OREGON STATE NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST

A strike that may prove of excep tional value was made the past week by A. C. and C. C. Davidson at their ephine county. The ore is yielding as aunt, Mrs. L. K. Page. high as \$10 in gold to the pan.

In accordance with the recommendation of the Oregon state board of hor friends and relatives. ticulture and the Oregon state college extension service, in a county-wide county has practically completed the spend the past week-end. spraying of cherry trees.

J. Harrison, who resides on Morripart of Evans creek, was in Medford last week exhibiting a teaspoonful of quicksilver which he had retorted;

Cut-worms are found on several of the farms in the Coquille valley, mainly in the bottom lands, Harvey S. Hale, Coos county agent, said. There are two varieties, the climbing species and the ordinary variety, both of to farmers.

Checks totaling close to \$2000 belonging to O. V. Myers, Medford automobile dealer, accidentally taken when a demonstrating cash register was removed from his office last week by a saleman, were returned Monday after the salesman had reached Klamath Falls.

Oregon's jails and prisons than at any day. time in the history of the state, according to a survey conducted by Henry Meyers, superintendent of the Oregon state penitentiary. A total of 713 prisoners were housed in the state

Frederick Griswold, 5, son of S. A. 75 feet above the south fork of the on the beach at Newport. Coquille river and landed in the stream. He was taken to the Myrtle Point hospital where it was found he had suffered no injuries other than scalp wounds.

Concrete mile posts for The Dalles-California highway, giving mileage from the junction of The Dalles-California and Columbia highways to the Oregon-California line, are being placare three-sided with beveled edges.

The Hunt Bros. cannery at Salem set a new record last Tuesday and Tuesday night when it packed 12,719 cases of fruit. This was said to be the largest 24-hour pack of any cannery in the history of the state. Previous to Tuesday the average 24-hour pack was slightly less than 10,000

Disposal of a 500-ton pool of Wasco can Fruit company, Inc., was announced by members of The Dalles Cooperative Growers' association last week. The apricot crop is the heaviest in history this year, and the total yield will be around 850 tons it is estimated.

The Oregon state library, under a recent federal enactment reducing postal rates on books sent from and returned to free public libraries, will of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. cording to Miss Cornelia Marvin, state librarian. The Oregon state library in Mr. and Mrs. Glen Taylor. The fami-

Proposals were opened recently by the United States bureau of public roads for grading the Cascadia-Ranger station section of the Santiam highway in Linn county, approximately three miles in length. Improvement of this section will complete the Santiam highway from Albany to Ranger station.

The final dividend in liquidation of the First State & Savings bank of Klamath Falls was paid last week, according to announcement made by A. A. Schramm, state superintendent of banks. Approximately \$139,297.84 will be distributed among 1915 claimants. The bank was closed January 28, 1922.

Lack of passenger patronage threatens removal of one of the two passenger trains the Southern Pacific runs to the Marshfield territory. It was said the late train leaving Portland for Coos bay will be taken off, and the one running opposite from there at 9 A. M. will also be discontinued, probably after July 22.

Gold Hill is to have a new foot-passenger swinging bridge to span Rogue river in the center of the city at the site of the old bridge, which was washed out two years ago during the winter flood. The local chamber of commerce has appointed a committee to provide ways and means for immediate construction of the structure.

At the end of the first half of the year La Grande building permits had reached a total of \$150,975. Those in close touch with construction plans here expected a quarter of a million dollars' worth of new work to be completed before 1929.

TOWN AND VICINITY

Visiting in Coburg-Miss Nellie ing Cornelia Coleman in Coburg.

Visiting With Aunt-Miss Muriel mine in the Althouse district of Jos Klatz of Weiser, Idaho, is visiting her

> Here on Furlough-Johnny Bench is here on a furlough visiting with

campaign against the fruit fly, Union Henry Adrian drove to Salem to

Back from Portland-L. K. Page returned to his home here this week son creek, a tributary of the upper after serving on the federal grand jury in Portland.

Visits from Portland-Mrs. Roy from a new discovery he has made a Smith was here from Portland this aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. few miles north of the War Eagle week. She will return Friday to be Barnell. with her husband, who is ill there.

> Leave for Coast-Mr. and Mrs. Delbert McBee left Tuesday evening for Ed Jorgens of Roseburg stopped in Marshfield where they will visit with Springfield Saturday to visit with

Return from Vacation-Mr. and which are causing considerable loss Mrs. Clarence James returned last week-end from Newport after enjoying a vacation on the beach.

> vallis returned to his home last weekend after visiting his mother, Mrs. Charles Scott for several days.

Buys Residence Here-D. H. Rem-

Drive to Newport-Mr. and Mrs. Chester Elspas and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Griswold of Powers, fell from a cliff Smith and family spent the week-end district deputy grand master of the

> Petersons Return Friday-Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Peterson who have been in the east for the past month are expected to return here Friday afternoon or evening. Mr. Peterson will resume his duties in the city record- ing at the home of Mrs. Kathryn Duner's office Saturday.

New Residents Here-Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Panage will reside here shortly. ed this week by state highway depart- Mr. Panage is already here and his ment maintenance crews. The posts family will arrive soon to make their home at the corner of Eight and A

> Return from South-Mr. and Mrs. Morris Berg and daughter, June, returned Monday from Gold Hill where they visited Mrs. Berg's relatives dur-Caves while south.

