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An epidemic of influenza is affect ing almost every home in Westport.

Fire destroyed the plant and stock of the Cottage Grove Packing company at Cottage Grove.

Walter Dloamdohl, 36, a logger at Maxville, was struck by a falling tree and died from his injuries. The congregation of the Presbyter

ian church at Phoenix has decided to build at once a new church edifice. More than 100 editors, publishers

and printers throughout the state at tended the eighth Oregon newspaper conference at Eugene. Corvallis was selected for the 1927

convention of the Oregon Retail Merchants' association, which held its 22d annual meeting at Eugene.

James, the 5-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Gwillim of Riverton near Marshfield, was burned to death when the family home caught fire. George E. Griffith of Oregon City

was reappointed a member of the state board of barber's examiners. His commission covers a period of four years Binger Herman, ex-representative

from Oregon and ex-commissioner of the United States general land office. observed his 83d birthday anniversary at Roseburg Friday.

The annual convention of the Willamette Valley Cleaners and Dyers, an organization embracing firms all the way from Salem to Roseburg, will be to themas Wednesday

Trinity Episcopal church, located at the head of Wall street, New York, is to finance the construction of a church at the head of Wall street in Bend, to be known as Trinity church it is an

At an election held for creation of a super-road district, with the object eventually of building a highway from Medford to the Oregon caves, the project was decisively beaten by a vote of 688 to 1000.

Yeggmen blew the safe of the Brookfield Quarry & Towage company at Astoria and escaped with the strong box containing \$7685.12 in cash, checks and negotiable securities, besides a number of papers.

A petition was filed with Governor Pierce urging that Henry R. Crawford of Marion county be appointed a mem ber of the Oregon state fair board to succeed Wayne Stuart of Albany, who

has left the state. H. H. Corey, chairman of the public service commission, has returned to Salem from Washington, D. C., where he attended a hearing in connection with the proposed railroad develop ment in central Oregon

If the state dairy and food commis sioner desires to publish a quarterly bulletfn under an act of 1923, he must obtain from the emergency board an appropriation covering its cost, it is announced in an opinion handed down

by the attorney-general. A cancer survey of Oregon is to be made in the near future to determine MARY SIMPSON



Miss Mary Simpson of Cratsbury, Vt., who has been appointed by Senator Dale of that state to be journal clerk in the United States capitol, is the first woman to hold this important position.

whether or not the state has sufficient hospitals to care for incurable diseases. The decision to start this sur-

Bridge operations planned by the state highway department during the present year include the construction of several spans on the route of the Roosevelt coast highway, according to lough, bridge engineer for the depart-

Because ill health would prevent her from any longer having personal charge of the historic Brunner building in Jacksonville, Mrs. Alice Applegate Sargent deeded that structure and her to the Native Daughters' organization of Jacksonville.

The condition of Representative Willis C. Hawley of Salem is reported considerably improved and it is expected that he will be back at his desk in the house soon. Representative Hawley is one of the victims of the influenza epidemic which swept congress last week.

The Tillamook Game Protective association at a meeting in Tillamook opposed any movement to close either the Big or Little Nestucca rivers to commercial fishing. The action of the club was in opposition to efforts of, Willamette valley sportsmen to have the streams closed.

The Eugene chamber of commerce sent a telegram to Dr. Harry Woodburn Chase, president of the University of North Carolina, in which it was stated that the business men of Eugene were eager for a favorable reply to the invitation to become president of the University of Oregon.

Vayle Taylor was shot and killed in the Wild Bear Creek section of Crook county by C. C. McBride, state dry shed, west of Klamath Falls, will be agent, who declared that his pistol was discharged accidentally while the agent and his partner were raiding a out the parasite infestation. The three dugout in which it was alleged that Taylor was operating a still.

Ernest Pulliam of Boise and Hubert Mock of Sardinia, O., were killed instantly when the automobile in which they and two companions were riding E. O. PATTERSON

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E. O. Patterson of South Dakota. who has been appointed solicitor of the Department of the Interior by President Coolidge.

went over a grade on the Old Orevey was reached by the state board of gon trail near Unity station, about 20 health at its annual meeting at Hot miles southwest of Baker. Bradley Poston and Charles Smith were in-

Authorization for the expenditure of \$25,000 from federal highway funds for location surveys on four Oregon projects has been given by the secretary announcement made by C. B. McCull of agriculture. The highways affected are Canyon City to Burns, Sand creek to Crater lake park boundary, Wapinitia to Mount Hood national forest boundary and Heppner to Spray.

Immediate relief for 18 Oregon counties and one in Washington which have lost tax payments through the return collection of relics contained therein of the Oregon & California railroad grant lands to the federal government under the act of 1916, is provided in a bill introduced by Senator Stanfield in the senate, under which the counties affected would receive approximately \$4,911,000.

