

News Notes From All Over Oregon

Gleaned by the Western Newspaper Union for Busy People

It cost \$249,967.43 to conduct the Salem public schools during the last school-year.

Allida, 14-year-old daughter of Mrs. Emma Frederickson, was drowned in Beaver creek, near Delena.

Since January 1, 117 licenses were had been issued in Jackson county and 27 divorce complaints filed.

Ida Ward, 16, Elizabeth McCloud, 16, and Aileen Corey, 18, escaped from the state industrial school at Salem.

The national forest offices at Eugene has begun sending out its look-outs, which is somewhat earlier than usual.

The Casey lumber mill was destroyed by a fire last week. The mill was located near Meacham in the Blue mountains.

A dwelling, a blacksmith shop and a store building containing the post-office, were practically destroyed by fire at St. Paul.

The fire at the Bridal Veil Lumber company logging camp near Sandy, is now under control. A half million feet of logs have been destroyed.

Fire almost destroyed the plant of the Central Oregonian, weekly newspaper at Prineville. The loss was estimated at between \$5000 and \$6000.

Striking a dynamite charge accidentally with his pick, L. A. Compton, 49, of the Gold Hill district, was fatally injured at the Buzzard mine.

Construction of a plant for the utilization of pine by-products will be started in the immediate future by the Shevlin-Hixon company in Bend, it is announced.

Enforcement of the so-called motor vehicle registration law, enacted at the last session of the legislature, will start July 1, according to the secretary of state.

Half of a large crew of men at work clearing snow off the main road in Crater national park was taken off that work to fight a forest fire in the park near Union peak.

A total of \$425 in fines was levied on Reedsport game violators as a result of a visit by a game warden there, according to reports filed with the game commission.

The first forest fire of the year in Klamath county was of incendiary origin, according to a report made by the Klamath Forest Protective association at Klamath Falls.

A celebration to mark officially the opening of the Mount Hood loop and the completion of the Hood River-White Salmon interstate bridge will be held at Hood River July 4.

Farmers of the Pendleton district generally expressed the belief that wheat has not been materially damaged by the hot wave, but all agree in the desire to see lower temperatures.

Enrollment for the summer session of the normal school at Monmouth has reached 1077, and reservations have been made which will increase this number of 1150 before the middle of the session.

The North Morrow county fair at Boardman is assured, as the county court has promised an appropriation for fair premiums which will amount to about \$600. Dates for the fair have not yet been fixed.

The Central Pacific railroad has formally asked the interstate commerce commission for permission to construct a new line to track from Klamath Falls to Cornell, Cal., a distance of approximately 40 miles.

The 1926 encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic and sessions of other patriotic organizations affiliated with the Grand Army will be held at Marshfield, it was decided at the encampment at Oregon City.

Hugh C. Mitchell, removed as director of hatcheries of the state fish commission was named to head an extensive investigation of the salmon industry in the Columbia river for the United States bureau of fisheries.

One of the most spectacular fires in years, which for a time threatened the main business section of The Dalles, destroyed two large warehouses bordering on an alley back of Second street, at a total loss of \$35,000.

The gasoline fishing boat Nens-mo-sha, owned by the Burke Fish company, was run down in the Columbia river entrance in a dense fog by the Oregon-Oriental freighter West Nomentum and two members of her crew were drowned.

Irrigationists of Hook River have received from the Klamath Irrigation district at Klamath Falls an offer to aid in fighting the appeal of a case from the supreme court of Oregon to the United States supreme court by the Pacific Power & Light company.

The Douglas county court has adopted a resolution asking the bureau of public roads for the allotment of road funds, previously appropriated for the Scottsburg-Reedsport section of the Umpqua highway, to a new section of work on the Reedsport end of the road.

Oregon pensions have been granted as follows: Charles H. Groves, Portland, \$12 a month; William P. Morris, Portland, \$12 a month; Arthur F. Marr, Portland, \$12 a month; Henry Y. Rogers, Portland, \$15 a month; Jesse L. Miller, Portland, \$15 a month; Aaron Johnson, Tumalo, \$12 a month.

