

### OREGON STATE NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST

#### Principal Events of the Week Assembled for Information of Our Readers.

The drilling of a well for the Gervais water system has been completed.

The semi-annual report of the county clerk's office shows that the financial condition of Jackson county is healthy.

The heat wave has eliminated aphid in the walnut orchards of Marion county, according to announcement of growers.

The new Hotel Redmond, a \$250,000 structure recently erected in Redmond, held its formal opening to the public July 26 and 27.

Bills for road work in Columbia county during the month of June passed at the July term of the county court, totaled \$45,795.

The Lane county fair grounds are now being used by the Bible Standard churches from all over the coast for a camp-meeting place.

A new tourist record was established at Ashland recently when 316 cars, representing 13 states, were registered at the camp grounds.

Receipts of the United States land office at Roseburg for the fiscal year ended June 30 were \$669,161.13, according to the report just completed.

Lane county's 1928 filbert crop will be practically double that of last year, when 20,000 pounds were gathered. This year's crop is estimated at 40,000 pounds.

Owing to a disagreement with Mayor J. B. Messick, who appointed him in December, 1926, M. L. Stout has resigned as chief of police at Baker.

The Eugene school budget for 1928-29 of \$308,582.25 and a tax levy of \$200,475.70 were passed upon favorably at a special election. Less than 200 votes were cast.

Thieves with a motor truck forced the back door of the Armory Service station of Medford and stole the entire tire stock of the establishment, amounting to \$1500.

New instruments for weather observing are to be supplied to the Eugene weather observer, in order to make more accurate checks for the United States air mail.

The Santiam river road, which has been in process of construction, is now completed to a point eight miles above Detroit. The road is being built by the federal forest bureau.

A new addition to the Salem post office, to cost approximately \$20,000, will be erected during the present year, according to announcement received from Washington, D. C.

Senator Charles L. McNary spent a day last week at Newport, inspecting the harbor and conferring with federal engineers with relation to the proposed extension of the jetty.

Oceanside in Tillamook county has been chosen as the camp site for the Marion county Y. M. C. A. boys' summer camp this year. About 60 Marion county boys will be accommodated.

Loss from the Glendale fire, which destroyed all the business section of that city with the exception of three buildings, has been set at \$125,000 by B. L. Barry, fire insurance adjuster.

Cottage Grove has but three Civil War veterans surviving, as a result of the death of Reason Gray Elliott, 85. His three compatriots participated in funeral services for the aged veteran.

The Salem chamber of commerce filed with the public service commission a request that it be allowed to intervene in the so-called cross-state railroad case which will be heard in Portland.

A life-size portrait of Ex-Governor Walter M. Pierce, authorized by the 1927 legislature, has been completed and will be given a place with the portraits of all his predecessors in the halls of the state capitol.

People of Burns, Canyon City, John Day and other communities met at Devine Canyon and dedicated a monument on the Joaquin Miller trail. Judge R. W. Sawyer and Lewis A. McArthur were the speakers.

Properties of the Oregon state game commission, exclusive of its real estate holdings, were valued at \$201,284 at the end of June, it is disclosed in an inventory just completed by Harold Clifford, state game warden.

Ratings on the dairies that supply Portland with milk will be made but once a year from now on because of the vast amount of work involved in the semi-annual reports, according to R. D. W. Mack, chief of the city milk division.

The Pacific Bancorporation, an organization incorporated July 17, of this year, has purchased four banks in southwestern Oregon, according to Senator Charles Hall, Marshfield, one of the incorporators. Names of the banks were withheld.

Three hundred and fifty thousand dollars will be expended on a coal reduction plant in North Bend, according to arrangements announced by Clyde M. Clefton, secretary of the Coal Products corporation, which has a large water frontage under contract.

Senator McNary and George Vick, president of the Salem chamber of commerce, have requested the chief of aeronautics, department of commerce at Washington, D. C., to station a physician in Salem for the purpose of examining applicants for pilot's licenses.

Thirty flax-pulling machines are now in operation in the Willamette valley, and are doing the work previously accomplished by 1800 men by hand. Virtually all of the flax produced in the Willamette valley this year has been contracted by the penitentiary.

Harris Ellsworth, field manager for the Oregon state editorial association, has been named vice-president of the National Editorial association, to represent Oregon. Ellsworth will take the position in the association held by Hal Hoss, formerly of the Oregon City Enterprise and now candidate for secretary of state.

