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OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Principal Events of the Week
Briefly Sketched for Infor-
mation of Our Readers.

Marshfield has an epidemic of the
mumps.

The tax levy for Salem for 1920
amounts to 38 mills.

Smallpox has broken out at Maple-
ton, on the lower Siuslaw.

The Umatilla county clerk in 1919
paid out \$3353.50 in bounties on predat-
ory animals.

Umatilla county started the year
1920 out of debt and with a balance
in the treasury of \$628,294.40.

E. J. Newton has resigned his posi-
tion as county clerk of Benton county
to engage in private business.

Arrangements have been completed
entirely for the transfer of the Linn
county fair from Seio to Albany.

A special school election is to be
held at Monmouth January 14 to de-
cide on a high school gymnasium.

A chapter of the American Associa-
tion of Engineers was organized at
Astoria with 25 charter members.

A Young Men's Christian Association
was organized at Pendleton. John Lam-
birth heads the board of directors.

Huge cakes of ice, many of them the
size of a boxcar, are floating past The
Dalles, a serious menace to navigation.

The Deschutes county court has es-
tablished a county library and will
levy a one-half mill tax for its support.

The opening of the Columbia river
highway from Portland to the Des-
chutes river is now a prospect for next
fall.

With the opening last week of the
Athena State bank, Umatilla county
now has 14 banking institutions in op-
eration.

A shipment of 32 instruments from
the government for the use of the cadet
band was received at the University of
Oregon.

The two children of Mr. and Mrs.
L. A. Samuels were burned to death
in a fire which destroyed the family
home in Astoria.

The state board of fair directors will
ask the legislature for \$10,000 to repair
damages done to buildings by the re-
cent heavy fall of snow.

H. H. Pomeroy of the Oregon state
fire marshal's office left for San Fran-
cisco, to attend the national confer-
ence of arson investigators.

Plans have been initiated by the
Hood River county court for replacing
five wooden bridges with permanent
concrete structures this year.

A \$100,000 corporation has been
formed by leading citizens of Albany
to do business under the name of the
Merrill Lumber & Shingle company.

Woodburn, with 58.9 mills, and
Mount Angel, with 22.7 mills, are the
Marion county towns having the high-
est and lowest tax levies for the year
1920.

The total enrollment at Oregon Agri-
cultural college for the year was
brought up to 2230 Wednesday night
with the registration of 311 new stu-
dents.

A total of \$162,000 is included for the
Indian training school at Chemawa in
the Indian appropriation bill, which
passed the house of representatives
Friday.

Thirty-four counties of Oregon and
20 states are represented in the stu-
dent body of the University of Oregon,
according to the records of the regis-
trar's office.

Albany Creamery association direc-
tors made a price of 74 cents for De-
cember butterfat, the highest returns
the producers have ever received from
their product.

The high schools of Albany, Salem
and Silverton will meet in a singular
debate on January 30 for the open-
ing series in the Oregon High School
Debating league.

The annual report of the city record-
er of North Bend shows that 68 ar-
rests were made in that city in 1919.
Of this number 38 were for violation
of the prohibition law.

D. E. Richards, assistant professor
of animal husbandry at the Oregon
Agricultural college, has accepted an
appointment as county agricultural
agent for Lake county.

The city council of Gold Hill has
passed an ordinance repealing and
amending several license ordinances,
which will tax nearly every business
and occupation in the city.

A permanent organization to handle
matters affecting the ex-service men
of Umatilla county is planned by the
American Legion posts at Milton, West-
ton, Pendleton and Hermiston.

Baker led all the counties of Oregon
in the value of minerals produced in
1919. It was followed by Grant, Uma-
tilla, Lane, Malheur, Wallowa, Curry
and Wheeler in the order named.

C. H. Gram, state labor commis-
sioner, is investigating the contents of a
letter received from Senator S. A.
Hughes, in which it was alleged that
certain contractors on Oregon highways
had violated the laws by making their
employees work more than eight hours.

