Washington County News

FOREST GROVE.....OREGON

EVENTS OF THE DAY

Newsy Items Gathered from All money. Parts of the World.

Less Important but Not Less Interesting Happenings from Points Outside the State.

Servians have seized a Hungarian

Roosevelt has refused to go on the

Ferdinand has entered Sofia as czar of Bulgaria.

Turkey is sending cruisers to the Island of Samos.

Japanese massacred a party of friendly Coreans by mistake for insurgents.

Castro's health has improved so brake beams. much that he is again able to be out No land or

best known leaders in secret orders. dead at his home in Providence,

A Spanish balloon fell a distance of 6,000 feet and the occupants were un-

Peace congress, in session at Greens-boro, N. C., saying that armament is the best guarantee of peace.

A Virginia girl has married a British naval officer.

International balloon races are be-

ing held near Berlin, Germany. Britain continues to hold out against Austria and defends Turkey.

Senator Beveridge is quite ill and forced to cancel several speaking dates. The Trans-Missisippi Congress has

moved to tidewater by American A man and woman bound together were found drowned near New York

Investigation showed that they had entered into a suicide pact. A lone robber held up a stage near Missoula, Mont. From \$5 to \$25 each was obtained from the 12 passengers. Hunger was given as an excuse by

The United States circuit court of appeals at Chicago has modified the injunctions against picketing, allow-ing unions to thus fight employers so

long as it is done peaceably. The battleship fleet has left Manila

The army retiring boar

Colonel Stewart is disabled. A British fleet has been sent to a blaze of color with American and

Turkey to keep the country quiet. Britain.

heavy fog.

guilty of attempting to bribe a pros-pective juror in the Ruef case.

A Russian general was wounded by his own troops during the army ma-neuvers. Balls became mixed with

the blank shells. passed a resolution asking congress ranged by their Japanese hosts.

A Massachusetts school teacher locked a boy in a closet for punish-ment and forgot him. The boy remained in his dungeon two days and a night while the teacher attended a wedding 20 miles away. The teacher is prostrated and the boy under a

physician's care. Austria has sent a warship to Belgrade and threatens to annex Servia.

More dependencies of Turkey threaten to revolt and declare their

Seattle banks will back Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition bonds to the amount of \$200,000.

A phenomenally rich discovery of old has been made in the Sturgeon Lake district, Canada. James J. Hill says railroads are be

ing hampered by many laws. He advocates deep waterways.

Delegates to the National Rural Letterearriers' association favor adoption of a parcels post law.

An American and two Spaniards were murdered by Filipinos in one of K. C. Bennett, of Hammondsport. the provinces near Manila.

France continues to insist that an international conference is the only tion proceedings. solution for the Balkan trouble.

Hearst did not appear at Reno with the Independence speakers, having been threatened with dynamite.

settlement of the near Eastern ques-

PREY TO GAMBLERS.

Thousands of Land Seekers Are Left Penniless in South Dakota.

Dallas, S. D., Oct. 13.-It is estimated that 1,000 land-seekers who have come to Dallas and Gregory have lost their money at gaming tables and are "broke." Many more who have lost all their ready cash have been forced to telegraph for

Nearly 60,000 persons have registered at these two points already and nearly as many more are expected before the period of registration closes. Hundreds return as quick as they have registered, but thousands have remained for the drawing.

the sun sets.

something to a man, because he is to do so, without friends, generally, and at The d

other, breaking his neck.

The French government says the Dardanelles should be opened while the Balkan trouble is being settled.

James G. Whitehouse one hit the being settled.

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and they all come with bling spirit stick to the roulette and faro tables, with the result that several hundred are living on charity until they can get out of the country.

St. Petersburg Watching Outcome of Conference in England.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 13.-The center of interest in the Near East crisis injured. The gas bag became ripped has been transferred to London, and but this year will be the seller to other and acted as a parachute. the Russian foreign office is marking firms instead of the purchaser. Roosevelt wrote to the Southern time in its negotiations with other powers concerning the convocation of a congress until the outcome of the here guarantee of peace.

