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STATE NEWS Happenings of Importance to Folks of the Northwest IN BRIEF. ********************* Bend .- Bend's union high school district \$209,000 bond issue carried, 128 to 112. The bond issue was proposed to finance construction of a new high

school building here. Salem .- Ward Irvine, for the past year private secretary to Governor Pierce, submitted his resignation to the executive to take effect February 15. Governor Pierce has accepted the resignation, he said.

Umatilla. - The steamer Lewiston arrived here at 6:15 Sunday night. beating all previous records of running time between Portland and Umatilla by three hours. The boat stommed all rapids without difficulty.

Mill City .- The student body of the Mill City high school has again adopt- the one hand and the export value on ed two near-east orphans, pledging themselves to donate the \$10 each Taylor, chief of the bureau of agrimonth necessary to keep two children from starvation. The students have been doing this for several years.

Salem .- Rules and regulations having to do with the administration of the state income tax law enacted at the last session of the legislature. have been completed and will be ready for distribution this week. This was announced by Earl Fisher, state tax commissioner.

Salem .- Following an analysis it is found that the mash found in possession of Harry Carl here recently was not a substitute for gasoline, as con 85 cents tended by its owner, and as a result Carl will spend the next 60 days in the Marion county jail. A fine of \$200 was also imposed in the case.

> Forest Grove .-. The opening of Mc Cormick hall Friday night, the building just completed on the Pacific university campus, was atended by many interested in inspecting the structure,

plans for the completion of the first step in the project to bring pure mountain water from Clear lake to week, the state of Washington sold the valley towns will be made at a 3706.08 acres of timber land in the meeting of representatives from all of Cathlamet district. The total received growers, to Koshland & Co., Boston

tatives from the state to be held_at Albany,

to the secretary of state within the acres were bought by W. F. McGregor next few days requesting a special meeting of the state emergency board, ings in that section, for \$11,865.25. for the purpose of authorizing a deficiency appropriation to replace the ette Paper company purchased the prison industries which were destroy- Bradley Timber company's logging ed by fire last July.

Albany. --- Definite announcement the owners, the Douglas Fir corpora- yet been sold. In addition the Crowntion, which purchased the mill from local interests last fall and since that to have acquired timber lands in the time has been repairing and enlarging townships lying directly east of the the mill preparatory to permanent op-

Set of \$8.00 Teeth, \$8.00

Want Change in Wheat Grading Seattle Votes for Mt. Rainier Washington, D. C .- Officials of the Seattle .- There will be no change Washington state department of agri- in the name of the mountain if the

of Mount Rainier.

of real importance.

President Whitcomb last week sent

a telegram to John F. Miller, represen-

tative of this district, in which he

deplored revival of the ancient con-

troversy over the name of the moun-

tain and suggested that the attention

of congress and especially the efforts

Return on Apples Good.

fore November 15 returned to the

culture conferred here recently with Seattle chamber of commerce can pre Secretary of Agriculture Wallace in vent it. The chamber's traditional a move for an early revision by the policy of silence on this delicate subfederal department of agriculture of ject, somewhat jarred a few days age the present wheat grades in the Pa- when David Whitcomb, its new presicific northwest. dent, acted on his own initiative, has

Several objections, entirely techni- now been completely abandoned by cal, have been urged by wheat pro- unanimous vote of the board of trus ducers in wasnington, Oregon and tees, and the chamber is ready for a Idaho against, the present wheat finish fight to retain the historic name grades. One of these involves the present dockage for white wheat con-

tained in the grain and another the effect of smut upon milling quality on the other. It appears that Dr. H. C. cultural economics, while in the Pacific northwest some months ago promised a field investigation of the grading question, but it was only with-

in the last few days that any announcement was made of the purpose to send investigators into that field to conduct hearings.

It is now understood that Lloyds Tenny, assistant chief of the bureau of agricultural economics, who has but recently returned from a several

months' stay in Europe, where he Dean, manager of the Fruitland Growstudied the markets for American ers' exchange, who said that apples differently, products, will head the Pacific north shipped through that organization bewest investigation

The present programme, at least if officials of the Washington state de- b. price of \$22.50 a ton in bulk and 75 partment of agriculture have their cents for those shipped in bashel bas-

are wheat-growing and marketing cen- average f. o. b. price for Arkansas ters, and at Seattle, which is important as an export shipping point. Three or four hearings in Oregon are prowhich will serve as boys' dormitory posed, one of which is expected to be this season are far better off than the and home of the American Legion at Portland and another at Pendleton.

Timber Lands Are Sold.

