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## OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

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

More than eight inches of snow on the level has fallen at La Grange. It costs about \$1200 a day to administer the schools of Hood River county.

Complete remodeling of the Marion county courthouse is being considered by the county court.

The Deschutes county teachers' institute held one of its most successful annual sessions at Bend.

An unidentified man of about 25 was struck by an auto on the Pendleton-Walla Walla highway near Milton and killed.

Twenty Ashland men donated their work Monday on the new community clubhouse being built by the Civic Improvement club.

E. J. Hansett of Turner has been appointed by Warden Compton of the Oregon penitentiary as superintendent of the state flax plant.

Construction of a bridge across the Columbia river near The Dalles would be authorized under a bill introduced in congress by Representative Sinnott.

Coburg citizens held a big meeting Monday to take steps to form a drainage area to improve 10,000 acres of wet land in northern Lane county and southern Linn county.

The town of Sherwood in Washington county is preparing to spend \$40,000 for a municipal water supply, the water to be taken from Baker creek, a tributary of the Tualatin river.

The Lebanon members of the Elks' lodge have made arrangements with the owner of the local moving picture house to give all the children of the town a free show Christmas day.

Fire which broke out in the flax plant at the Oregon state penitentiary at Salem resulted in damage to the building and contents estimated by prison officials at approximately \$18,000.

Automobile tourists continue to stop in Roseburg in spite of the lateness of the season. Between 40 and 50 cars containing an average of four persons each, stop each night, it is estimated.

Jack Latta, former employe of the Pacific car shops of Portland, was accidentally shot at Tule lake near Malin while goose hunting and died two hours later from loss of blood and shock.

Statistics recently compiled by The Dalles-Wasco county Chamber of Commerce show that the Mill creek district produced and shipped more than 12,000 tons of fruit and vegetables this year.

The Union Oil company of California has sent to the secretary of state a check for \$22,248.68, covering the tax on the corporation's sale of gasoline and distillate in Oregon in October.

W. F. Wright reports the uncovering of a valuable gold-producing quartz vein on his farm, less than two miles south of Applegate. The vein has a width of four feet, and pans well in free milling ore.

With but 21.1 per cent of the city's 1460 registered voters at the polls, the proposition for the city of Grants Pass to pave that section of the Pacific highway within the corporate limits was defeated.

The state corporation department, under the supervision of T. B. Handley, corporation commissioner, paid into the general fund of the state a total of \$288,173 during the period, June 30, 1920, to June 30, 1921.

Up to the present time more than 3,000,000 pounds of the 1921 crop of prunes have been shipped to various markets of the world by the Oregon Growers' Co-operative association, with headquarters in Salem.

With an enrollment of 456 children, the boys' and girls' clubs sponsored by the government and the state agricultural college produced in Clackamas county products valued at \$12,283.58 during the year just ended.

Chester Girt, 18, son of Mrs. Maggie Girt, a widow who lives five miles southwest of Rainier, was shot through the right lung by Riley Girt, his uncle, who mistook him for a bear. The pair were hunting together.

The Bay Horse mine eight miles below Huntington promises to develop into one of the richest silver mines in the country. Ore is running more than 100 ounces of silver to the ton at a vertical depth of only 168 feet.

As a result of a conference between the zone directors of the Oregon

Dairymen's Co-operative league and the directors of the Lower Columbia Dairy association, the latter is now operating the league's Astoria and Grays River creameries with a rental charge of \$1 per month for each. This arrangement has been made pending the result of the dairymen's vote December 6 on whether or not the league will be disbanded.

Operations at the Continental mine in the Granite district of Baker county will continue throughout the winter. Ore will be taken from the upper level and stored for milling in the spring.

The announced itinerary of Marshal Ferdinand Foch and his party of distinguished French military men on their visit to the northwest specified December 10 as the date on which the generalissimo will arrive in Portland.

The assessed valuations of all public utilities in Oregon for the year 1921 aggregate \$185,504,795.29 as against \$181,057,000.53 for the year 1920, according to figures made public by Frank Lovell, state tax commissioner.

The immediate results of the visit to Klamath Falls of the caravan of boosters for The Dalles-Klamath highway, was that a bond issue may be floated to cover the cost of construction of the Klamath county end of the proposed highway.

The sum of \$150,000 has been included in the federal house appropriations bill with which to wage war on the beetle insect in the national forests of Oregon and California, according to a telegram received at the offices of F. A. Elliott, state forester.

The pool of 112,000 pounds of this year's crop of raspberries handled for the growers of Lane county by the Eugene Fruit Growers' association has been closed. The price received by the growers for red raspberries is 82 cents and for blackcaps 10 1/2 cents.

Several reports reaching Tillamook were to the effect that the Hill interests, which have an option on the Gales Creek & Wilson River railroad, will start work on the road before the option expires next June, and that the motive power will be electricity.