Winter apple picking commenced Monday, and the largest packing crews which have ever been put in the field here will commence packing the fruit conferences between M. Iswolcky, Sir for shipment this week. Edward Grey and King Edward are known.

Emperor Nicholas has decided to eave the letter of Emperor Francis Joseph unanswered until M. Iswolsky returns to St. Petersburg. Count Berchthold, the Austrian ambassador, was closeted with M. Tcharykoff, the acting foreign minister, the entire afturned down the parcels post, after a ternoon. At the close of the inter-

was excluded from this program. The question of the recognition of Bulgarian independence has for the time being dropped out of sight, but Russia has assured Bulgaria that she will support her pretentions before

the congress.

The foreign office has received from a score of cities in Turkey tele grams protesting against the Austro-Hungarian-Bulgarian action, which have been adopted at mass meetings held under the auspices of the Young Turks. The telegrams are identical in text, showing a certain origin.

JAPANESE GREETING WARM.

to San Francisco Business Men.

Yokohama, Oct. 13.-Yokohama is Japanese flags flying from every Balkan muddle depends upon Great of Pacific Coast business men who arrived at 7 o'clock on the Japanese The naval tug Sotoyomo went liner Tenyo Maru from San Fran-aground on Puget Sound during a cisco. The visitors were greeted at the dock by a crowd which numbered E. A. S. Blake has been found hundreds of representative business men of Japan, assembled from the cities of Tokio, Osaka and Kyoto.

The officially prepared program of entertainment for the Americans commenced as soon as they stepped ashore, and every day of their stay in Japan will be completely filled with The waterways convention has receptions and sightseeing trips ar open a ship canal from the Great Thursday the Americans will be the Lakes to the Gulf, as the railroads guests of Count Komura, minister of foreign affairs, at a luncheon in honor

of the visitors.

The Tenyo Maru had an excellent trip across the Pacific.

Chicago Air Very Dirty.

Chicago, Oct. 13 .- The health department, in a report just issued, states that the dust and soot in the atmosphere of Chicago, as shown by tests just taken, is three times as great as that in the atmosphere of London. Samples of the air taken at a height of 40 feet above the street level at four points of the city were subjected to analysis. The report "This excess may be partly attributed to the long continued drouth. The dirt had not been washed out of the air for some time previous to the play of Tokay grapes. collection of specimens.

Bank Cashier is Accused.

Denver, Oct. 13.-Charged with a shortage of \$80,000 and with having received deposits when he knew his bank was insolvent, Aaron G. Pratt. cashier of the Hammondsport State Bank, of Hammondsport, N. Y. left Denver for the east in custody of Sheriff H. W. Billington and Deputy was arrested at Longmont, Colo., where he was interested in irrigation enterprises, and he waived extradi-

Austria Still Reaching Out.

London, Oct. 13 .- The Daily Mail's Belgrade correspondent says that the A pessimistic feeing prevails in fall of the Servian limits of the Great Brian with regard to an early be formed. He also states that the fall of the Servian ministry is immi-

OREGON STATE ITEMS OF INTEREST

TWO-THIRDS SOLD.

Disposes of Crop.

Hood River .- By disposing of 30 cars pell mell 24 hours a day, with the New York, who bought 80 cars in the games as strong at daybreak as when first deal, getting all the Newtowns, To be broke in this country means over to another firm and have refused

a time when it is not easy to make new ones. Every outgoing train carries many men who have lost their money and risk their lives riding on No land opening has ever brought tier having been bought by them in a more people, and they all come with money. Those who have the gambling spirit stick to the roulette and bergs and larger, the four and one-halfof the Hood River crop amounting to of the association. about 60 cars.

Its disposal of the high priced Spitz-LONDON CENTER OF INTEREST. enbergs has been watched with interest by buyers, who have claimed that they ould not be sold to one firm this year, and were waiting to see them split up and sold in small lots to various firms to supply their fancy trade in the big eastern cities. Heretofore the Stein hart & Kelley company has bought its Hood River Spitzenbergs in this way,

Get Water From McKenzie.