Astoria .-- At public auction in the courthouse at Cathlamet, Wash, last for the property was \$210,243. Various was received last week by William chased by the Crown-Willamette Pa-

be known that he will send a letter \$198,377.75. Two tracts containing 240 of this city, who has extensive hold-

> A short time ago the Crown-Willam-Willamette company is said recently

New Rates Suspended.

rates filed with the state department of public works by the Spokane Gas



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Setting the Table.

of this state's delegation might much In ancient days a man's polities better be addressed to other matters often dictated his table manners. So bitter was the hatred between the Guelphs and Ghibellines of Florence that they could not even agree on how Boise .--- Apple growers of southwestto set a table. The Guelphs placed ern Idaho did not fare so badly with their knives and speens longwise on the table, the Ghibellines placed their crops last fall and this winter, accordacross; the first cut their loaves of ing to a statement issued by E. M. bread longwise, the second cut theirs across; they even allced their oranges



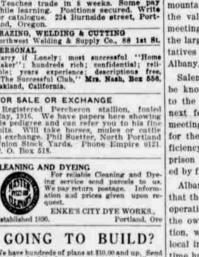
Sparkling Eyes Follow good Health

Salem, Oreg.—"For several years I suffered with liver trouble and stomach disorder. I was constipated and had a gassy condition of the stomach. I doctored, but could not get rid of these conditions until I began taking Dr. Eierce's Pleasant Pellets, and ance I took these 'Pel-lets' I have not had any more trouble with my liver or stomach. "I can highly recommend Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets to anyone suffering with stomach or liver ills." --Mra. Fred Anderson, 205 S. 21st Street.

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Their Deadly Weapons,

Citing as proof of his statement an nsect that kills its assailants with a deadly poison gas, the cuttle-fish method of escaping its enemies by means of a species of "smoke screen," French biologist doclares that "the Walter Neils of Libby, Most., told inventions of the great war are all





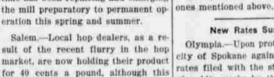
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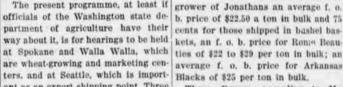
for 40 cents a pound, although this price has not yet been offered. It was

chair of history and patriotism. Albany .-- On February 15 definite

the largest valley towns and represen-

Salem .- Governor Pierce has let it





Blacks of \$25 per ton in bulk. These figures, according to Mr. Dean, show that the apple growers

grain or hay farmers.

Big Wool Clip Is Sold. Baker .-- Confirmation of the sale of 600,000 pounds of wool, the total crop in the hands of Baker county wool

tracts totaling 3466.08 acres were pur- Poolman, prominent Baker stockman and financier. The price received by per company, the consideration being the local wool men was 40 cents a pound, with the exception of one lot that brought 42 cents.

Representatives of the Boston wool houses were recently in Baker, conferred with Mr. Poolman and local sheep men and turned in their report with the subsequent acceptance by road, camps and timber lands in one their firm. The price received, totaltownship, as well as holdings of the ling nearly \$250,000, is considered by that the Albany lumber mill will start Weyerhauser Timber company in an all to be satisfactory and will place operation Tuesday has been made by other. The state lands there have not the Baker county wool growers in excellent shape for the coming season.

> Pine Lumbermen Gather. Spokane .- Discovery of a new dry

kiln process for seasoning lumber was announced here by Albert Hermann Olympia .-- Upon protest filed by the of Portland, Or., who told the memcity of Spokane against the new gas bers of the Western Pine Manufacturers' association that it would effect a and the many examples of camouflage saving of approximately 20 per cent resorted to by animals, a distinguished & Fuel company, the department has in the cost of drying their product. rates for a period of 90 days after the of a process of injecting chemicals met with in animals and insects. into the kilns to eliminate "brown stain." It was announced that production and shipments of the association set a new record during the past year by a small margin over the precoding year.



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Rosalie and Jack had quite a serious leaving Rosalle in a heap on the aide- said, "if everything else in our lan- residents of the state of California but walk, bedraggied and sniffling. Rosalie wark, becaraggies and shifting, head fice to show the whole extent of its gon and committed to the Salem started for the house she called after beauty and power"-do not wish to school. Jack, "Don't you dure to come back in stand on resplendent mountain peaks. my yard until never."

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snow fight, Jack coming out victor and esteem .-- "which," as Macauley so truly girls. It was said that the girls are guage should perish, would alone sufbut are content to be in the valley without the companionship of light .--Joseph S. Auerbach.

The Only Reason.

"I ain't got no use fo' money." said it. The men who gather it must carry Charcoal Eph, ruminatively, "ceptin" neither pins nor mirrors, cat only cer- dis hyar way. Suh, hit su: do lead de tain foods and a portion of earth for way t' co'n beef an' cabbage an' a ton o' coal."-Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Pennsylvania Has 2,614 Sets of Twins in Year

Harrisburg, Pa. - Excess baggage 1022 to carry 2,614 sets of twins and Wilmer L. Batt, state registrar of vital statistics.

Triplets were born once in every 6.000 births and twins 1.8 in every 1.000 births amon+ natives and three times in every 1,000 births among foreign and negro mothers.

