

News Notes From All Over Oregon

Gleaned by the Western Newsapaper Union for Busy People

Cottage Grove is to have free mail delivery after October 1.

Miss Vera Bruner, 16, of Woodburn, was drowned while bathing at Ocean Park, Wash.

Building permits issued in Baker call for new construction valued at close to \$300,000.

Plans are now under way for Roseburg's second annual home and land products show, September 24, 25 and 26.

The attendance at the fifth annual camp meeting of the Oregon Methodist conference in Cottage Grove reached 1500.

Harney county is planning a round up, to be staged September 10, 11 and 12, at Burns, at which \$6000 will be given in prizes.

Beauty specialists hereafter must have licenses to practice in this state, the law passed by the last legislature being now effective.

Silverton will stage her second annual Community fair again this year on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, September 10, 11 and 12.

Survey of the route of the proposed extension of the Oregon trunk line south from Bend to Klamath Falls will be completed this week.

City expenditures continue for the rest of the year as they have for the first six months, Eugene will be \$60,000 "in the red," the auditor's report shows.

Property valued at \$90,000 has been purchased by the Oregon Trunk railroad on the west bank of Link river in Klamath Falls, and will be used as a passenger station.

The Rev. H. C. Stover, who has been pastor of the Freewater Federated church four years, has resigned to accept a similar position with the First Congregational church of Salem.

The plant of the Cherry City Milling company of Salem, which burned recently with a loss estimated at \$120,000, will not be rebuilt. This was announced by directors of the corporation.

Recent assays of the ore from the Silver Jones claim in the Greenhorn district show \$54 in gold and \$1776.87 in silver to the ton. The sample was taken from a six-inch vein in a ledge 72 feet wide.

F. M. Gilliam of Fossil is six months older than the Idaho woman who recently was acclaimed as the oldest living native Oregonian. He was born March 7, 1847, at the old Mission farm below Salem.

William H. Miller, twice elected mayor of Gold Hill, and the most widely discussed mayor in the state over the Gold Hill speed cop question, has tendered his resignation and will remove to Salem.

Salem officials are in a quandary as to how to provide food and necessities for persons sentenced to terms in the city jail. The appropriation is exhausted and the city has no legal authority to issue warrants.

E. L. Elliott, who was named district attorney of Klamath county, was indicted on a charge of malfeasance in office while prohibition commissioner last year in a secret indictment returned by the grand jury.

Rhea Luper, state engineer, has signed a contract entered into between the state and the United States geological survey for completion of the topographic survey of the Bend quadrangle. The expense will be \$5000.

State agents in various counties are reporting many abandoned stills, according to William S. Levens, state prohibition commissioner, who believes that the penitentiary sentences have done much to discourage the small still owners.

The state highway commission announces that construction work on the Pacific highway just north of Oakland, Douglas county, makes it necessary that the highway be closed to traffic from 7:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. for about three weeks.

F. A. Rasch, for the past 12 years employed as examiner by the Oregon public service commission, has resigned to accept a position as senior examiner for the Interstate Commerce Commission. He will make his headquarters in Washington.

William H. Patsley, 80, an old prospector who has spent many years in various parts of Oregon seeking mineral property, was accidentally killed at Glendale, when he was struck by the locomotive of the second section of a southbound Southern Pacific train.

The city of Marshfield gave about 1100 majority for both measures on the good roads bond issue, the state match money for paying the highway

commission \$180,000 loaned money and the \$700,000 for constructing laterals and a bridge from Marshfield to Eastside.

The fish commission's hatcheries of Tillamook county probably will be expanded, according to R. E. Clanton, recently appointed director of hatcheries of the state commission, who was a speaker at the monthly meeting of the Tillamook Fish and Game Protective association.

Women of Deschutes county are contributing to a fund to be used for erecting a woman's building on the Deschutes county fair grounds at Redmond. The movement was started by the Ladies' Pioneer club of Terrebonne and this organization is carrying on the campaign.

Members and representatives of the Oregon public service commission will conduct an investigation of the engineering features involved in the proposed railroad development program in Lake and Klamath counties. A survey of tributary traffic also will be made by the commission.

Irrigated lands in the Deschutes country and farm land of the north unit project in Jefferson county will be inspected August 12 by the Oregon delegation in congress. The party of legislators visiting will include Senators McNary and Stanfield, Representatives Sinnott and Crumpacker, and all probability Representative Hawley.

The Salem city council at its next meeting will consider an ordinance providing for a special election October 20 to vote a special tax to appraise the property of the Salem Water, Light & Power company, and investigate the proposal to obtain a municipal water supply from the mountain districts.

