

# This Week



By Arthur Brisbane

## GOOD LENDING.

GOV. SMITH—MR. McADOO.  
IF CARNEGIE.  
1,000,000,000 FOR GOLF.

If North and South America cannot set before the rest of the world an example of peace and common sense, something is wrong with North or South America. This year the Latin Republic will spend \$100,000,000 developing railroads, and most of the money will be borrowed in the United States. Chile is negotiating a \$40,000,000 loan in New York to electrify the Chilean State Railways. Apparently those South American republics have public officials sufficiently honest and competent to manage State railways.

The financing of desirable industrial enterprises in South America by United States banks is a useful investment for American money.

When Andrew Carnegie sold his mills to United States Steel he would accept only special bonds, wouldn't take preferred stock as a gift, laughed at the common stock saying it wasn't even water, it was "air." Recent figures would surprise and probably annoy Mr. Carnegie's Scotch thrift. The steel company in 1926 earned \$199,004,741, enough to pay \$17.96 a share on the common stock, a new record of peace-time prosperity in the steel business.

One billion dollars will be spent on new golf courses and clubhouses this year, including the cost of 1,000 new golf clubs starting and maintenance of old clubs. If the nation could build a thousand new flying machines, one for each new golf club, to protect the links and placid gentlemen playing on them, it would be a good thing.

Dry raiders seize \$25,000 worth of "blending" machinery used to manufacture benedictine, chartreuse, and other liqueurs. The "blending" has been going on, full blast, for four months. Many an American has damaged his mucous membrane, absorbing the product of that machinery.

Governor Ritchie, of Maryland, himself widely discussed in connection with the Democratic Presidential nomination, says Governor Smith, of New York, "is the outstanding Democrat in the United States."

On the other hand, Mr. Milton, editor of the Chattanooga News says William G. McAdoo is the only man for Democrats to nominate. Mr. Milton says Governor Smith cannot be nominated because "the country is seventy per cent dry, and no wet can be elected to the Presidency." Governor Smith's friends say, "wait, and see."

John D. Rockefeller still has the New York Stock Exchange seat that he bought in 1853, forty-four years ago. He never uses it, keeps it perhaps to remind him of old days when he was making money for himself before he began spending his millions in Rockefeller Foundations, institutes, fighting disease—for other people.

That seat, which probably cost Mr. Rockefeller less than \$50,000 he could sell now for \$180,000. If he holds it a little longer, it will be worth \$200,000.

Russian husbands and wives will be interested in their mail from now on. For a divorce you simply notify the authorities that you want it, then send word to your better half through the post office and that settles it. You are divorced.

In China the thing is more serious. The natives hate strangers as cats hate dogs. They are tired of watching foreigners spend money, having courts and territory of their own, and are glad when the time comes to murder a few. The murdering seems to be close at hand.

Uncle Sam has some of his ships here, and unpleasant news may be expected.

After the Boxer rebellion, when the other nations compelled the Chinese to pay millions in damages, this nation handed the money back.

But that won't help our popularity. When Europe was in trouble, Uncle Sam sent an army of two million men, five thousand million dollars, and other thousands of millions since.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the many friends and neighbors for their kind acts and words of sympathy during the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother. Also for the many beautiful floral offerings.

Mr. L. W. Elliott, and family.

R. Vasby III—R. Vasby is reported seriously ill with influenza.



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## OREGON NEWS ITEMS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

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

Quail and China pheasants have been killed near Wapinitia in considerable numbers by the recent cold weather. With temperatures ranging from 30 to 40 degrees below zero at the peak of the storm, cattle have suffered greatly.

A survey of the broccoli fields of Douglas county indicates that but little damage to the crop was occasioned by the recent freezing weather. During the cold spell growers were greatly worried for fear that there would be a heavy loss.

The Florence State bank was robbed last week by a lone, unmasked man of about \$12,000. Miss Harriet Weatherston, cashier, was alone in the bank at the time and was locked in the vault after the robber had taken all the money in sight.

Charles Cleveland of Gresham was appointed by Governor Patterson a member of the state fair board to succeed Horace Addis. Mr. Cleveland is mayor of Gresham and chairman of the building committee of the Multnomah county fair board.

The new ski course has been completed at Swim, one-half mile beyond Government camp, according to word received in Portland recently. The course is 12 feet wide and more than one-quarter mile long. It has a jump near the end of the course.

Registration of men and women at the University of Oregon is nearly equal, according to the report of Virginia Judy Esterly, dean of women. The total number of women registered amounts to 1256, only 168 less than the number of men enrolled.

William Penn Small, 83, civil war veteran, died last week at his home in north Albany. He was among the first to respond when President Lincoln called for 75,000 volunteers at the beginning of the civil war, and took part in most of the prominent battles, serving four years. Mr. Small came to Oregon in 1888. On December 8, 1926, he and Mrs. Small celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary.

A market which pays 40 cents a pound for dried rabbit pelts has been found, according to Ira N. Gabrielson, in charge of rodent control work in Oregon. This will make extermination of the pests in eastern Oregon profitable. Hundreds of thousands of rabbits have been killed and thrown away in eastern Oregon drives during past winters.