The strength of Malheur county in
a financial way was well demonstrated
when the \$100,000 issue of road bonds
sold at practically \$104 for each \$100
of five and a half per cent bonds.

Charles H. Collins, 49 years old, a
switchman on the O. W. R. & N., com-
mitted suicide at his home in Pendle-
ton by hanging himself to the door of
the kitchen with a bathrobe cord.

Records at the University of Oregon
show that 65 per cent of the male stu-
dents earned part of their expense
money by outside work, while 25 per
cent were almost totally self-support-
ing.

The Dalles has an epidemic of
mumps and smallpox, with more than
250 cases of mumps and at least twenty-
five cases of smallpox, according to
City Health Officer Dr. Fred Thomp-
son.

The Wasco county court has given
its official sanction to the Seufert-Des-
chutes link of the Columbia river high-
way, which will follow the river grade
survey as prepared by the state high-
way engineers.

Benjamin Jay, 32, a farmer of Blach-
ly, in the Lake creek valley, 35 miles
west of Eugene, was accidentally shot
and killed by his nephew, Roy Reed,
aged 23, while they were out hunt-
ing ducks on Lake creek.

Receipts of the state treasurer's of-
fice for the year 1919 totalled \$20,876,-
401.80, while the disbursements for
the same period aggregated \$17,601,-
603.74, according to the annual report
of O. P. Hoff, state treasurer.

The Roosevelt highway lobby will
receive \$500 from Coos county to de-
fray expenses of delegates who are to
be sent to Washington to appear be-
fore congressional committees and ask
for adequate funds with which to con-
struct the road.

To make the pay for the work of
census taking sufficient to insure a
thorough enumeration of residents of
the city, the Bend Commercial club di-
rectors decided to pay 4 cents a name
in addition to the 4 cents already of-
fered by the government.

Each county school superintendent
in Oregon was named county thrift di-
rector by J. A. Churchill, state super-
intendent of public instruction. Mr.
Churchill is state thrift director and
the naming of county directors will
relieve him of considerable work.

Notwithstanding alarming reports to
the effect that the recent cold weather
has killed the loganberry vines that
had been trellised and that appeared
above the snow, the vines in many Eu-
gene gardens and in fields throughout
the county are beginning to sprout.

ALIAS SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE
STATE OF OREGON, FOR
MALHEUR COUNTY.

WM. E. LEES, Plaintiff,

vs.
R. W. A. SIMMONS and JANE DOE
SIMMONS, husband and wife;
FRED G. CALDWELL, and JANE
DOE CALDWELL, husband and
wife; and CHARLES S. STAFF-
FORD, and JANE DOE STAFF-
FORD, husband and wife,

Defendants.
To, R. W. A. Simmons, Jane Doe
Simmons, Fred G. Caldwell, Jane
Doe Caldwell, Charles S. Stafford,
and Jane Doe Stafford, Defendants.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE
OF OREGON, You are hereby re-
quired to appear and answer the
complaint filed against you in the
above entitled suit on or before the
8th day of February, 1920, the same
being the last day prescribed by the
order of the above entitled Court,
directing service of summons in said
suit to be made upon you by publica-
tion thereof; and if you fail so to
answer, for want thereof, the plain-
tiff will apply to the Court for the
relief prayed for in his complaint,
to wit:—For a decree of this Court
quieting his title to lots 23 to 30
inclusive in Block 2, Villa Park Ad-
dition to the City of Ontario, Mal-
heur County, Oregon, and adjudging
the plaintiff herein to be the sole
legal and equitable owner of all of
said lots and every part thereof and
that the defendants nor either of
them, have any interest, title or es-
tate in or to said lots and land, or
any part thereof and that the defend-
ants be forever barred and enjoined
from asserting any claim in or to
said lots or any part thereof and for
such other relief as may be just and
equitable.

