commission was the assertion that lack of joint rates hampered the movement of agricultural products.

MURDER CHARGE FACED

HUTTON HELD FOR DEATH OF HAROLD BRADLEY

(By The Associated Press)

LAKE VIEW, Ore., Jan. 1.—Harold Bradley, 19, is dead, and Robert L. Hutton, 58, member of a pioneer family of Harney, is in jail, charged with murder, as the result of a shooting Tuesday morning, in a garage on the Hutton farm on Wagontire mountain.

Officers quoted Hutton as saying that he shot the boy in self-defense. Hutton, who had separated from his wife several weeks ago, had transferred title of the ranch to his wife's name. Bradley, who had worked at the ranch all summer, continued in the employ of Mrs. Hutton. On the night of December 28, Hutton stayed at the ranch and the next morning, he announced his intention of leaving. As he started away young Bradley was said to have gone into the garage preparatory to going out on a mail stage line which he operates twice a week. Hutton was said to have returned while the boy was in the garage and to have fired the fatal shot. Bradley was thought to have been killed instantly, as the second shot pierced his brain.

Mrs. Hutton was in the house at the time. She was said to have reported that she first heard a shot, after which the boy cried out, "Don't shoot, Link, you have hit me." The second shot was said to have followed immediately, after which no other sound or outcry came from the boy.

Mrs. Hutton immediately left the ranch on foot, going across the field to Kirk ranch, about three miles distance, where she reported the affair. Neighbors were summoned immediately, some of them going to the scene of the shooting, where they found young Bradley dead. Others followed Hutton, who was said to have left in his automobile immediately after the killing. Hutton gave himself up to Sheriff Young of Harney county several hours later.

SHOW ANIMALS ESCAPE

ELEPHANTS GO THROUGH DOOR OF POLICE STATION

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—Escapades of four animals brought the perils of the wilderness to New York tonight when three elephants stampeded through a police station and an apparently mad wolf hound was chased through the Times Square district and killed after a stray bullet had lodged in a woman's fur coat.

Joe, Gene and Carrie, the three pachyderms, were frightened when a piece of scenery fell back stage in a Harlem theatre. They bolted through the stage door, with their keeper clinging precariously to Joe's collar.

Scattering motorists and pedestrians, they ran down Seventh avenue and turned into the West 123rd street police station, taking the front door with them. Before the police came to from the shock of their sudden arrival, the elephants were gone and the back door was splintered. They were finally quieted.

Miss Madeline Brard, a pianist, narrowly escaped injury when the wolf hound passed, pursued by a patrolman in a taxicab. A bullet aimed at the dog ricocheted and lodged in Miss Brard's coat, but she was unhurt. The dog was killed after a chase of several blocks.

MANY CARS ARE TAGGED

WASHINGTON OFFICERS ARE AFTER OFFENDERS

(By The Associated Press)

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 1. — Washington automobile drivers who failed to display 1926 license plates on their cars today were given an opportunity to extend New Year's greetings to judges throughout the state, declared William Cole, supervisor of the state highway patrol, who announced that the entire highway patrol was devoting its time to tagging cars operated by dilatory owners.

More than 50 drivers operating under the old licenses were booked in Olympia and it was expected that the day's catch throughout the state would include more than 2500 persons. Motorists have already had 31 days in which to obtain licenses since the new plates were available on December 1.

PAPERS REPORT MERGER

ALBUQUERQUE JOURNAL AND HERALD UNITED

(By The Associated Press)

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Jan. 1. —Merger of the Albuquerque Morning Journal and the Albuquerque Herald was announced here tonight.

The two papers, both Associated Press members, will retain their separate identities, the Journal being published as a morning edition and the Herald as an evening paper.

They will be published in the Journal plant.

T. M. Pepperday, who was president of the Herald, is named as publisher of the two dailies. H. P. Pickerell who was managing editor of the Herald, will manage both of the papers and Landis Wilson, formerly advertising manager of the Knoxville, Tenn. Journal, has been named as advertising manager for the two newspapers.

"The Shadow was playing the most exquisite music!"
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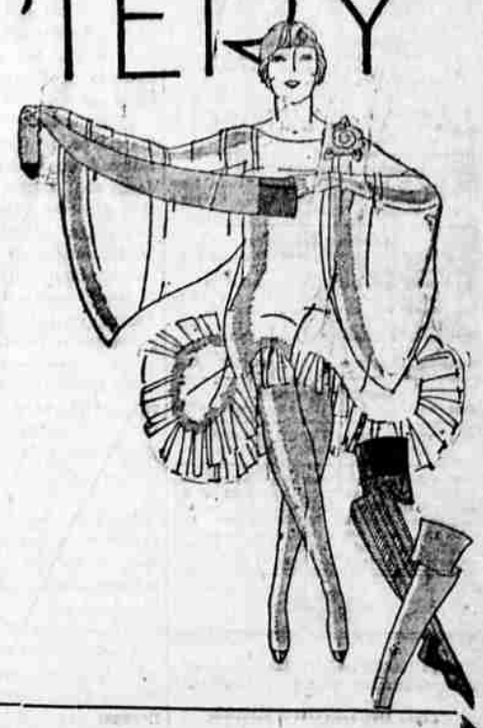

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