Oregon stands 15 on the list of states in exports of merchandise in the third quarter of 1926. On the second quarter of the year it was 19, having now passed Minnesota, Georgia, Maryland and Indiana. Oregon's exports for the third quarter aggregated \$23,378,000, almost 100 per cent over the previous quarter, when the figures were \$12,378,000.

Oregon monthly pensions have been granted as follows: Plumer B. Corder, Portland, \$30; Lizzie N. Bradley, Portland, \$30; Thaddeus E. Herder, Portland, \$30; Meta Wright Flood, Portland, \$30; Lloyd Weltner, Portland, \$20; Joseph E. Torbet, Brownsville, \$20; Henrietta Doremus, Westlinn, \$30; Thomas Baldwin, Days Creek, \$65; Charles A. Garfield, Portland, \$30; Jesse H. Legg, Portland, \$20; Lydia A. Carpenter, \$30.

### "The Government"



This youth, A. W. Gregg, 27 years old, directs the government's case against Henry Ford Company stockholders, in its suit to collect \$36,000,000 taxes. He is opposed by two former presidential candidates, Charles Evans Hughes and John W. Davis, for the defense.

Staying at Walthamville—Mrs. May Craft has gone to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Trotter of Walthamville, and will remain there during her recovery from a recent illness.

Here From Jasper—Mr. and Mrs. Lew Wallace of Jasper were visitors here Tuesday.

In From Point—W. F. McFarland of Judds Point paid Springfield a business visit Wednesday.



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### SPRINGFIELD R. N. A. TO ENTERTAIN VISITORS

One hundred delegates will be entertained by the Springfield Royal Neighbors at the district convention to be conducted here February 16. It was stated at a meeting of the local lodge at the home of Mrs. W. H. Stearmer yesterday. Eugene, Creswell, Cottage Grove, and Marcola will be represented. Drill work at the convention will be in charge of the Eugene delegation.

Leaburg Man Here—Jack Montgomery of Leaburg was a Springfield visitor today.

Emery in Town—P. H. Emery of Douglas Gardens paid Springfield a business visit today.

### FOR SALE

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For Sale—Five room house, good barn, large hen house, all kinds of fruit and berries. The house is completely furnished and has two acres of good land right in city limits for \$3000.

Business For Sale—Service Station doing largest business in Lane county.

Bowling Alley, in good small town.

Trade—Six-room House and two lots on paved street to trade for small up to \$4000.

Springfield is going to have the Woolen Mills. So if you want to buy some good building lots come in and let us show them to you.

For Rent—I have houses and apartments both furnished and unfurnished.

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### Swims to Fortune



George Young, 17 year old Canadian swimmer, who by his great feat in the Catalina channel swim for \$25,000, is now besieged with offers of money and athletic offers which promise to net him a fortune far beyond his wildest dreams.

Here From Wendling—Mrs. D. E. Deadman of Wendling was a Springfield visitor Tuesday.

Here From Jasper—A. G. Schweiger of Jasper paid Springfield business visit yesterday.

Here From Donna—W. H. Smith of Donna was a business visitor here this morning.

### Health Crusade On

A health crusade will be started Monday in the Prattian school rooms, to continue for three months. Credits for performance of health chores will be given as an inducement for the establishment of good health habits among the children, according to Mrs. Ora Read Hemenway, principal of the school.

### NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON EXECUTION IN FORECLOSURE

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution and order of sale in foreclosure issued out of the Circuit Court of Lane County, Oregon, on the 31st day of January, 1927, in a suit wherein on the 28th day of January, 1927, in said court Fred H. Lindsay, Plaintiff, recovered judgment against the defendants Ted McKy and Grace McKy for the sum of \$506.67 with interest thereon at 7 per cent per annum from March 18, 1926 and for the sum of \$85.00 attorneys fees, and the costs and disbursements herein in the sum of \$20.40, which judgment was enrolled and docketed in the Clerk's office of said Court in said County on the 28th day of January, 1927, and said execution to me directed commanding me in the name of the State of Oregon, in order to satisfy said judgment, interest, attorneys fees, costs of suit and accruing costs to sell the following described real property, to-wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner of lot 6, block 20 in Fairmont according to the original plat thereof and running thence West 53 1/3 feet, thence south 103 feet, thence east 53 1/3 feet, thence north 103 feet to the place of beginning together with the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining, all being in Eugene, Lane County, Oregon, subject to mortgage lien of defendant Continental Life Insurance Company, a corporation.

Now, therefore, in the name of the State of Oregon, in compliance with said execution and order of sale and in order to satisfy said judgment, interest, attorneys fees, costs of suit and accruing costs, I will on Saturday the 12th day of March, 1927, at the hours of one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Southwest front door of the County Court House, in Eugene, Lane County, Oregon, offer for sale and sell for cash, at public auction, subject to redemption as provided by law, all of the right title and interest of said defendants Ted McKy and Grace McKy and the Continental Life Insurance Company, a corporation, and all persons claiming by, through or under them or any or either of them in and to said premises.

FRANK E. TAYLOR, Sheriff,  
Lane County, Oregon.  
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