

To Klamath Falls—Fred Clingling left Saturday evening for Klamath Falls where he will spend a ten days vacation.

Fined For Speeding—A \$10 fine was given B. Woods Saturday morning for speeding on East Main Street. The offense occurred Friday night.

Go To Coast—Dr. and Mrs. Pollard and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hughes spent the week end at coast points. They drove to Cushman and Florence, going Saturday afternoon and returning Monday.

FOR SALE—Small house and lot on north Fifth. Very cheap if sold at once; must go South for my health; Address 20 News Office.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness and sympathy in our bereavement. Loretta Simonson Flora Winter Emma Prince

Visits Parents—Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hukkanan and son Earl of Portland were here Saturday visiting Mrs. Hukkanan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ditto. Both Mr. and Mrs. Hukkanan are former residents of Springfield and attended the local high school.

CALL AND SEE Dr. N. W. Emery on prices on plate and other work. if

OREGON NEWS ITEMS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

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

Oiling of the Mount Hood loop highway has been completed.

Clackamas county had 29 divorces in June, according to reports on file.

At a regular meeting of the Newport city council Miss Ada Ford was elected city recorder.

Building permits issued in Salem during the first six months of 1926 aggregate \$1,458,929.

All firemen and lookouts in the Santiam forest are now at their stations, according to Supervisor C. C. Hall.

Plans for financing and reopening the Sumpter smelter are being developed. It is planned to begin operations October 1.

Oregon finished 15th among the states of the union in the nation-wide membership contest conducted by the American Legion.

With the termination of the cereal year June 30, there had been exported from Portland 17,269,538 bushels of wheat, valued at \$25,690,254.

A revision of the Oregon game code will be sought when the legislature convenes in January, according to E. F. Averill, state game warden.

Forty-four dentists have been admitted to practice in Oregon as the result of recent examinations conducted by the Oregon state board of dental examiners.

Collections in the Oregon customs district for the year ending June 30 were \$1,258,162, establishing a new high mark. Receipts for the month of June were \$139,645.

The interstate commerce commission has granted the Central Pacific railway an extension to November 1 in which to construct its proposed Eugene-Klamath Falls railway.

Forest fires which have menaced millions of feet of white pine timber adjacent to Klamath Falls are now under control and fire fighters have nearly all been relieved from duty.

Mandamus proceedings to compel Secretary of State Kozler to include the water power bill initiated by the housewives council of Portland, on the November ballot are to be instituted at once.

Consolidation of the first and second Portland districts, corps of engineers, U. S. A., has been carried out under date of July 1 and the future designation is to be Portland, Oregon, Engineer district.

In a telegram to the Prairie Power company at Canyon City the public service commission gave that corporation 24 hours in which to install emergency equipment to relieve electrical power shortage there.

The validity of a Salem city ordinance levying a tax against stages, taxicabs and busses operating over the streets of the city was attacked in an injunction suit filed in the circuit court by the Oregon Stages, Inc.

Roy C. Hogan, 45, at Eugene, shot and killed his wife, Mrs. Clara C. Hogan, 40, fatally wounded her brother, Chester D. Edwards, 54, and then turned his revolver upon himself and killed himself instantly by sending a bullet through his brain.

Twenty-five acres of wheat were burned near Vanvycle from fire which is thought to have been caused by a cigarette falling in a hay wagon. The farm hands jumped from the load and the frightened horses raced through the field, spreading the fire.

Harvest of winter wheat, oats and barley is becoming more general, with yields varying from very poor to excellent, says the weekly crop summary of the weather bureau. The extreme heat caused rapid ripening of winter grains and was unfavorable for grain not already fully developed.

F. J. Burns, who has been on the staff of the Oregon public service commission for the past five years as examiner and rate expert, has resigned to accept a position as traffic manager for the Oregon Stage Lines, Inc. Burns will be succeeded with the commission by A. F. Harvey of Portland.

A total of approximately \$218,000 will be distributed to employers who are contributors to the state industrial accident fund through the annual dividend of 10 per cent declared by the accident commission. The refund will be based on the contributions made by each employer during the year.

That the railroads affected by the recent order of the interstate commerce commission covering railroad construction in central Oregon, are not complying with the terms of the order, but are deliberately side-stepping the issue and postponing action to the great detriment of the entire state of Oregon was charged by the Oregon public service commission, in a telegram sent to the interstate commerce commission.