Continuing until Monday, March 15 which is the last day for filing federal income tax returns for the calendar year 1925, field deputies from the of fice of Clyde G. Huntley, collector of internal revenue at Portland, will visit the principal cities and towns of Ore gon to assist taxpayers to prepare their returns and compute the amount of tax due the government.

The damage to dining-room equipment resulting from the riot involving approximately 200 convicts in the Oregon state penitentiary at Salem will be paid out of the prisoners' amusement fund, according to announcement made by J. W. Lillie, warden of the in stitution. Warden Lillie said that it probably would require \$100 to replace the broken dishes and repair the

tables, chairs and other furnishings. Ten thousand pine trees, beetie-in fested, in the Spencer creek water sacrificed this year by three lumber concerns in a desperate effort to stam; concerns are the Weverhaeuser Tim ber company, the Long-Bell Lumber company and the Oshkosh Lumber company. It is estimated that the 10. 000 trees that must be cut represent between 8,000,000 and 10,000,000 board Southern Pacific Lines Phone 226

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feet of timber. At \$4 a thousand the Some Untaxed and \$40,000. The pine beetle control camp, composed of 20 men, has com-

Wild geese that have become in trepid and, due to the closed season, are immune from the ordinary menaces of hunters and shotguns, have made their winter home in Gilliam county, near Arlington and Blalock. A man has been employed by the game down the wheat fields in an automobile to frighten the geese away, due fields were being despoiled, but the supposed "ring." geese have become so tame that this has so far had little effect, the geese reaches from San Diego to Providence, going no further away from the fields and links up "ring" operations in New than is necessary to keep from being York, Boston, Atlantic City, Baltimore,

menced control work.

### Rum Runners Held in Federal Net

mated to be encamped in the region.

Seattle .- Roy Olmsted, former police lieutenant, and twenty other detional prohibition act in a verdict in United States district court here.

Olmsted and the others convicted are liable to a maximum fine of \$20.-000 each and four years in prison.

Among those convicted along with Olmsted were Attorney Jerry L. Finch, former deputy prosecuting attorney; E. H. McInnis, Emery A. Kern, Charles S. Green, William P. Smith, Ed Engdahl, Z. J. Hedrick and Ed Erickson, charged by the government with being operators and crews of rum running

Among those freed were Patrolman George F. Reynolds, Mrs. Elise Olmsted, wife of Roy; Wilbur E. Dow, customs house broker; John H. ("Doc") Hamilton, colored proprietor of the Barbecue Pit; C. V. Harvey, former patrolman, and a Japanese caretaker at the Olmsted home here.

.The convictions brought to a close one of the most spectacular and earnest efforts on the part of government authorities at prohibition enforcement in the northwest.

Valuable Lincoln Relics Are Found. Lincoln, Ill.-A veritable historical gold mine of original Abraham Linin 1857, was uncovered by P. M. Angle. investigator for the Lincoln Centennial the Logan county circuit court of 1857

Illicit Incomes

Liquor Sales of Big Combine Believed to Total Over Half Billion.

Cleveland, O .-- More than two weeks commission to drive constantly up and of federal grand jury investigation here into an alleged nation-wide conspiracy to violate the eighteenth to complaints received several weeks amendment, have served to show how ago from farmers that their wheat extensive were the operations of the

The chain of evidence now actually run down. In the neighbor Newark, Philadelphia, Chicago, Clevehood of 50,000 to 75,000 geese are esti- land, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth and other large cities. Stories emanating from the district

attorney's office from time to time indicate the following operations of the "rum ring": The conspiracy was headed by four

Philadelphia millionaires.

Associated with the millionaires fendants were convicted on two counts were 30 others who controlled 75 per charging conspiracy to violate the na. cent of the alcohol business in the United States, regulating the price from coast to coast.

Fifteen distilleries were operated by the "ring," producing \$1,000,000 worth of alcohol each week at distillery prices.

The output was sold to wholesalers for \$140,000,000 a year, and retailing at \$10 to \$20 a gallon, brought the country's alcohol bill for liquor from this one source to more than \$500,000,000 a year.

Hunter Confesses Slaying Warden.

Newport, Wash.-Roland van Blaricom, one of two brothers held here charged with the murder of Edward Jarrish, deputy game warden, confessed the slaying to officers. He said he shot Jarrish accidentally while trying to frighten him. Confronted with the confession of his elder brother, Everett van Blaricom, denied any knowledge of the killing. The confession followed an exhibition of the rifle found near the scene of the killing.

Damages Awarded for Two Deaths. McMinnville, Or .- Damages of \$11,-500 were awarded Edith and Matilda Hamilton, administratrices of the escoln documents, made out in his hand tates of George O and Frank E. Hamwriting, and heretofore believed to lin against James S. Trent by the jury. have been burned in a courthouse fire George and Frank Hamlin, Portland men, died from buckshot wounds received on the night of September 15, association, from the musty files of 1925, from the gun of Trent, who believed they had been in his watermelon patch.

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