Eugene .- The McKenzie Valley Irrigation & Power company has elected the following officers: J. A. Youn-green, president; N. Needham, vice-president; H. Phellaplace, secretary, and W. A. Platt, treasurer. Engineer McArthur will start the preliminary survey for the proposed irrigation canal at once. The water will be taken from the west side of the McKenzie canal will furnish water to irrigate the farms between the McKenzie and Willamette rivers west of Springfield.

Growers HoldingHops.

Salem.-Some movement in hops is been noticeable in Salem during the week though growers still seem reluctant to sell at the prevailing prices. Kola Neis bought 500 bales, paying 7½ cents for them. He says he is having difficulty in filling orders ecause growers are not anxious to lightly higher price is being paid i he Salem market than 72 cents. I is estimated that less than one-quar Yokohama Turns Out to Do Honor ter of the crop is on the market, the remainder being in the hands of the dealers through contracts and other prior purchases.

Asks Engineer's Removal.

Klamath Falls .- The directors of the A conference of the powers on the building, in honor of the delegation Klamath Water Users' association have asked the secretary of the interior for the removal of D. W. Murphy, project engineer, in charge of the Klamath reclamation project. The action of the board is a surprise to many landown ers. Little information is available as to the charges outside of those cited in the letter to the interior de partment-lack of economy in construction and lack of administrative ability

Will Have Summer Home.

Marshfield. Bishop Scadding, of the Western Oregon diocese of the Episcopal church, who has been visiting in Coos Bay, has decided to establish a summer home at Bandon. He has purchased two lots and has given the contract for erecting a residence. He will spend four months of each year at his Bandon home doing missionary work on the coast between Bandon and Gold Beach and will reside in Portland the other eight months of the year.

Take Ten Fruit Prizes.

Grants Pass ... Josephine county fruitgrowers are highly pleased over receiving the news from the fair in Medford that this county had taken ten prizes upon apples out of an exhibit of eleven miums. Of this last class the following are Spitzenberg, Baldwin, Rome Beau Ben Davis. It is also reported that first prize was awarded for best dis-

Plans Walnut Institute.

McMinnville,-The Walnut Club, of McMinnville, held a business meeting last week, and decided to held a walnut institute in this city during the early winter, at which lectures would be given relative to walnut culture, arvesting and marketing, and a genoral school of instruction inaugurated

Postal Receipts Increase.

Albany.-Albany postoffice receipts during the past quarter show a big gain over the similar period last year. The receipts for the quarter ending Veal—Extra, f September 30 were \$3313.03, while the 7@74c; heavy, yielded only \$2719.74, a gain of \$593.29.

GOOD PRICES AT MOSIER.

Hood River Apple Growers' Union First Big Apple Deal of Season Moves 10,000 Boxes.

Hood River.-The Mosier Fruitof Spitzenbergs last week the directors growers' association pulled off their taken the initiative in proposing the of the Hood River Apple Growers' first big apple deal of the season last conference, desires to safeguard the union have successfully marketed two-thirds of the crop which will be han-apples to the Davidson Fruit com-have successfully marketed two-who work along the coasts of Spitz-have by disposing of 10,000 boxes of who work along the coasts of Spitz-have by disposing of the Davidson Fruit comalled by them this year. The apples pany of this city. The varieties sold bergen by an international agreement. The Norwegian fishermen and sold are the same sizes that last year were Spitzenbergs, Baldwins and Red huntsmen were for a long time undis made the world's record for high Cheeks and constitute about half the puted masters of Spitzbergen and Gamblers have operated their games prices, and are said by the directors crop grown at Mosier, all of which enjoyed unlimited freedom in followwithout restraint and are said to have made remarkable winnings. They run pell mell 24 hours a day, with the words are the Steinhart & Kelley company of New York, who bought 80 cars in the games as strong at daybeed as when first deal, getting all the Newtowns. Head of the words and the words are the Steinhart & Kelley company of said to be fully as high as that received for the apples sold this year at the words and the other financed by games as strong at daybeed as when first deal, getting all the Newtowns.

New Certificates Needed.