A special election was held in Newport to amend the charter of Newport, authorizing the city council to purchase real property adjoining the city hall. It was said that \$20,000 in general bonds would be issued if the general plan was carried out. The authorization carried about ten to one.

A delegation of Malin, Klamath county, citizens, urged Governor Paterson and members of the public service commission to use their influence in inducing the Southern Pacific company to construct its extension of the Modoc Northern railroad from Klamath Falls to Alturas, Cal., on the so-called old survey which touches the town of Malin.

The federal power commission has announced authorization of a preliminary permit to the city of Eugene, for a power project on the McKenzie river with ultimate installation capacity of 32,000 horsepower. The commission also announced authorization of a preliminary permit for a power project on the Deschutes river in Sherman and Wasco counties.

Girls employed in the state motor vehicle department must wear stockings, regardless of the hot weather or other conditions, according to an edict issued by Sam Koxer, secretary of state, who administers the motor vehicle laws. The order was said to have affected more than 30 girls, who appeared at the motor vehicle division one day last week without stockings.

Of all the motor vehicles that passed given points in Oregon recently when a traffic census was taken between the hours of 6 a. m. and 10 p. m., more than 47 per cent were from other states. The count was made by the state highway department. A total of 102,960 passenger cars were counted bearing Oregon licenses, and 49,357 from other states. Motor busses numbered 2248 and trucks 16,855. There were 644 motorcycles and 430 horse-drawn vehicles.

A temporary injunction restraining the secretary of state from placing on the ballot at the general election in November the so-called Dunne measure reducing approximately 50 per cent of the motor vehicle license fees in Oregon, was sought in a petition filed in the circuit court in Salem by Joseph Devers, attorney for the state highway department. As soon as the petition is served on the secretary of state it will be referred to the attorney general. Any answer that will be made by the secretary of state probably will depend upon an opinion to be given by the attorney general as to the legality of the proceedings. It was alleged in the petition filed by Devers that the Dunne bill is unconstitutional.

State bank stock in Oregon is still subject to assessment and taxation in spite of the recent decision handed down by the federal court in Portland in the case of the Brotherhood Cooperative National bank vs. Sheriff Harburt, according to an opinion handed down by Attorney General Van Winkle for the guidance of Earl L. Fisher, state tax commissioner. The decision of the federal court was to the effect that the requirements of congress relative to the taxation of national bank stock not having been complied with in this state the stock of the Brotherhood bank was not taxable. The opinion of the attorney general holds that while the decision applies to all national banks in the state it does not affect the status of state bank stock.

With the installation of a new digester, the capacity of the Salem paper mill has been increased from 88 to 100 tons of paper daily. The product of the Salem plant is being shipped to all parts of the United States, and the market is unlimited.

The public service commission granted the application of the Weyerhaeuser Timber company for permission to construct and maintain an overhead crossing on the Ashland-Klamath Falls highway just east of the Klamath river bridge at Keho.

## Very Latest

By CECILE

The vogue for printed cottons and linens continue without abatement and since it is one of the high spots of the summer mode, should have its full share of attention.

Behold, then, this charming little movie star in her printed cotton costume and broad-brimmed hat—and resist the temptation of having one of your own, if you can.

The model shown is of printed linen in smart shades of green and fawn, with a touch of black and organe for accenting colors. Trimming bands and blouse are of pale honey-colored linen. The grosgrain hat band and binding are of rich, deep hunter's green.

You may have a short jacket or full length ensemble coat and skirt of printed cotton with contrasting plain fabric for the underblouse—or, if you prefer, a coatless sports frock of the figured fabric. Either choice is supremely chic.

#### Shoes in Color?

The market has been flooded with shoes of colored kid and linen which offer remarkable opportunities for artistic color schemes. And yet, we so seldom see these tinted shoes worn to advantage. If you would indulge in a pair or two before the season closes, I think you'll find the most harmonious when matching the dominant color in some figured fabric instead of attempting to use them in contrast or as a match for plain shades. Gray, beige, and brown tones are exceptions to the rule, of course.

#### Pyjamas for the Beach

Modesty (?) may be responsible for the all-enveloping pyjama lounge



ing robes so much the vogue for beach wear—but we doubt it. The equipment is too smartly becoming to have arrived for any of decorative reasons. Many of these beach sets are quite modernistic and most original as to line and design. If vacation plans are turning seaward—of course you'll have a set.

#### A Metallic Note for Fall

Among advance showing of fall fabrics there are some very interesting metallic crepes, having the metal design in mass effect on one side and silhouetted on the other. A number of metallic satins are also shown.