Records in the offices of the secretary of state show that a total of 180,067 automobile and 14,778 truck licenses have been issued. Receipts from these licenses aggregate \$5,057,953.95, as against \$4,552,997.90 for the same period in 1924. The secretary of state predicted that 200,000 license plates will have been issued before September 10.

Notes executed by farmers of eastern and central Oregon in favor of the state to secure payment of loans authorized under what is known as the reseeded relief bill, enacted at the last session of the legislature, have been sent to the various banks of which the borrowers were patrons, for collection. The notes were accompanied by mortgage releases.

Divorces are becoming so expensive in Oregon that the divorce colony appears to be up in arms as evidenced by the mandamus suit filed in circuit court in Portland by Mrs. Margaret B. Wright against County Clerk Joseph Beveridge, alleging that the extra \$5 filing fee required in divorce cases is "class legislation, indirect taxation and unconstitutional."

Anticipating the increase in interest in boys' and girls' club work in Oregon, the state fair board is witnessing the completion on the fair grounds in Salem of a large and modern building which will be devoted exclusively to the housing of the grownups of the state who come to the fair each season accompanying the exhibits which have brought them recognition at county or local fairs.

Expression of Oregon sentiment on a tax reduction program at the next session of congress will be sought by Portland business men who have formulated a resolution at a conference here, to be submitted to representative taxpayers of the state for approval. The resolution urges the elimination of the inheritance tax from the federal tax laws, leaving this source of revenue to the various states, and reduction of the surtax rate.

The appointment of a state commission of Americanization, following a meeting of the state board of education, included L. R. Wheeler, Portland; B. F. Irvine, Portland; John L. Rand, Salem; H. H. Herdman, Portland; J. A. Buchanan, Astoria. This commission was created by an act of the last legislature and is to have the direction of the work of Americanization in the schools of the state through a state director, to be appointed by the commission.

Governor Pierce has called a session of the state text book commission to consider the matter of letting contracts for books. The governor vetoed a bill passed by the 1925 legislature empowering the state board of education to enter into contracts with publishers at the best possible prices, which were to be no higher than the prices in any other state. Publishers have refused to renew contracts at the old figures, and the governor wants new contracts let by competitive bids.

J. E. Burbank and wife have gone on an unannounced itinerary.

CASH PAID for false teeth, dental gold, platinum and discarded jewelry. Hoke Smelting and Refining Co., Chicago, Ill.

REV. G. C. PIDGEON



Rev. G. C. Pidgeon of Toronto, who has been elected moderator of the newly formed United Church of Canada.

MRS. JOHANNA GREGG



Mrs. Johanna Gregg, a member of the Chicago school board, who has announced her candidacy for the republican nomination for mayor.

Teeth Expose an Insurance Fraud

San Francisco. — Henry Schwartz, vice president and general manager of the Pacific Cellulose company, who was supposed to have met death in his own laboratory at Walnut Creek last week by an explosion is being sought by Sheriff R. R. Veale, of Contra Costa county.

A. J. Nielson, a dental expert, who had worked on Schwartz's teeth, declared after a minute examination of the charred body found in Schwartz's laboratory that "this dead man is not Schwartz." The teeth vary widely from Schwartz's teeth.

Schwartz carried \$180,000 in life insurance. Joe Rodriguez, a laborer, has been missing from the Walnut Creek district since the explosion.

"You can announce that Schwartz is wanted for murder," the San Francisco Examiner quotes District Attorney Tinning as saying. "This body is positively not Schwartz. I have asked the sheriff to broadcast a request to sheriffs and chiefs of police to find Schwartz."

Spray melons and cantaloupes with nicotine dust to protect the vines from melon aphid.

Claim Valuation Too Altitudinous

Seattle, Wash.—The Northern Pacific Railway company has filed with the state tax commission a petition for a \$5,969,029 reduction in the valuation of its property in this state as assessed for purposes of taxation. This demand is in addition to the 5 per cent reduction of the valuation which was granted the company by J. M. Thatcher, ex-supervisor of taxation. Just a few days before he was retired and his official functions taken over by the tax commission May 1.

In the petition asking for the further reduction the railway company maintained that for many years there had been included in its assessment an item of \$12,291,805 for "good will," which was added to its physical valuation by the old state railroad commission at a time when its earnings represented more than a reasonable return on the physical value. It now represents that its earnings have gradually shrunk until its stock sells for less than one-half what it sold for at that time.

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This is good advice: "If you live in Albany, trade in Albany." 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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