Salem.—In an opinion, Attorney-eneral Crawford held that October 7 was the first day upon which tax cer-ificates could be issued to persons who paid taxes which have become The opinion will make i ecessary for many persons to get ew tax certificates for in a number counties certificates were issued or October 6. Under the statute taxes ie law provides that six months after they become delinquent any person may pay the taxes and get a certifiate to show that he has done so Since the tax was not delinquent until April 7, the payments could not lawully be received until October 7.

Break New Law.

Salem .-- A large number of state officers and employes were surprised to learn that they have violated the nev orrupt practices act by contributing to ampaign funds. The act was adopted by the people last June and its terms were published both before and after election. Moreover, copies of that and Much of the wheat grown in the Province of Ontario, Canada, is being a congress unless the Bosnia question which will have to be blasted out. The analysis water to irrigate the congress the Bosnia question which will have to be blasted out. The canada, is being a congress unless the Bosnia question which will have to be blasted out. The canada, is being a congress unless the Bosnia question which will have to be blasted out. The canada, is being a congress unless the Bosnia question which will have to be blasted out. The canada, is being a congress unless the Bosnia question which will have to be blasted out. The canada, is being a congress unless the Bosnia question which will have to be blasted out. forbidding them to make contributions and many of them have "dug up" already in this campaign.

Find What O. R. & N. Cost.

Salem .- The Oregon railroad commis sion has fixed October 23 at 10 A. M. as the time for conducting an investigation as to the original cost and the cost of reproduction of the main line of the O. R. & N. The investigation will be conducted in the auditorium o the Portland Chamber of Commercial The commission is making this investi gation for the purpose of forming the asis for regulation of freight rates in

Scores of Men Put to Work.

Mill C, of the Willamette Pulp & the channel fleet from the admiralty ding employment to scores of men who have been idle. The machines were in need of extensive repairs and power from the falls was insufficient.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat_Bluestem, 93e; club, 88c; fife, 88c; red Russian, 86c; 40 fold, 91c; Valley, 90c. Barley-Feed, \$26 per ton; rolled.

\$27.50@28.50; brewing, \$26.50. Onts—No. 1 white, \$31@31.50 per ton; gray, \$30@30.50. Hay-Timothy, Willamete Valley \$14 per ton; Willamette Valley, ordi nary, \$11; Eastern Oregon, \$16,50; mixed, \$13; elover, \$9; alfalfa, \$11; alfalfa meal, \$20.

Fruit—Apples. new, 60c@\$1.50 per box; peaches, 65@85c per box; pears, 50c@\$1.25 per box; plums, 50c@\$1 per box; grapes, 50c@\$1.25 per crate; Con-cords, 20@2216c per basket; huckle-berries, 9@10c per lb.; quinces, \$1.25 per box; cranberries, \$10 per barrel; runes, 2e per 1b.

Potatoes - 80@90c

sweet potatoes, 2c per lb.

Melons—Cantaloupes, \$1@1.50 per crate; watermelons, 1c per lb.; casabas, \$1.75@2 per doz.

Vegetables—Turnips, \$1.25 per sack;

carrots, 85c; parsnips, \$1.25; beets, \$1.25; artichokes, 65c per doz.; beans 100 per lb.; cabbage. 2@214c per b.; cauliflower, 50c@\$1.25 per doz.; celery, 75@85c per doz.; corn. 90c@ \$1.15 per sack; cucumbers, 15@20c per doz.; egg plant, \$1.25 per crate; let-tuce, 75c@\$1 per box; parsley, 15e per doz.; peas, 6c per lb.; peppers, 8@10c per lb.; pumpkins, 1@11/2c per lb.; radishes, 1216e per doz; spinach, 2e per lb.; sprouts, 9c per lb.; squash, 114c per lb.; tomatoes, 50@60c.

Veal-Extra, 9c per lb.; ordinary, Pork Fancy, 84c per lb.; ordinary, in the case of Ernest Humphrey, one

SPITZBERGEN IN DISPUTE.

Conference to Be Called to Settle Ownership of Land.