Southwestern Oregon Masons met at Marshfield to join with Blanco lodge in celebrating the 55th anniversary of the organization of the lodge. Two hundred and fifty men were present at this event from Gardiner, Port Orford, Powers, Myrtle Point, Langlois, Coquille, North Bend and other places.

N. J. Sinnott, representative in congress from the second Oregon district, has returned to his home in The Dalles. Since adjournment of the Northern Pacific land case at Washington on May 21, Mr. Sinnott has been touring the coast with a congressional committee inspecting irrigation projects.

Portland will be the scene of the second regional agricultural conference to be held in the United States under direction of the United States chamber of commerce. Delegates from Oregon, Washington, Idaho and western Montana will attend the conference, which is dated for July 17 and 18.

The Southern Pacific railroad in answering an interstate commerce commission questionnaire, emphatically opposed the proposal of the Oregon Trunk line to build two extension lines in southern Oregon from Bend to Klamath Falls, joining the public service commission of Oregon in declaring such construction "economically unsound."

Sales of mills of the West Coast Lumbermen's association hold up well, according to report just issued for the week ending June 20, when the aggregate bookings of 113 reporting mills was 110,821,935 feet. The new business was 3 per cent above manufactures, which amounted to 107,276,027 feet. Shipments aggregating 117,850,139 feet were 6 per cent above bookings.

All individuals, firms and corporations taking sand and gravel from the navigable streams in Oregon will be required to pay royalty to the state at the rate of 10 cents a cubic yard. This was announced by the state land board after it had entered into contracts with eight corporations in Portland which are desirous of obtaining sand and gravel from the Willamette river.

At a special election held at Falls City to authorize the sale of the municipal light plant there were 67 ballots cast for the sale and 26 against. By this election the mayor and city council are authorized to accept the offer of \$15,000 cash and lights for street purposes to the value of \$750 a year for two years following the transfer, made by the Mountain States Power company.

Manufactured products made in Oregon establishments in 1923 showed an increase in value on the basis of factory price of more than \$140,000,000, or 62.7 per cent, over those of 1921, the department of commerce announced in making public a summary of the biennial census of manufactures for this state. The aggregate value of Oregon manufactures in 1923, according to the department, was \$368,912,000 as compared with \$223,654,000 in 1921.

A campaign against the white pine blister in Jackson county is being conducted by T. D. Mallory and R. B. Fehren of the Oregon Agricultural college, under direction of the department of agriculture. The cultivated English black currant and the wild gooseberry are the objects of attack. A force of 30 men are now camped at Woodruff Meadows engaged in destroying gooseberry and black currant bushes. The war on the fungus will be waged until snow falls.

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Dr. Charles R. Erdman, professor of theology in Princeton Theological seminary, who was elected moderator of the Presbyterian general assembly in Columbus, Ohio.



James J. Storrow of Boston, who was elected president of the Boy Scouts of America at the annual meeting in New York.

IDAHO TO HAVE NEW LINE

Railroad to Cost \$3,000,000 Will Tap Big Timber Belt.

Minneapolis.—Construction of a \$3,000,000 40-mile line of railroad in the Clearwater timber district of Idaho to serve the largest white pine lumber mill in the Pacific northwest has been announced by Charles Donnelly, president of the Northern Pacific railway.

The line will run northeast from Orofino, Idaho, and will be constructed by the Northern Pacific and Union Pacific railroads to serve the Clearwater Timber company, a Weyerhaeuser interest, who are planning to erect a huge lumber mill at Lewiston, Idaho. Work on the new line will start this fall, Mr. Donnelly said. He also announced that the Union Pacific and his line may construct another line from Bend to Klamath Falls, Or., another heavily timbered district.

Coolidge's Father is Seriously Ill.

Plymouth, Vt.—Suffering from an abdominal ailment, Colonel John Coolidge, father of President Coolidge, is confined to his home under a physician's care. The president, who made a hurried trip here from Swampscott, Mass., was assured that the patient apparently was out of danger, although it was emphasized that in view of the colonel's age a setback was possible.