Drove to Summit-Mr. and Mrs. E. county apricots through the Ameri- D. Eggimann who are visiting here from Fort Wayne, Indiana, Mrs. C. F. day they drove to Belknap Springs.

> Portland People Here - Mr. and Mrs. Horace Wakefield and children visited in Springfield yesterday with They will return to Portland by way of Bend and Hood River

New York Woman In-Miss Marg-Stuart is spending a few days visit- aret Dickey of New York City, who is visiting relatives at Jasper this field today. summer, was here for medical atten-

wick was formerly Martha Lake.

Here from Portland-Mr. and Mrs. James Fox of Portland arrived here week-end visiting with friends and re-

Leaves for Home-Horace Spencer left today for his home in the Alsea district after visiting here with his

Roseburg People Here-Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Lane friends. They were enroute to the McKenzie country for the week-end.

Leave for Nebraska-Mr. and Mrs. Star 4-door Sedan Tom Sweeney and son, Sam, and | Chevrolet Sedan, 4 door daughter, Thelma and grand-daughter, Chevrolet Spt. Roadster LaVerne Rugh, have left for Nebraska Buick Sport Touring Visits Mother-Walter Scott of Cor- by car. They will be gone several Buick Sport Roadster

Morgans Have Trip-Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Morgan and children have Drive to Capitol--C. C. Leonard of returned from a 10-day trip to points Medford and Dallas Murphy of this in Washington. They visited with More prisoners are now confined in city drove to Salem on business Sun- relatives in Seattle, Davenport and

> Here from Corvallis-Mrs. Grace pel has purchased a residence on Beals and daughter, Agnes, were here Now is the time to SAVE MONEY Main street from T. M. White of this week to attend the funeral of the former's grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Lyons.

> > Alds Coburg Lodge-Oswald Olson, I. O. O. F. lodge, installed officers of the 'Coburg lodge Tuesday evening. He was assisted by five deputies from the local lodge of Odd Fellows.

> > Seattle Woman Visits-Miss Fern Smith of Seattle, who has been visitcan for the past week left Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Duncan for a motor trip to Salem and Portland.

Idaho People Here-Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ingram and children of Twin Falls, Idaho, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Valentine this week. Mrs. Ingram is a neice of Mrs. Valentine.

Former Resident Visits - Robert Schmitz, former resident of this city, ing the holiday and over the week- and his brother-in-law, John Ritcher, end. They spent a day at the Oregon are visiting friends here for several days. Mr. Schmitz was a resident

Eggimann and George Perkins drove Girl Scouts will discuss plans for their to the summit yesterday afternoon, summer camp at a meeting set for The visitors were impressed with the 7 o'clock this evening in the chamber lava beds and other scenery along of commerce rooms. The camp will the McKenzie highway. Later in the probably be held next month, scout

Petersone Enjoying Trip-Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Peterson, who are on an extended trip in the east are enjoysave approximately \$3000 annually, ac- Loomis of Vancouver, Washington, ing their vacation, according to a card received by The Springfield News this week. The card was writ-1927 sent out 23631 packages of lies drove up the McKenzie river ten from Charleston, North Carolina where they will camp for several days. on July 1 and stated that the local people were to leave the next day for Washington, D. C.

Murphy in Ashland-D. B. Murphy MRS. VAN VALZAH TO drove to Ashland Wednesday. He took Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Mitchell, who have been visiteing their daughter, Mrs. Murphy, to their home and brought his mother, Mrs. I. E. Murphy and sister, Hazel Murphy, to Spring-

Johnny Bench III-Johnny Bench, here on a furlough from the navy to meeting of the organization Monday Back from Dakota-Mr. and Mrs. visit his parents, was taken suddenly Roy R. Worswick returned last week- ill Monday and sent to the Facific alternate to the convention. end from North Dakota where they Christian hospital for treatment. His spent their honeymoon. Mrs. Wors- condition improved later in the week and he was returned to his parents' home here.

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REPRESENT WOMEN'S ORDER AT MEETING

Mrs. Bernice Van Valzah will represent the auxiliary of the American Legion post of Springfield at the state convention to be held in Medford August 2-4, it was decided at a called Mrs. William Vasby was elected

Four Springfield auxiliary members will go to Salem July 21 to greet Mrs. Irene McIntyre Waidridge, national president, who is paying her official visit to Oregon on that date. A last Saturday afternoon to spend the FOR SALE-Carbon paper in large luncheon at noon will be followed by a reception program and later the officer will speak.

> Mrs. Van Valzah, Mrs. F. B. Hamlin, Mrs. M. B. Huntly and Mrs. Frank Deeds will make the trip.

MILL MAN'S FOOT HURT AS MILL WHISTLE BLOWS

R C. Richardson, an employe of the Booth-Kelly Lumber company at the mill here, received an injury to his foot just as the 5 o'clock whistle \$ 250 \$ 195 at the mill blew last Friday.

He was holding a timber when the 295 whistle blew and automatically let 295 it drop, not being able to get his foot 465 out of the way before the board 585 struck it.

He walked to a physician's office 685 before he was aware that any bones 895 were broken.

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