Berlin, Oct. 12.-An international onference will be summoned in the Great Britain Gets in Line With near future to regulate the future of Spitzbergen, and it is expected that delegates will attend from Great Britain, the United States, France, Russia, Germany, Sweden and Norway. The Norwegian government, which has

lood River, and buyers who have ex- American and Norwegian capital and for which it is said they have since been offered a bonus of \$10,000 to turn over to another firm and have refused to do so.

The deal was made with the Stein
The deal was made with the Steingrade fruit, a large part of that un-sold being Yellow Newtowns. It is territories. It is expected that Norclaimed that Mosier growers received the highest average price for their Newtowns last year of any fruit-trowing district in the Northwest. Way will lay claim to the possession of Spitzbergen by virtue of the prior rights of Norwegian fishermen and huntsmen, but in this case it is exeveral offers have been made for pected that Sweden will raise a counthem this year at a good figure, but they are being held for a price that scientific expeditions have been agreed on by the directors mainly instrumental in opening Spitzbergen to the outside world.

PUT POACHERS TO DEATH.

Russians Make Short Work of Japanese Seal Butchers.

San Francisco, Oct. 12.—The United States gunboat Yorktown, which has arrived here after a cruise in Alaskan fleet is weak. waters, confirms the news of the summary execution of several Japanese come delinquent after April 6, and seal poachers by the Russian authorities on the Komandorsky islands. After a speedy trial on charges of put to death.

Two Japanese schooners, with their crews, found sealing within the threemile limit by the revenue cutter Bear, were taken to Valdez. Following the custom of previous seasons, it is

Lieutenant-Commander Pollock, of the Yorktown, which has been doing ice duty around the Pribilof islands states that the rookeries there are covered with dead and dying pups. Their mothers had been killed at sea nd the young left to perish. During the season the Yorktown

countered 11 Japanese sealers, but one was within the three-mile limit. While off Cape St. Elias the Yorkwith the loss of 111 men.

TRY WIRELESS TELEPHONY.

Apparatus to Connect Admiralty Office With Ships at Sea.

London, Oct. 12.-The De Forest y to be put to the test by the ad-Oregon City.-After a shutdown of miralty, who will endeavor to comweeks, the four paper machines in municate by wireless telephone with

offices in St. James Park. The experiments, which may extend over some weeks, are expected to demonstrate the possibility of the of-ficials in London keeping in touch with the warships at sea and also of the ships communicating with the

Wireless telephony over long dis ances has already been shown possible by the invention of Mr. Poulen, the famous Danish inventor. By neans of powerful are lamps of a speial form continuous electrical waves can be sent from one place to another mpressed with the effects of speech such a way that these impressions can be seconverted into speech at the

receiving station. The electrical waves are bent out of shape so to speak, by the telephone connected with the transmitting apparatus, and these modified waves are he receiving apparatus.

Not Aggressive, Says Servia.

Budapest, Oct. 12.-Servia has review of smoothing out difficulties.

Austria's Patience Strained.

Paris, Oct. 12.-Official advices received here represented the situation Dallas, S. D., Oct. 13.—Two 6-year-between Servia and Austria-Hungary old girls will draw the envelopes con-Butter—City creamery, extras, 3214 as extremely critical. Austria-Hungary taining the names of winners in the man served notice that she will not tolerate further provocation and that morning, according to the official and served notice that she will not tolerate further provocation and that eral school of instruction inaugurated during the three or four days of the firsts, 27@30e; seconds, 23@26e; East should the Skupschitina declare war placed in a box on a platform, the applications will be should the Skupschitina declare war placed in a box on a platform, the or make an aggressive move. The sides of which will be covered

Acquits Mob Leader.

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Mohair—Choice, 18@18½e per lb.

JOIN IN CONFERENCE

Other Powers.

ACTION WAS A GREAT SURPRISE

Russia Would Rather Keep Straits of Dardanells Closed Until New Navy is Completed.

London, Oct. 13.-M. Iswolsky, the Russian foreign minister, has succeeded in impressing upon Sir Edward Grey, the British secretary for foreign affairs, the necessity that not only should a conference of the powers be held to settle the crisis in the Near East, but this conference should take under advisement other ques-tions besides those involved in the annexation by Austria of Bosnia and Herzegovina and the declaration of Bulgarian independence.