Total births in Pennsylvania inst caused the stork in Pennsylvania in year numbered 224,131. Boy bables outnumbered the girl babtes, 106 boys 26 sets of triplets, according to Dr. being born to every 100 girls. Wilmer L. Batt, state registrar of Among 1,700,000 births in the vital

> A wonder lasts only nine days-but existing records. a woman's curiosity goes on forever.

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fruit in the Canby district and 12 proposed rates. growers in the Scotts Mills district have petitioned the Oregon Growers' Co-operative association for authority to handle their own fresh fruits during the coming year. It was said that the request will be granted. Farmers in the Newberg district obtained a similar privilege some time ago.

Salem .- Mrs. Clara Patterson, suschool for girls, has been authorized by the state board of control to trans-

fer two inmates of the local institu Men that no longer hold the Bible in tion to the California institution for were taken into custody while in Ore-

> Salem.-An order restraining tem porarily the public service commission from enforcing its three recent orders reducing maximum freight rates on hay, grain, grain products. potatoes and onlons in this state and suspending that part of the hay tariff under which the railroads were said to have levied a diversion charge in Portland, was granted in the Marion ter. county circuit court here Saturday.

Albany .- Following the receipt of a

letter from the war department demanding that the old bridge over the vouched for by the county or by the

issued an order suspending the new proposed effective date of February Department engineers will now Salem .-- Thirty-one growers of fresh make an investigation relative to the

The new rate as filed, instead of being a straight consumption charge, is based on three factors, comprising a minimum meter rontal of \$1 per month, next a demand charge of 40 cents per cubic foot maximum hourly

demand a year, payable in monthly installments, and also a gas consump-

Prune Growers Confer.

rates.

meetings in the centers of the pro- still and a truck load of bettled goods

thing.

Bitterness of the first mootings sev eral weeks ago has worn off and the ous to find a solution which will pre-

Tourists Outdo Sheep.

Salem,-Tourists expended approximately \$15,000,000 in Oregon during of the northwest is on a decline and Willamette river be removed and that 1923, while the sheep crop in the state the turn has not yet come, declared the responsibility for this removal be returned only \$5,000,000, according to Ed Leonard of the Preston Shaffer J. A. Ormandy, general passenger mills of Waitsburg to the Rotary club owner of the bridge before that do agent for the S. P., in an address at here. In the three states, Oregon, partment gives consent to build the Salem. It was estimated by Mr. Or-new bridge, it has developed that nei-ther the county nor the city of Albany owns the bridge and that the owner-ship cannot be determined from the cuild make no better investment than could make no better investment than partment gives consent to build the Salem. It was estimated by Mr. Or- Washington and Idaho, there is sufstatistics registration area of the new bridge, it has developed that nei- mandy that approximately 400,000 ficient milling capacity to grind into United States, Connecticut furnished ther the county nor the city of Albany tourists visited Oregon during the flour in eight months all the wheat the only set of quadruplets. urge the tourist to visit this section. milling capacity has changed hands.

Explosion Causes Fire,

Seattle .- An explosion, believed by members of the city dry squad to have been from a still on the second floor, tion charge on a aliding scale. This nearly wrecked a four-story building perintendent of the state industrial figures out a material increase, it is here Thursday, imperiled the lives of stated, over the old straight meter more than a score of persons in the the month as his lacky day. He was structure and caused an estimated fire

damage of \$100,000. Glass in every window of the sec-Walla Walla -- With postponement tion of the building where the blast archduchess of Austria April 2. of final action on the prune marketing occurred was blown out, littering the for two weeks, growers interested in streets, and several windows in buildsmoothing out the difficulties plunged ings across the way were shattered.

posed seven units so that February 19 were confiscated by fire and city of- fun at the idea in their poems. will see the growers ready to do sor e ficers and federal prohibition agents after the fire.

rectly above the quarters where the last half century, due to the progress growers express themselves as anxi- explosion occurred miraculously es- of medical science. But des one percaped when the flooring buckled and sons still die in the United States vent a repetition of last year's disas- splintered. One fireman was slightly annually from preventable diseases.

hurt by flying glass.

Milling Held on Decline.

Walla Walla .-- The milling industry

P. N. U.

Olympia.-High price record for a single section of timber sold at state sale was again broken at the sale Tuesday, State Land Commissioner Savidge stated when the Long-Bell Lumber company paid the appraised value of \$155,144 for a section of timber in Cowlitz county. This does not include the land.

Napoleon's Lucky Day.

Napoleon regarded the second of made consul on August 2, was crowned December 2, won the battle of Austerlitz December 2 and married the

Laughed at Polished Shoes.

Polished shoes were ridiculed at the in Friday and arranged a series of Remnants of what was said to be a beginning of the Seventeenth century. even Ren Jonson and Shirley poking

> From II to D years have been add-Nine men working on the floor di- ed to the average human life in the



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