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OREGON WEATHER
Fair; colder in east portion tonight. Moderate southwest-early winds.

THE EDITORS ARE COMING

The National Editorial Association is to visit the west coast next August. It is predicted that 300 or more editors from the eastern and central states will make the trip.

The editors will come west on the Canadian Pacific railway to some point in Washington, possibly Seattle, where they will hold their first meeting. Portland will be their next stop, then dinner at night at Albany, breakfast at Grants Pass...

Here is a chance for Grants Pass to get thousands of dollars worth of free advertising. The chamber of commerce should get busy at once and make arrangements to place before the editors a breakfast that will make the bread their mothers used to bake look like Civil War hard-tack...

Southern Oregon will have Portland to thank for the editors' visit, as the pencil pushers had not planned the trip to Crater Lake because of the added expense. But here is where the Portland chamber of commerce came to the rescue. They raised a fund of \$6,000 to pay for the excursion.

If the city of Grants Pass does not care to make arrangements for serving breakfast on the morning of August 11, the editors will break their fast at Medford.

THE FARMERS DESERVE IT

One of the development measures to be voted on June 3rd that should receive the support of the voters is that which provides for state guaranty of interest for a period of five years on drainage and irrigation district bonds.

The only possible way to develop millions of acres of valuable land in Oregon is through the creation of irrigation and drainage district organizations, which must sell bonds on the district to finance the development. In the past, bond dealers have purchased these bonds for 85 to 90 cents on the dollar, making such a discount to insure them against default in payment of the interest during the first years of development, and until the land begins to produce crops.

The state is to consider only feasible projects, the feasibility to be determined by a board consisting of the state engineer, attorney general and state superintendent of banks. The state is responsible for the interest only, and not the principal.

The measure, if passed, means much to Southern Oregon as well as other parts of the state. It was passed unanimously by the house

3 Pounds For 25c

HANDY CUT MACARONI
SPECIAL SATURDAY

KINNEY & TRUAX GROCERY
Quality First

and received only four dissenting votes in the senate, while most chambers of commerce, the irrigation commission and the state drainage association have endorsed it. It is said that California and Washington have had such a law for several years. Show your progressiveness by voting for this measure and thus help the farmers who wish to form irrigation districts get the necessary support to insure a square deal.

When a man shoves the muzzle of a loaded gun in your face and tells you to throw up your hands while he robs you, the chances are he intends to blow the top of your head off if you try to protect yourself. The fact that you do not resist and he is not compelled to commit murder is a poor excuse that extreme leniency should be extended him.

It is hinted that the upkeep on the battleship Oregon will cost the state \$20,000 annually, if the old warrior is turned over to the state. Wonder if it will be a white elephant? Evidently warships are in the Pierce-Arrow class.

For nerve, Tanker Tomcats have nothing on those fellows trying to cross the Atlantic in seaplanes with faulty engines. The engine in one of the planes balked before the start was well under way.

Grants Pass, like other cities, likes to bask in the limelight, but does not relish the kind of advertising staged by Dolph and Max Lewis.

PRIMROSE AND LEWIS FACE

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two months ago. There I worked in the North Bank shipyards. I met the Lewis brothers about two weeks ago in Portland. They were working in Vancouver. I quit the shipyards last Saturday and went to Washougal in an automobile Sunday night before dark. We went up to Washougal in an automobile Sunday night before dark. We went to Kilmer's, whom I knew slightly, and stayed Sunday night. We went up there fishing and had no idea of robbing the bank until Monday



Community spirit is a great builder. The support which Oregon's industries get at home strengthens them in their fight for business abroad. And the home people bear fit, in turn, by the growth of these industries bringing money from distant markets to be distributed in our own state in Greater Payrolls.

Associated Industries of Oregon

morning. None of us had ever been in the bank before. We used our handkerchiefs as masks. I held up the cashier. My gun was a 32-caliber automatic.

"Last night (Tuesday) in the early part of the evening they arrested me and tied me up at Bob Warren's house. He is my brother-in-law. He tied me up—my hands and feet. Bob went away and they left a man with a gun watching me. They had taken my gun away and also about \$2,000 in money. Pretty soon somebody from the outside shot through the door two or three times. Then he broke in the door and shot again. My guard left. I got up and left the house. About half a mile away I met Johnson (Lewis) on the trail. As soon as we recognized each other we beat it toward the river, got a rowboat and rowed across. We came on to this city this morning. Someone said he wanted to speak to me. I walked along with Mr. Gibbons and shot him. I had my gun in my side trousers' pocket. After shooting Mr. Gibbons I shot several other times. My mind is confused about my actions after that."

