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**News Notes From All Oyer Oregon**

**Gleaned by the Western Newspaper Union for Busy People**

The Lane County Bankers' association will meet at Eugene Thursday.

W. Hal McNair of Ashland was re-appointed a member of the state board of pharmacy.

A wave of intestinal influenza has been prevalent on the University of Oregon campus during the last week.

Establishment of eastern Oregon headquarters for the Oregon Humane society in The Dalles is being considered.

Funds aggregating \$117,705.77 were turned over to the state treasurer by the state land department during April.

The third annual meeting of the Old Wasco County Pioneers' association was held at the civic auditorium in The Dalles.

A new moving picture theater to have a seating capacity of between 1400 and 1500, will be erected in Salem during the present year.

According to reports from the city health office there are more than 200 cases of influenza in Vernonia. Only one death has resulted, however.

Mrs. Florence Garver of Portland was elected state war mother at the first annual state convention of the American War Mothers in Salem.

Dr. Stella Ford Warner has arrived in Salem from the east to act as director of medical service for the Marion county child health demonstration.

A meeting of county judges will be held in Portland May 19 to consider what is termed the "auto-tramp nuisance" and the best means of taking care of it.

W. A. Dalziel, private secretary to Governor Pierce, has been appointed a member of the board of survey and adjustment for the federal reclamation department.

Contracts will be let in a few days for the construction of Camp Jackson, as the annual encampment at Medford of the Oregon national guard in June will be known.

Rapid increase in gas consumption in Portland has necessitated construction of a new gas holder by the Portland Gas & Coke company, at a cost of approximately \$352,000.

Return of the state banking department from Portland to Salem is demanded in mandamus proceedings filed in the Marion county circuit court by John Carson, district attorney.

In the past 18 months 10,997 coyotes have been killed by trappers in eastern Oregon, according to Stanley Jewett, predatory animal inspector of the United States biological survey.

Chester Clark, United States customs collector at Marshfield, in his monthly report on business done by lumbering interests shows an export of 11,205,037 feet of lumber during April.

The battleship Oregon, which is to be taken over by the state of Oregon under an appropriation authorized at the last session of the legislature, will be ready for delivery in Portland harbor on June 15. The old battleship is now at Bremerton navyyard, where it is being repainted and, otherwise put in condition by the United States government.

With a proposal for higher fees than those provided in house bill 413, a measure for the taxing of passenger busses and freight trucks on a passenger mile or 10-mile basis, R. W. Sawyer, judge of Deschutes county, and R. S. Hamilton, member of the house of representatives, are initiating a measure to be placed before the voters of Oregon.

The public service commission has vacated an order suspending new rates sought by the Spokane, Portland & Seattle Railway company and the Spokane, Seattle & Portland Transportation company. The proposed new rates, which are a slight increase over those now in effect, will become operative as soon as the completed tariffs are filed.

Improved business conditions in Portland during April were reflected by increased bank clearings and a substantial gain in building permits compared with the same month last year. Bank clearings for the month amounted to \$171,403,677 compared with \$159,139,035 for March. Building permits issued during the month numbered 1353 for a total value of \$3,251,740.

Governor Pierce is being besieged with requests to commute to life imprisonment the death sentences imposed upon L. W. Peare and Arthur Covell, who are scheduled to be hanged May 22.

About 1000 citizens of Lincoln county assembled in the streets at Toledo in a mass meeting to oppose the importation of Japanese labor for operation of the Pacific Spruce corporation's sawmill.

Dr. Maurice Butler, dentist with offices in Independence, suffered the loss of his right eye and a fractured skull when an automobile in which he was riding skidded off the Salem-Dallas highway.

An analysis of the stomach and vital organs of Mrs. R. L. Gimlin, who died suddenly at Coquille about a month ago, and whose body was examined for examination recently, showed only negative results.

Establishment of a game reserve to take in the land on which the Oregon caves, in Josephine county, are located, is advocated by Governor Pierce, members of the state game commission and forestry officials.

A marriage license was issued at Mobile, Ala., to Jonathan L. Bourne, ex-United States senator from Oregon, to wed Miss Frances Baker Turner. The ex-Oregon senator gave his age as 70 and the bride-to-be as 29.

Announcement was made in Portland of the building of a new main line railroad approximately 150 miles long from Bend to Klamath Falls, costing \$6,500,000. The new mileage will be an extension of the Oregon Trunk railway.

Helena Ulbricht, 3, and little brother, Arnold, 17 months, children of Mr. and Mrs. Gust Ulbricht, farmers, living one mile west of Freewater, were drowned in the Pleasant View irrigation ditch which flows past their home.

Petitions for the initiative or referendum of a measure shall contain a minimum of 9094 names of qualified voters, according to announcement made by the secretary of state following receipt of a legal opinion from the attorney-general.

Umatilla county has five market road projects either under construction or to be constructed as a part of the 1925 road building program. It is estimated that the county will have available about \$130,000 for market roads during the year.

The Southern Pacific system had net operating income of \$40,733,741.63 during the year 1924, or \$10,176,686.18 less than during 1923, according to the annual report of the corporation filed in the offices of the public service commission at Salem.

The Oregon state fish commission has authorized the building of a new fish hatchery on Rock creek, a tributary of the Umpqua river. The hatchery will be ready for operation in the fall and will take care of 7,000,000 or 5,000,000 eggs.

Charges filed with the state supreme court a few weeks ago involving Clyde N. Johnson, ex-district attorney of Lane county, were found to be unwarranted, according to a report prepared by the grievance committee of the Oregon State Bar association.

The public service commission has extended until May 23 the time for filing annual reports by public utilities operating in the state of Oregon. The extension of time was granted at the request of a large number of utilities which were unable to complete their reports by April 30.