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 towns. 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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Uncle Sam is Economizing

Washington, D. C.—The federal government finished the fiscal year Tuesday with a surplus in excess of \$345,000,000, nearly \$50,000,000 greater than any previous estimate and more than twice as large as was calculated when the year began.

Another phase of treasury operations that gave rise to feelings of satisfaction was the continued upward trend of receipts from income taxes.

Despite the reductions in tax rates which have been effective throughout the current fiscal year, total internal revenue receipts are expected to fall only about \$20,000,000 below the receipts for the last fiscal year, which totaled \$3,975,912,000. Total receipts to June 15 of this year were roughly \$3,750,000,000. Since receipts from income taxes thus far are only about \$30,000,000 below those for 1924, it thus becomes obvious that the shrinkage in the revenues has been in the miscellaneous group and as a result of the abolition of certain taxes.

As to expenditures, incomplete but official figures show the cost of government for the 12 months ending

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Big Rum Ring Strikes a Snag
Tuesday will be very close to the original estimate of \$3,534,083,000. Although Secretary Mellon will take no steps in circulation of tax rates until the final figures are in, it has been indicated that he will favor a cut of \$300,000,000 in the total tax.

BRIEF GENERAL NEWS

President Coolidge appointed Alfred J. Pearson of Iowa to be American minister to Finland.

As the result of a coup, General Pangalos, ex-war minister, overthrew the Greek cabinet and established a new government under Pangalos' premiership.

Abolishment of 294 positions in the field service bureau of Indian affairs on July 1, with an annual saving of \$227,905 in its payroll, was announced by the secretary of the interior.

John W. Mahan of Helena, Mont., was elected national commander, and Atlanta, Ga., was selected for the 1926 convention city by the Disabled American Veterans of the World War at the concluding session of the convention held in Omaha.

The first step toward putting France back on gold basis was taken when senate and chamber of deputies voted approval of Caillaux financial bill increasing paper circulation by 6,000,000,000 francs and providing credits of 3,229,000,000 francs for current needs of government.

Seismograph Shows Quake in Spokane
Spokane, Wash.—A severe earthquake disturbance which was felt distinctly in Spokane was registered on the seismograph at Gonzaga university at 5:25 Saturday afternoon. According to A. M. Jung, observer of the Gonzaga seismograph, it was evidently close to Spokane. The disturbance continued for some time after the first shock. The quake was felt distinctly in all parts of the city.

La Follette's Estate Small
Madison, Wis.—Senator Robert M. La Follette's will, offered for probate in county court here names his widow as sole beneficiary and executrix. The senator's debts including the mortgage on the homestead are estimated in the petition at \$29,000, his personal property at \$20,000 and his real estate, which is the homestead, at \$48,000.

Shepherd Freed of Murder by Jury
Chicago.—William Darling Shepherd was acquitted of the murder of his foster son, William Nelson McClintock.

Chaplin Father of 6 1/2 Pound Boy
Beverly Hills, Cal.—The birth of a 6 1/2-pound son to Mrs. Lita Grey Chaplin, wife of the film comedian, Charles Spencer Chaplin, was announced by spokesmen for the actor here Sunday.

Fireworks and the Fourth
Fireworks have been associated with the Fourth of July from the beginning. At the time of the signing of the Declaration of Independence John Adams in a letter to his wife says the following: "It (Independence day), ought to be solemnized with pomp and parades, with shows, games, sports, guns, bells, bonfires and illuminations from one end of this continent to the other, from this time forward forevermore."

Our Life
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Chinese Note Sent State Department
Washington, D. C.—The Peking provisional government has transmitted to the state department a duplicate copy of its latest communication to the diplomatic representatives in China requesting among other things action which would pave the way for relinquishment by foreign nations of extra-territorial rights there.

Kidnapers Felled in \$50,000 Plot
San Francisco, Cal.—An attempt to extort \$50,000 from D. C. Jackling, wealthy Utah and San Francisco capitalist, through a reported plot to kidnap his wife, was foiled by Jackling and the police. Bliss Baker, a student at the University of California and Russell Crawford were held in connection with the alleged plot.