Because Hugh Johnson was sick and could not put in his fall grain, a crowd of his neighbors and several farmers of the Gaston locality went out to his farm with their teams and plows and harrows and worked all day in his fields. There were 16 teams.

Plans for creating a special taxing district to raise funds to co-operate with the highway commission on a 50-50 basis in constructing a paved road between Albany and Lebanon were developed at a meeting in Albany of committees representing the two cities.

The 2-year-old Jersey cows owned by O. A. Thompson of Blachly, Lane county, scored higher than any other Jerseys in their class in the entire United States in the production of butter fat in August this year, according to the Jersey Bulletin and Dairy World.

With the figures from one small district not yet in, County School Superintendent Moore announces that the number of persons of school age counted in the recent school census of Lane county totals 11,405, which is approximately 250 more than were counted last year.

Four squads of state traffic officers working out of Salem arrested more than 25 motor vehicle drivers on charges of violating the traffic regulations with relation to lights. Similar drives will be conducted by the state officers in various sections of Oregon in the near future.

Percy Cupper, state engineer, will leave for Salt Lake City late this month, where he will attend a meeting of the Western States Reclamation association. Other Oregon representatives at the session will include a number of prominent men appointed recently by Governor Olcott.

Charles E. Strickland, special investigator for the state engineers' department, has returned to Salem from the Summer Lake and Silver Lake irrigation districts, where he made an inspection of the development work under way. Work on both of the irrigation districts is progressing satisfactorily, the investigator said.

The case of Abe Evans, who is in the state penitentiary at Salem awaiting execution on December 2 for the murder of James Doran of Bend, will be appealed to the supreme court despite the statement made recently by Evans that he desired to hang on the date set by the court. This was announced by Mrs. Evans, who is providing the funds for her husband's defense.

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## They're Coming Home

By JOHN E. DOLSEN.  
The years are so long now and dreary and lonely  
Since the children have gone into homes of their own.  
The house seems deserted, for John and I only  
Are left in it now, and we live all alone.

It often seems strange, even yet, to be sitting  
With no one but John through the evenings long,  
And I listen at times for the quick, eager flitting  
Of footsteps overhead or for snatches of song.

While the children were little our work was much harder.  
'Twas often an almost impossible task  
To pay all the bills and keep food in the larder,  
To watch them and answer whatever they might ask.

Still I oftentimes think, though I've grown so much older  
And more nearly disabled than ever before,  
That all of the cares I would willingly shoulder  
If they were all with us and children once more.

And every year as it draws toward Thanksgiving  
We make them all promise to visit us here,  
And I sometimes tell John there'd be more joy in living,  
For me, if Thanksgiving came four times a year.

I'll begin preparations next week to receive them,  
And, though they've all grown to be women and men  
And have homes of their own, too, I'll almost believe them  
To be just my own little children again.

I am going to have the best dinner we ever  
Yet had in the family Thanksgiving day,  
And I know it is well, too, for maybe we never  
Will all get together again in this way.

John says I am foolish and that 'twould be better  
To have just a plain dinner, without frills or pies,  
But I tell you last night when he read Ethel's letter  
I noticed that he, too, had tears in his eyes.

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**Pay Their Own Way**

There are 531 students at the University of Oregon who get no money from home, who make every cent their education is costing them, who are proving that it is possible for any young man or woman with energy and determination to get a college education. Undeterred by empty pockets, these students through summer labor and spare time jobs at Eugene are buying their clothes and books and paying for their laundry and their board. No job is too humble or too difficult. They support themselves doing a multitude of homely tasks. Study and toil are linked in close companionship.

Of these, 127 are freshmen, 110 sophomores, 111 juniors, 88 seniors, 44 specials and 42 graduate students. Four hundred and four are men, and 127 are women. In addition, there are 429 men and 203 women who are partly self-supporting.

There is an enrollment this year of 2010 in the University. These statistics show, therefore, that there are 25 per cent of the students totally self-supporting, and thirty per cent, partly self-supporting. This, too, in a year of unusual economic depression.

The old adage that where there's a will there's a way, seems not to have lost its truth.

**Christian Church**

There will be Thanksgiving services on Sunday, at this church. T. M. White of Portland will preach both morning and evening.

**Thanksgiving Service**

There will be a service at the M. E. Church, on Thanksgiving Day, at 10:30 a. m. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

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## Additional Brevities

The Perry Anderson family, have about recovered.  
Jose Gordon went to Portland to spend Thanksgiving with relatives.

Mrs. J. C. Duus entertained a few lady friends last Thursday afternoon.

Don't forget the meeting of the Community Club, Friday night at the Estacada Hotel.

Miss Bertha Burns will spend Thanksgiving here with her parents, Prof. F. E. and Mrs. Burns.

Roger Cary was an Estacada visitor from Portland Monday night, the guest of his brother, W. F. Cary.

