

BRIEF NEWS OF OREGON

Through the union of members of several different denominations, Seaton will have a Federated Protestant church.

Three hundred Oregon schools are now offering work above the eighth grade, Superintendent of Public Instruction Churchill has announced.

A timber deal involving \$150,000 and 15,000 acres of land is pending at Roseburg on account of the railroad building to the Umpqua national forest reserve.

Henry Stoeschler, Jr., a well known rancher of Youna valley, east of Klamath Falls, was found dead at his ranch house. He had shot himself in the head.

An old miner, named Esop, has been making in the neighborhood of \$5 a day washing out gold from the bed of the Umpqua river within the city limits of Roseburg.

On their placer mining claim on Boulder creek near Haddon, Charles Curl and Clint Alsworth picked up a gold nugget weighing 12 ounces and valued at \$225.

Nineteen sets of plans for the proposed bridge across the Willamette river at Salem were submitted by engineers to the county courts of Polk and Marion counties.

The annual show of the Yamhill County Poultry association, which was held at Newberg, was one of the best in point of attendance and quality of the exhibits ever held there.

Edward Bradley, 45, a laborer employed in construction work at the Booth Kelly company mill at Springfield, sustained injuries which resulted in death at the Eugene hospital.

E. J. McClanahan, of Eugene, for four years president of the State Poultry association, received all but two of more than 100 votes for re-election, although he had not been nominated.

Evidence of improved conditions along the line of the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation company are shown in an increase both in the freight and passenger earnings for October.

A government engineering crew has begun work on a survey of Hammond's waterfront in an effort to stem the river's inroads on the shore line due to the action of the jetty at Fort Stevens.

Mrs. Parthenia E. Blank, 59 years old, and the last of the Joseph McMillan family, pioneers of Oregon and the first to settle at Forest Grove, died at the old McMillan homestead at Forest Grove.

Arrangements are being made to stage an Oregon state swimming championship meet in Portland next month. The list of events, the winners of which will receive medals, will be selected after New Year's day.

The business men of Baker have expressed their belief that home contractors and home concerns should have the preference when the time comes to let the contract for the proposed three-story \$125,000 high school building.

Sportsmen in general and duck hunters in particular are warned by the state game warden, Carl D. Shoemaker, to renew their yearly licenses before the expiration of the old ones, for he has declared war on the dilatory ones.

Because postoffice regulations regarding parcels post have been changed a large eastern mail order house has eliminated Roseburg as a distributing point for catalogues and the loss to the local postoffice will be \$7000 annually.

Two of the 184 accidents reported to the state industrial accident commission during the week ending December 23 were fatal. They were A. L. Skeim, of Eugene, killed in railroad operation, and James M. McPherson, of Springfield, killed in sawmill operations.

According to a report from Pendleton the state highway commission has given assurance that there will be appropriated out of the 1917 highway fund sufficient to hard surface the road from the city limits of Pendleton to the eastern Oregon state hospital, a distance of one mile.

George Otis Smith, director of the United States geological survey, has assured Congressman Sinnott that if congress makes an appropriation for experimental artesian wells, Oregon will be apportioned a share of the funds. The survey has included \$100,000 for this purpose in its estimates.

According to United States army orders which have been received in Eugene, First Lieutenant Willis Shipman, of the 126th coast artillery company, U. S. A., has been detailed as instructor of the coast artillery of the Oregon national guard, with headquarters in Eugene, to succeed Captain R. W. Collins.

Church workers of Portland and vicinity are to have one of a series of three city institutes conducted by the educational department of the American Baptist Publication society. A number of these are held in cities of over 200,000 population each year, but this is the first time that one has been conducted on the Pacific coast.

KING OF SERBIA



King Peter, of Serbia, forced to flee from his country, has taken refuge in Italy.

BRIEF WAR NEWS

Christmas day saw no cessation of the slaughter in the bloody trenches of Europe. Everywhere the fighting continued but it was not of marked importance.

The figures given by Premier Aquith show how heavy have been the British casualties during the war. These total nearly 530,000, without counting the men incapacitated by sickness.

The departure of the Indian army from France for "another field of action" was the most important feature of war news, so far as the British public is concerned. Whether the new field of action is Egypt or Mesopotamia is not announced.

The number of survivors from the French steamer Ville de la Ciotat, whose sinking in the Mediterranean by a submarine was announced, is given in a Renter dispatch from Malta at 208. The dispatch confirms previous advices that 89 persons lost their lives.

The interview between King Constantine and General Castelnau, chief of the French general staff, is being much discussed in official circles at Athens. The Greek king is reported to have renewed to General Castelnau the assurance that his army never would fight against the allies.