COUNTY TREASURER'S CALL FOR GENERAL WARRANTS

All Josephine County general warrants issued up to (not including) November 9th, 1912, and protested prior to that date, are hereby called in and are payable at the County Treasurer's office on or after May 10th, 1919, on which date interest will cease.

GEO. S. CALHOUN, County Treasurer of Josephine County, Oregon. Dated at Grants Pass, Oregon, May 9th, 1919.

If you have anything to sell try classified ad

How can you tell how old a meat saw is?



By finding the saw-age, of course!

YOU'LL FIND THE SAUSAGE HERE! THE KIND YOU'LL LIKE WE SELL THE BEST SAUSAGE YOU EVER SAW! WE MAKE IT OURSELVES KNOW ITS INGREDIENTS AND AGE, AND UNQUALIFIEDLY RECOMMEND IT!

The City Market

403 G STREET PHONE 72

FIRE EATING LION IN BARNES BIG CIRCUS

Surpassing itself in magnificence and brilliancy, Al G. Barnes wild animal circus is slated for a visit to Grants Pass on May 15. The largest single group of lions in the world are seen under the Barnes big canvass, 30 of them. Sampson, an immense lion, does a Rickenbacher stunt, soaring to the top of the canvass surrounded by sizzling fireworks, and Venus Fashion twice a day faces death from the king of beasts. A group of Royal Bengal tigers and leopards in the hands of Miss Mabel Stark, amaze one with their learning. Probably nowhere else in the world have elephants, camels, llamas and zebras been taught to such a high degree of proficiency as in the Barnes circus. Saturday's circus will begin by a big two-mile-long street parade at 10:30 a. m. Doors to the big top open at 1 and 7 p. m.

NEW TODAY

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER, 206 North Sixth street. Private room for dictation. Isaac Best's office. Miss Dora Birchard. 66

CUT PRICES on Hardware, Clothing, Shoes, Groceries. Having purchased the Pruitt stock of General Merchandise at Merlin I will close out everything at cut prices. Sale begins Saturday, Wonder store building opposite Peerless. R. Timmons. 61ff

AN EXTRA GOOD 30 acres of deep red land, fine black oak timber, to trade for automobile. Good farm lease for sale, 60 or 70 acres of wheat, good stand; 30 to 40 acres volunteer hay, four horses to use; lease runs to November, 1920. A few good O. & C. homestead locations. All kinds of insurance. See E. T. McKinstry. 63

LOST—A Nash automobile starting crank. Leave at Churchill & Maxwell's. 63

FOR RENT—Two houses \$3 and \$5. Last one modern. Apply at 412 Clark street, City. 63

BARGAINS in used cars. Churchill & Maxwell.

IF YOU WANT a MAXWELL used car see Churchill & Maxwell.

ONE USED CHEVROLET touring. One slightly used Chevrolet delivery at Churchill & Maxwell. 64

Dull, lifeless eyes, colorless lips, sallow, yellow cheeks, give a girl little chance for a "man" these days. Don't lose heart, just take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea—helps to make you attractive and fair. Don't delay, begin today. Sabin's Drug Store.—Adv.

The Men Who DO THE BIGGEST THINGS In This World Are GREAT MEAT EATERS



We declare, without fear of contradiction, that we have the freshest and juiciest steaks in town.

DELICIOUS ROASTS, CHOPS, HAMS AND FISH

The Temple Market

SHOE POLISHES Save the Leather and Keep your Shoes Neat LIQUIDS AND PASTES FOR BLACK, WHITE, TAN AND OX-BLOOD (DARK BROWN) SHOES

Nearly new Ford \$525
1915 Ford, electric starter 400
1917 Regal 525
C. L. HOBART CO.

"SERVICE" We make it a point that every business transaction with our patrons shall be satisfactory. Josephine County Bank

Willard BATTERY Shop Ask the Battery Shop about the still better Willard with threaded rubber insulation

The Dayton Airless Tire Equip your car with Dayton Airless and you will never have any tire trouble. E. A. ADAMS 506 South Sixth Street Adjoining Oxford Hotel

STOMACH TROUBLES AN IRRITABLE, fault finding disposition is often due to a disordered stomach. Chamberlain's Tablets



Martha Florine Exponent of Wild Animal Culture in Barnes Circus and Some of Her Jungle Pets