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OREGON NEWS ITEMS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

Brief Resume of Happenings of the Week Collected for Our Readers.

A war on diphtheria is being waged in Coos county and the county health service is watching every avenue for symptoms.

Representatives from 13 Red Cross chapters in eastern and central Oregon met in Bend Monday and Tuesday for a regional conference.

The community chest plan for raising funds for benevolent and charitable purposes was adopted by the Roseburg chamber of commerce.

Six garages and two automobiles were burned in a fire which swept through the buildings owned by the Algoma lumber company at Algoma.

The Associated General Contractors' executive board voted at Dallas, Tex., to hold its annual meeting in Portland. The session will be held in January, 1926.

A 10 per cent increase in postal receipts at the Eugene office during September this year over the same month last year was reported by Darwin E. Moran, postmaster.

Apple picking in the vicinity of Elgin is now in full swing. There are approximately 200 persons employed in the various orchards and in the three packing plants in Elgin.

E. N. Clark of Portland, district manager of the Missouri Paint and Varnish company, was killed when his automobile turned turtle on the Pacific highway about 10 miles south of Salem.

Through the efforts of S. H. Boardman and Carl Doring, Boardman is to have a golf course which will soon be in readiness. The course is being laid out opposite the railroad station at Measner.

A total of 9149 China pheasants and 614 Hungarian partridges have been liberated from the three state game farms so far this year, according to the September report of E. F. Averill, game warden.

After crossing the continent in 11 days traveling time by automobile, Representative Sinnott of The Dalles is in Washington, D. C., to begin work in preparation for the meeting of congress in December.

A joint commission, including members of the federal farm loan board and members of the house and senate banking and currency committees, will visit Portland, October 23, during an inspection trip through the northwest.

William Wellman, age 65, farmer residing east of Silverton, was unloading rock from the rear of a wagon backed to the brink of a 150-foot cliff. The horses started and he was pitched over the cliff. Death was instantaneous.

R. E. Weniger, sheriff of Shoshone county, Idaho, and Charles J. Bloom, deputy sheriff, arrived in Eugene to take charge of Ernest Aello, 20, who was arrested in a railway construction camp above Oakridge on a charge of murder.

Two hundred seventy-one more pupils had enrolled in the Eugene schools during September this year than in the month last year, according to a report issued by David J. Jones, city superintendent. The total registration is now 3407.

I. C. Russell, 30, of North Albany, a lineaman for the Mountain States Power company, dropped lifeless into the arms of his brother, who was working just below him on a pole at Shedd. The man had touched a high voltage wire and was killed instantly.

By an overwhelming majority the people of Medford at a special election voted for a new \$975,000 city water system with a source at Big Butte springs, more than 30 miles away. A bond issue of \$50,000 for a new temporary city hall was also voted.

Of 43,721 tourist automobiles inspected at the station at Baker, more than 50 per cent were operated by persons who were either "dead broke" or on short rations, according to a report filed with Governor Pierce by H. H. Weatherspoon, commissioner for the fifth horticultural district.

A crash between a Troutdale interurban street car and an automobile at Arata station, near Portland, resulted in the death of the three occupants of the auto. The dead are J. R. Grathwohl, 36, farmer; Alta Grathwohl, 19, his wife, and Betty Grathwohl, their 2-year-old daughter.

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OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Principal Events of the Week Briefly Sketched for Information of Our Readers.

Verne C. Gorst, of North Bend, pioneer in motor and aerial transportation circles, will receive the contract for carrying air mail over the branch line from Los Angeles to Seattle with a stop at Portland if he can satisfy the postoffice department he has means available to establish and operate such a line successfully.

As a result of interest payments, expenses and various items, the state's general fund after January 1 will probably be the smallest in 10 years. This is asserted by State Treasurer Kay in commenting upon the withdrawal in September of more than \$2,000,000 of the general fund on deposit in various banks in Oregon.

Thousands of ducks and geese lie dead in Tule lake as a result of a strange, maldy, believed induced either by alkali water or by rank, stagnant ponds. To cope with the situation the United States biological survey has been notified, and will conduct an examination to determine what is the cause of the wholesale deaths.

Plans for the new St. Helens pulp and paper mill to be built at St. Helens by a company in which the Hawley Pulp & Paper company of Oregon City holds the majority of the stock, will be drawn at once. Ground then will be broken and it is expected that the first unit of the plant, costing \$1,500,000, will be ready for operation in November, 1926.

Robert N. Stanfield, United States senator, conferred with farmers along the River road north of Eugene Saturday regarding means of curbing the overflow of the Willamette river during freshet seasons. During the past few years the water has been washing away considerable land and it was hoped that some means might be provided to construct a breakwater to prevent it.

Oregon pensions have been granted as follows: Samuel J. Grimer, Portland, \$15 per month; Fred Hargreaves, Portland, \$12; Marvin W. Joy, St. Johns, Portland, \$12; Eliza A. Obert, Milton, \$20; Morris A. G. Christenson, Eugene, \$12; Bela H. Zimmerman, Strassel, \$12; Silvey Wood, Junction City, \$18; Charles L. Stephens, Banks, \$12; Henry M. Marsh, Medford, \$24; Johanna C. Perry, Salem, \$20.

A heavy snow storm early in the week, which turned into a hard rain, following several other such storms at Crater lake national park recently, caused all paving work for the winter to be called off. The various camp tents were struck and equipment stored until the paving work, which will probably last nearly all next summer, can be resumed next spring or early summer, weather permitting.

The Oregon-California Hydro-electric company of Portland has been granted a preliminary permit for two years for a power project on Zig Zag, Salmon and Sandy rivers in Clackamas county, the federal power commission has announced. The project consists of diversion dams, a storage dam, conduits, and a power house. The estimated capacity of the project is 23,000 horsepower and the installed capacity 70,000 horsepower.

The action of Governor Pierce in vetoing the much-discussed special election measure passed by the 1925 legislature was upheld in a decision by Justice Brown following mandamus proceedings in the Oregon supreme court. The decision follows the action filed by Representative Swan of Albany, who had demanded that Secretary of State Koser comply with the provisions of the act as passed by both houses. Secretary Koser assumed the position that he could not authorize a special election after Governor Pierce had vetoed the bill.

Hydro-electric power, state-owned and operated, became a possible problem for Oregon voters with the filing of a proposed constitutional amendment with the secretary of state at Salem. The measure was presented by the Housewives' Council, Inc. of Portland, through Josephine M. Othas, president; Clara M. Shonston, director, and Mary A. Dean, chairman of the legislative committee. The proposition presents a plan for promoting hydro-electric power development, control and distribution, financed and protected by the state.

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