According to dispatches from a Serbian source, the Germans have established a provisional government at Nish, withdrawing all the Bulgarian and Austrian troops and ending Bulgarian-Austrian interference in the administration of Serbian affairs. It is added that proclamations have been issued announcing that the Germans "will respect Serbian nationality."

The Montenegrin official communication states that the Austrians are entrenching on a front between Montenegro and Serbia, which British observers take to mean a pause in the active Austrian campaign against the little mountain country, presumably to enable the Austrian forces to be turned to more pressing matters on other fronts.

SHORT NEWS NUGGETS

Sixty thousand are reported ill in Chicago from an epidemic of la grippe. R. B. Millier, former traffic manager for the O-W. R. & N. company, who resigned November 1, has become associated with the railroad construction firm of Twoby Bros. company.

Having failed to honor a subpoena served upon him to appear as a witness in a libel case in New York, W. J. Bryan was adjudged guilty of contempt, and must answer to the charge on January 12.

The consignments of fruit dispatched to Scandinavian countries by the North Pacific Fruit Distributors association, representing 10,000 Oregon and Washington fruitgrowers, which was seized by Great Britain, has been released.

Thomas A. Edison will supply the government at his own expense plans and specifications for a laboratory of physical research to cost \$1,000,000, if the government will erect the building. It would be used in the development of naval inventions.

George W. Glover, only son of the late Mary Baker Eddy, head of the Christian Science church, died at his home in the Black Hills near Lead, S. D. He was awarded approximately \$250,000 of his mother's fortune by the courts after her death. He was not a Christian Scientist.

Colonel Robert L. Hirst caused a private named Green to be chained to a telegraph post for nine days instead of confining him in a guard house, and when tried on the offense Hirst was acquitted by the court martial. Major General Hirst's conduct was disapproved of the adjutant.

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SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Tillamook.

Tom Ismay, Plaintiff,

George E. Ridgeway, Emma F. Ridgeway, Globe Oil Company, a corporation, Thomas Wayne, Receiver of said Globe Oil Company, and William Zellotter, Defendants.

To George E. Ridgeway, Emma F. Ridgeway, Globe Oil Company, a corporation, Thomas J. Wayne, Receiver of said Globe Oil Company, and Will Zellotter:

You and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the 12th day of January, 1916, that being a day on and after the expiration of six weeks after the first publication of this summons, that being the time prescribed in the order for the publication of this summons, and if you fail to so appear and answer for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint; to-wit, for judgment and decree against the said George E. Ridgeway and Emma F. Ridgeway for the sum of \$800.00, and the sum of \$4.00, interest thereon due Oct. 29, 1915, and for the further sums sum of \$33.99, and \$25.53, and \$12.77, taxes paid on the property hereinafter described on October 30, 1915, making a total of \$936.29; and for interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from October 30, 1915, until paid; and for the further sum of \$125.00 as attorneys fees herein; and for his costs and disbursements in this suit; and decreeing the mortgage set out in plaintiff's complaint and recorded in book "Y" at pages 12 and 13, of the Mortgage Records of Tillamook County, Oregon, to be a first lien on all of the Northeast Quarter, and all of the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter, of Section Thirteen; and all of the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter, of Section Twelve; all in Township Three South, Range Ten West, of the Willamette Meridian, in Tillamook County, Oregon, for all of said sums of money; and that said mortgage be foreclosed and said real property be sold in satisfaction of said judgment, and that the defendants, and each of them, be forever barred and foreclosed of any and all right, title and interest in said real property, saving only the statutory right of redemption; and for personal judgment against the defendants George E. Ridgeway and Emma F. Ridgeway for any deficiency; and for such other relief as equity may grant as prayed in said complaint.

This summons is published in pursuance of an order of the Honorable Geo. R. Bagley, Judge of said Court, duly made and entered on November 27th, 1915, and the date of first publication Nov. 30, 1915, and of the last publication is January 11, 1916.

Johnson & Matthews, 705 Northwestern Bank Bldg. Portland, Oregon, Attorneys for plaintiff.

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CLAUDE KITCHIN



Claude Kitchin, representative from North Carolina, who is now Democratic leader in Congress.

Horns of the Huns.
The Huns have probably their nearest actual European descendants in the Bulgarians. It is a mistake to look for them in Hungary. The Ogre of Tartar, better known as the Magyars, has very little to do with the Huns. But one conjectured derivation of the word "Hun" is from the Ugric, through confusion of them with the Huns. It seems more probable, however, that "ogre" should be traced through Spanish and Italian to the Latin "ogrus" from the root of the word "ogre" in the old French, and afterward in Romanesque folklore a shaggy, man-eating creature of the woods—Loupin (Chouette).

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