A. H. Standish, father of R. M. and P. S. Standish, former residents of this place, passed away last Wednesday, the 16, at his home in Oak Park, Illinois. Mr. Standish spent the summer here several times, visiting his sons, and was quite well known in this section.

## Inspect Power Plants

Tuesday morning twenty members of the senior class, O. A. C. department of electrical engineering, arrived in town and hungry as bears, headed for the restaurants to satisfy the cravings of the inner man. They had been to Cazadero to inspect the P. R. L. & P. Co.'s power plant at that point. Prof. R. H. Dearborn, head of the electrical engineering department of the O. A. C., was in charge of the party.

## Special Railroad Rates

The P. R. L. & P. Co. are giving special rates for Thanksgiving, between Portland and the following points: Barton, Eagle Creek, Estacada, Bull Run, \$1.08, including the war tax. Tickets on sale Wednesday and Thursday, November 23 and 24, only, good going on Wednesday or Thursday, and limited for return to and including Monday, November 28.

Baggage will not be checked under this tariff.

## Ankle Injured

F. C. Cleworth, while playing football last week, had the misfortune to have his ankle injured by a kick. He went on playing, but the next day it was so swollen he could not walk. He was afraid he might be broken, and so he had an X ray examination, which showed however, that it was not the case. He is able to resume his classes and get around with the help of crutches.

## Cooked Food Sale

Come from hill,  
Come from Dale;  
Everyone come to our Cooked Food Sale.  
All kinds of aprons and useful articles just right for Christmas SATURDAY, DEC. 3, 1921, given by the Ladies Aid of M. E. church.

## To Water Users

You are hereby notified that all water for drinking purposes should be boiled. This precaution is necessary, on account of so much surfade water at present.

By order of the BOARD OF HEALTH.

## Red Cross Workers

Those ladies who have been assisting Mrs. Mae Reed in the Red Cross enrollment, are Mesdames W. J. Moore, Ted Ahlberg, John F. Lovelace, F. E. Burns, D. B. Herring, Upton H. Gibbs and Nina B. Ecker.

## RAIN, WIND BUT NO SILVER THAW

Estacada was more fortunate than Portland in the recent storm, for while the rain poured down in torrents, and on Monday night, the wind blew a gale, yet there was no silver thaw. The streets on Sunday, were more or less flooded, as the sewers and gutters were unable to run the water off. Main street between third and second, was almost entirely covered, and the Cascade garage was flooded a foot deep.

On Broadway, down town, the east side was swamped, water running over the sidewalk in front of Marchbank's confectionery, and south to the street corner. Cary's real estate office was marooned.

By dint of strenuous efforts in clearing gutters, the water was run off partially by the next morning, and during the day the bulk of the water had subsided so the sidewalks were clear.

Monday night about midnight a wind storm came up which shook a number of houses but did no particular damage, except blowing off one of the pillars of the front porch of W. F. Cary's residence. The noise aroused his neighbors who turned out and helped him prop up the porch.

The Clackamas river though very high and a muddy torrent, has done no damage in this immediate vicinity. The bridge at North Fork, we hear, went out and a section of the pipe line of the Oregon City water works at Clear Creek was washed out, so that city is using water in one of the reservoirs. We hear of no particular damage in the country, although low spots are flooded. Sunday and Monday forenoon the trains were delayed, as about 250 feet of track was washed out this side of Jennie Station. By Monday afternoon they were running again nearly on time. At present there is no indication of a change in the weather, though the rain is moderating. However, Estacada may congratulate itself in escaping far more lightly than elsewhere in the county.

## Christmas Seals

Has your county much tuberculosis? Note the number of reported deaths from the disease in various counties last year: Baker 6, Benton 4, Clackamas 38, Clatsop 11, Columbia 8, Coos 13, Crook 1, Curry 0, Deschutes 5, Douglass 20, Gillam 0, Grant 1, Harney 2, Hood River 4, Jackson 10, Jefferson 1, Josephine 5, Klamath 12, Lake 2, Lane 25, Lincoln 2, Linn 16, Malheur 4, Marion 107, Morrow 2, Multnomah 77, Portland 212, Polk 3, Sherman 2, Tillamook 6, Umatilla 24, Union 3, Wallowa 4, Wasco 9, Washington 18, Wheeler 1, and Yamhill 13. Total 670. In justice to Clackamas, Multnomah and Marion counties, it should be remembered that all deaths from tuberculosis at the Portland Open Air Sanatorium at Milwaukie, from the Multnomah county farms, and the State Sanatorium at Salem are charged against these counties, respectively.

Since 1906, tuberculosis has decreased 40 per cent. Much credit for the progress in the fight against the white plague is due the various state tuberculosis associations and National Association. The Oregon Tuberculosis Association is financed entirely through the sale of Christmas Seals. Five million seals are being distributed to the agents who have accepted the management of the sale in various counties.