### THURSTON

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gray received word that their son, Hubert, underwent an operation for appendicitis at Klamath Falls last week. He was reported as doing well.

The Ladies Aid Society held a silver tea at Mrs. Charles Taylor's last Thursday afternoon. They raised enough money to finish making payments on the piano which they purchased about Thanksgiving day last year, for that church.

Mrs. Beulah Harbit spent the weekend with Mrs. Margaret Campbell.

Mrs. Bert Weaver and children spent the past week visiting relatives near Noti returning home Tuesday.

Mrs. Sides from California who has spent the past two weeks with Mrs. Taylor Needham left for her home last Saturday.

Arthur Calvert went to Junction Cecil and Edna Baxter of Portland ed the funeral of his uncle, William Calvert, whose death occurred very suddenly last week, being overcome with the heat.

Mrs. James Hill's mother, who has spent the past month visiting her, is leaving this week for her home in California.

Cecil and Edna Baxter from Portland are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Cassie Baxter.

Charles Taylor and Day Morgan motored to Indian Creek last Saturday where they spent the week-end with Mr. Taylor's mother, returning home Sunday evening.

Harvey Calvert has spent the past two weeks with his father, Andra Calvert, near Junction City.

John Price and P. J. Barnett returned home last Sunday from Beeknap Springs where they have spent the past two weeks. Mr. Price was greatly improved from the rheumatism while there.

#### FARM REMINDERS

If every bit of leaves of gooseberry and currants affected with anthracnose or leaf spot could be completely destroyed before the buds start in spring the disease would be stopped, the Oregon experiment station finds. Growers cannot depend on this but must of necessity resort to sprays—one when the leaves approach full size and another soon as the fruit is picked—for the latter Bordeaux 4-4-50.

Cultivating soil keeps down weeds, prevents caking of the surface soil thus allowing oxygen to go into the ground, stimulates root growth by keeping soil in a loose condition and gives the garden a well kept appearance.

Mash hoppers on the free range are located near the houses so that the pullets will eat plenty of mash.

Watering in dry weather is essential to healthy plants and is best done early in the day so the plant will dry off before night making them less

### THIRD COVER SPRAY FOR MOTH NOW DUE

The third cover spray or the first spray for the second brood codling moth in the Willamette valley is due now, warns the experiment station. The second brood moths are now on the wing and eggs laid by them will hatch in 5 to 8 days.

Lead arsenate is the standard spray this morning.

material. The powdered lead arsenate is used at the rate of 2 pounds to 100 gallons of water. Through application is essential if worm injury is to be prevented, says B. G. Thompson, assistant entomologist.

Return from Beach—Mr. and Mrs. Frank DePue and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sutton returned from Yachats

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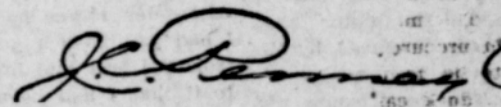
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### How to Buy a Care-Free Old Age

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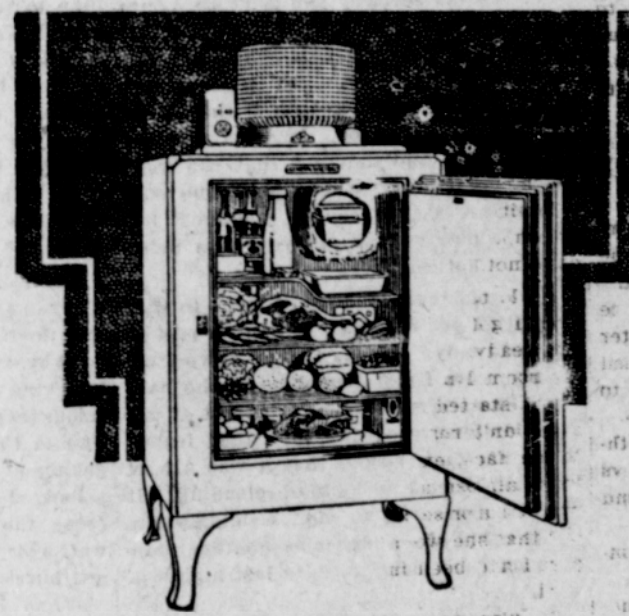


susceptible to disease. Lack of moisture stunts and weakens the plants often causing the flower buds to dry up, drop off or develop into worthless small specimens.

Hens used for breeders are chosen from fowls that have laid one year and proved to be good layers. A vigorous fowl that is in good flesh is best.

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