Four initiative measures, including two on income tax, one on fishing and one on bus and truck operation, will be placed on the November election ballot, five failed to obtain places and the fate of another was in doubt, when filing time for the petitions closed at Salem July 1. The measure in doubt was the water power bill sponsored by the Housewives Council of Portland.

Irrigation projects in Oregon are faced with the most serious water shortage in the history of irrigation in this state, according to Rhea Laper, state engineer. The only projects which still have an adequate supply of water are those with storage facilities. Virtually all of the shortage is being experienced by projects and individuals depending upon the direct flow of streams, such streams in Oregon at this time, being at an unusually low stage.

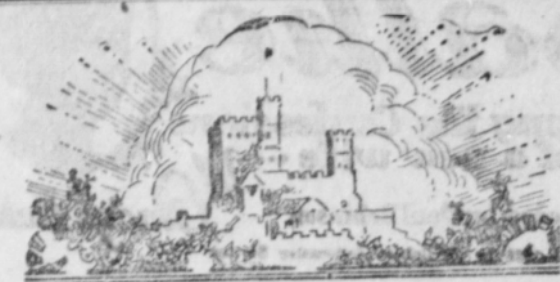
Two new gold strikes have brought the gold fever at Grants Pass to a higher pitch than ever. The Brittany mine strike, eight miles west of Kerby, was made on a vein five feet wide, carrying free gold in quartz resembling the Robertson ore at Galice. The second strike was in the Afterthought mine in Jackson county, near Applegate postoffice. The ore is not as rich as that of the Brittany or Robertson strikes, but carries free gold which owners state runs several hundred dollars to the ton.

Taking a ladder which was being used on construction work at the rear of the state flax plant and working within view of at least three guard towers, four convicts scaled the wall of the state prison at Salem, cut their way through the wire entanglements surrounding the wall with a hatchet and escaped unseen. The four are: Richard Moore, sent up from Multnomah county; Walter Fisher, sent up from Jefferson county; Elliott Mitchener and Richard Franzien, sent up from Multnomah county.

Oregon monthly pensions have been granted as follows: Portland: William W. McIntosh, \$25; Fred L. Cowles, \$20; Leon W. Slattery, \$20; Francis W. Huntington, \$40; Percy B. Gibson, \$30; Aaron Hart, \$40; Ida A. Leighner, \$20; James H. Loshbough; Archibald R. Wright, \$25; Albert T. Anderson, \$20; Alfred S. Johnson, \$20; Victor Lindburg, \$20; William H. Farrington, \$30; Louis F. Rollwage, Tigard, \$20; Grant McClellan, Reedsport, \$20; Charles W. Johnson, Oswego, \$25; William E. Lamb, Roseburg, \$40; Daniel Conner, \$20.

An intensive survey of approximately 60,000 acres of yellow pine in the country south of Bend recently tapped by the Eugene-Klamath Falls line of the Southern Pacific is to be made this summer under the supervision of Fred A. Matz of the district forest office. He will be assisted by student foresters from universities and colleges in various parts of the United States. The primary purpose of the survey is to obtain accurate data relative to the amount and types of timber in the area just south of Crescent. The work is to start shortly.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Small Floral Sprays. 736 G. St. Phone 107J July 8-15-22 29. Stop Here—Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bressler of Cottage Grove were here Monday on their way to Belknap Springs for the holiday. Mr. Bressler was formerly in the hardware business in Springfield.



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RESOURCES table with 15 items including Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, U.S. government securities, Other bonds, Banking house, Real estate, Cash on hand, Total assets.

LIABILITIES table with 16 items including Capital Stock Paid, Surplus fund, Demand deposits, Time and savings deposits, Notes and bills rediscounted.

State of Oregon, County of Lane, ss. I, C. E. Kenyon, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. C. E. KENYON, Cashier.

Charter No. 8941 Reserve District No. 12

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE First National Bank At Springfield, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business on June 30, 1926

RESOURCES table with 10 items including Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, U.S. Government securities, Other bonds, Real estate, Cash in vault, Checks on other banks, Total last two items.

LIABILITIES table with 10 items including Capital stock paid, Surplus fund, Circulating notes, Demand deposits, Certificates of deposit, Time deposits, Total.

State of Oregon, County of Lane, ss. I, Lloyd C. Martin, Cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. LLOYD C. MARTIN, Cashier.

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