This change of front on the part of Great Britain, which has caused great surprise, was announced by the forign office at the conclusion of a long conference between Sir Edward Grey and M. Iswolsky, after a meeting of the cabinet, in which Sir Edward set forth the position he had taken and explained the views of the Russian

It is doubtful whether Russia is anxious to reopen the Dardanelles for the present, for, if this is done, it must be for all nations, and Russia is not likely to desire that while her

The point in her previous stand Great Britain is continuing to insist apon, apparently, is that no modification of a treaty can be permitted without the consent of all parties to that treaty, and at her proposal the piracy, the men were convicted and powers have instructed their ambas-put to death. this principle. What end can be served by this is not stated by the foreign office, but it can hardly be expected that either Bulgaria or Austhought the men will be allowed to the legal stauts in Bulgaria and Bosnia and Herzegovina

FIGHT WITH MANIAC.

Policemen Tussle With Crazy Man on Tall Tower.

New York, Oct. 13 .- Joseph Krats, an insane man of Brooklyn, who an attempt to throw himself into the East river Sunday fought desperately While off Cape St. Elias the York-own was in a terrific gale, and was top of a Williamsburg bridge tower, compelled to heave to for 36 hours. The gunboat was washed from stem and physicians at the Eastern District Hospital a furious fight. He was carried away. This was the same burst the canvas strait-jacket into gale in which the bark Star of Bengal which he had been forced and with wrecked on Coronation island, maniacal fury assailed nurses and oth-

ers in charge.

After a prolonged contest he was overpowered and bound. Later he calmed down and was taken before a urt, charged with attempted suicide

The magistrate in committing him to the observation ward of Kings County Hospital, praised Policeman Clarence Smith, who had followed system of wireless telephony is short- the crazed man in his climb to the tower's narrow top and after an aw-ful hand-to-hand conflict, during which Krats got out a razor, subdued him and summoned assistance. The magistrate said:

"Heroes like you deserve special recognition. You are a brave man."

PLEADS FOR LARGER NAVY.

Senator Lodge Says Pacific Coast Must Be Protected. Boston, Oct. 13 .- Declaring that Japan was ready to make insulting demands on the United States, did she dare, and that the only way to guard against them was to increase the American navy, United States Senator Lodge launched into a strong of vigorous plea for a bigger and better navy at a Republican ratificaion meeting last night, held under

the auspices of the Republican club of Massachusetts. "What we want to look out for is our navy," insisted the speaker. "We should protect both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts and it is the policy of the Republican party to do this.

Nicholas Ready to Fight.

Cettinje, Montenegro, Oct. 13.lied to the Austro-Hungarian de- The Montenegrin National Assembly nand for an explanation of her pur-lose in summoning the reserves to dinary session. The war fever rethe colors by granting that this step has no aggressive character. Speaking at Saturday's session of the Austria-Hungary of Bosnia and Herzengar at Saturday's session of the Austria-Hungary of Bosnia and Herzengar at Saturday's session by Austria-Hungary of Bosnia and Herzengar at Saturday's session by Austria-Hungary of Bosnia and Herzengar at Saturday's session. The war fever retro-Hungarian delegation, Foreign bellicose message to parliament from Minister von Aehrenthal expressed the belief that he would be able to the annexation of these two provents. carry through the annexation of Bos- inces had inflicted a crying wrong nia and Herzegovina peacefully. He and the people of Montenegro, and that already he was negotiating that the people were prepared to sacwith some of the powers with the rifice their last drop of blood unless the peaceful endeavors now on foot resulted in righting the grievance.

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Ready for Rosebud Drawing.

Poultry—Hens, 11@12e per lb.; fifteenth Austro - Hungarian army corps occupied the frontier along the spring, 14@15e; geese, old, 9e; young, lo@11e; turkeys, old, 17@18e; young, centrating at Semlin. 120,000 applicants will register.

All Except Austria Join.