The state land board has exempted Coos, Lane and Douglas counties from the payment of royalty on sand and gravel taken from the Umpqua river for the improvement of the Roosevelt and Umpqua highways and a number of market roads in those counties.

Almost universal indorsement in central Oregon of the movement initiated by The Dalles-Wasco county chamber of commerce to combat the referendum on house bill No. 413 calling for regulation of trucks and motor busses is being indicated by response received to telegrams sent other commercial bodies in the district.

Mrs. Helen Bair, 20, who was being transported from Bend to the industrial school for girls at Salem, to

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which she had been committed after pleading guilty to a charge of liquor possession, was kidnapped by a man driving an automobile bearing a California license plate, while the party stopped at a Hood River service station.

killed 208 men, women and children and injured 409 persons at the funeral of General George Gehl last month. A bribe of \$80 was paid him he said.

**Jammed His Fingers**  
Old Gentleman—What are you crying for, my little man?  
Little Man—Boohoo! Dad spanked me 'cause I jammed my fingers.  
"I'm sure that wasn't your fault. Where did you jam them?"  
"Boohoo! In the jam-jar."

**Bomb Outrage Confessed by Sexton**  
Sofia.—The sacristan of Sofia cathedral, a man named Zadgersky, has confessed to allowing a conspirator to place and light the bomb which

**Albany Directory**

- This is good advice: "If you live in Albany, trade in Albany; if you live in some other town, trade in that town." But in these automobile days many residing elsewhere find it advisable to do at least part of their buying in the larger town. Those who go to Albany to transact business will find the firms named below ready to fill their requirements with courtesy and fairness.
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**CONGRESSMAN BURTON**



Congressman Theodore Burton of Ohio, who is chairman of the American delegation at the Geneva conference to regulate international trade in arms and munitions.

**J. VAN A. MacMURRAY**



J. Van A. MacMurray, assistant secretary of state, selected by President Coolidge to succeed Jacob G. Schurman as minister to China.

**Conciliatory Pose by Hindenburg**

**Dr. Marx Believed Slated for Some Important Honor By President-elect.**

Hanover. — Political leaders who have been in consultation with President-elect von Hindenburg in the last few days believe that he is determined to reconcile the German Catholic electorate to the outcome of the election and that he will single out Dr. Marx of the people's bloc for some prominent appointment or political honor.

This procedure not only would be in keeping with the field marshal's desire for complete national unity, but also would insure continuance of neutrality which the center party has been according to the Luther government, thus removing from the post-election situation anything likely to engender a parliamentary crisis.

Von Hindenburg is said to have quietly apprised a score or more German princes and lesser potentates that he would be greatly obliged if they would spare him displays of ardent importunities and other affectionate demonstrations regarding his election.

The general expects to arrive in Berlin a day before his inauguration May 12.

The delicate problem as to whether he should wear a frock coat or a military uniform at his inauguration is said to have been solved by Field Marshal von Hindenburg. According to the present plans he will wear a Prince Albert, but with it a number of war medals.

**Britain Has an Arms Control Plan**

Geneva.—Reports that the British delegation would present a substitute plan at the international conference for control of traffic in arms opening here Monday, were confirmed by British spokesmen, who said they probably would also offer other suggestions, as will the American delegation. A draft convention prepared by a special committee is to be presented as the basis for its discussions.

Representatives of arms manufacturers have come to Geneva to watch the conference which so directly affects their business. Other potential opponents of some of the proposed regulations are states that insist that the "sacred right of revolution" must be protected.

This latter feeling is recognized as a difficult problem by the conference leaders; who fear that conferment of the right to send arms into a country would give the great powers a dangerous measure of diplomatic pressure, enabling them to assure victory to a revolutionary party they favored.

**Income Tax Receipts Are Falling Off**

**Receipts Are \$67,541,349 Less in First Quarter Than in the Same Period Last Year.**

Washington, D. C.—Income tax receipts were \$67,541,349 less in the first quarter of this year than in the same three months of 1924. It was shown in the first official figures on quarterly receipts by which the revenue producing power of the present tax law was compared with the former rates.

The comparative statement shows total income taxes of \$519,233,820.93 for January, February and March, this year, against \$586,780,190.39 for the same three months of last year. Receipts for each of the three months of 1925 were:

January, \$33,054,831.92; February, \$47,457,051.34, and March \$438,726,937.72; and in 1924 the receipts were: January, \$39,664,855.60; February, \$57,179,527.67, and March \$489,935,807.12.

Officials made no comment on the statistics, explaining that the total for the quarter this year had been about \$8,000,000 above the estimate which they had used from last summer as the basis for calculation of government requirements.

**Railroads Plead for Better Freight Rates**

Washington D. C.—As anticipated for some time, western railroads have petitioned the interstate commerce commission for an increase of freight rates.

Practically all of the carriers west of the Mississippi have united in the request. It is pointed out that western roads have not received the 5% per cent fair return permitted by law. The commission is asked to order, "appropriate orders" raising rates enough to increase returns to that point. The west would pay an additional bill of \$150,000,000 annually if the commission should grant the rise asked.

The railroads have not filed specific schedules of rates they desire to increase. They do not suggest or point out what rates they think should be raised. Rather by the move taken this week they have shot the question of the "fair return" up to the commission, and asked that body what it intends to do about it. If the application is pressed it will bring from the commission an important decision as to what the "fair return" provision of the transportation act means.

**Air-Cooled Plane Engine Invented.** Washington, D. C. — An air-cooled airplane engine of 40 per cent less weight than the Liberty motor, built for the navy, has given a satisfactory performance in a test flight with a navy torpedo plane from Paterson, N. J., to Washington.