You are further notified that this
summons is served upon you by pub-
lication thereof by virtue of an order
of the Hon. Dalton Biggs, Judge of
the above entitled Court, dated Dec.
20, 1919, and which order directs
that this summons be published once
each week for six consecutive weeks
in the GATE CITY JOURNAL, a
weekly newspaper of general circula-
tion in Malheur County, Oregon,
commencing with the issue of Dec.
26th, 1919, and completed by the
issue of February 6, 1920.

WM. E. LEES,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
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WE ARE TOLD THAT LUMBER IS
NOT HIGH, THAT A BUSHEL OF
GRAIN, A TON OF HAY, A HOG, A
SHEEP OR STEER WILL BUY
MORE LUMBER THAN EVER BE-
FORE. GOVERNMENT STATIS-
TICS INDICATE THIS IS TRUE—
BUT JUST THE SAME IT COSTS
MONEY TO BUILD.
THEREFORE, NOW, MORE THAN
EVER, IT BEHOOVES THE PROS-
PECTIVE BUILDERS TO REGULATE
HIS EXPENDITURES UPON AN IN-
VESTMENT BASIS—REAL VALUE
FOR EVERY DOLLAR.
THIS IS WHERE THE GEM STATE
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WHETHER IT IS THE NEW HOME
A REMODEL OF THE OLD WITH
INTERIOR FIXTURES AND BUILT-
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MANNER FOR THE BEST INTER-
EST OF THE PUBLIC.

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More Shape.
A boy was presented with
a guinea pig by his friend.
Meeting the boy soon
after he had inquired about the
pig, he said: "Well, Robbie, how are the
guinea pigs getting on; are they in
shape?"
"They are just the same shape
as ever."—Osteopathic Magazine.

Disappointed.
Bride—Sometimes I think the
groom loves me any more.
Groom—Why, I love you ju-
st as much as ever.
Bride—Then I was right; you
love me any more than you did
before you married me.
Groom—You're right, but I
thought your love would grow
on me.

BITTER THOUGHTS.
Mrs. Pester—Have you for-
gotten that this is our wedding anni-
versary?
Mr. Pester—What a pessimist
you are to brood over such subjects.

Advice.
Remember this, when duty calls
it never pays to shrink.
You're dodging opportunity
when you are dodging work.

What a Dreadful Mistake!
Jack Potts—Sorry I couldn't
come earlier, my dear. Poor
old Faraway is dangerously sick
and he sent for me to come
to him. Anyone here while I
am?
His Wife—Only poor old Pete
was. He dropped in to see you.

Not Even Started.
"What remedy do you suggest
for economic ills?"
"None. I haven't even been able
to recover an absolutely reliable re-
sult in a cold."

A Painful Operation.
"Did you hear that our old friend
has been superseded?"
"You don't say so? Did they
use an anesthetic?"

The Help There.
"I suppose they make up the odds
with sheets of water, but
yes?"
"The mer-minds, of course, too."

The Reason.
"Nervous exhaustion seems so pre-
sented just now."
"Yes, since the automobile car
people are a lot more run down."

It Never Fails.
Mrs. Pester—I wish you'd wake
time for me to catch the 7 o'clock
train in the morning. But don't
wake the whole household while you're
up.
Her Husband—Very well, my dear,
I'll take off my shoes and sneak
down on tiptoe, same as I always
do when I get in late at night.

Couldn't Afford It.
Hewitt—Do you believe in physi-
cians?
Jewett—No; I joined a class of
and I outgrew my clothes like
a kid.

An Indication.
"Do they take children in this ap-
artment house?"
"They must. Some of the room-
ers are large enough to accommo-
diate a child."

How He Got the Last Word.
"Well, I had the last word in
my argument with my wife last night."
"That so? How did you get it?"
"I admitted I was entirely
wrong."

The Way of It.
"That young man is very flig-
gish in his preference for blondes."
"Yes."

How do you mean?
"He prefers blondes, he keeps
dark secrets, and when he's flirt-
ing with brunettes, he makes light of
them."

Her Experience.
"I see where a lot of military
officers have gone on a hung-
ry trip."
"I'll bet none of 'em is man-
ny."