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## CHINA JIM HAS HARD TRIP OUT

### Local Mongolian Taken to Portland to Face Federal Charge

Deputy United States Marshall Beatty is worrying over the condition of one of his prisoners in the county jail, Ah Flop, a Chinaman, recently indicted by the federal grand jury on a charge of selling liquor to an Indian. The Chinaman is a drug fiend, and is in a terrible condition. The federal officer is doubtful if his prisoner will live to get to Portland.

When arrested the Chinaman had three bottles of morphine in his possession. In order to keep him alive he is being given a small amount of the drug from time to time.

For a long time Ah Flop was an opium smoker, but the recent restrictions as to the importation of the drug made it almost impossible for him to get it, and he changed over to morphine.

Ah Flop has lived in Lake county for many years. He has engaged in many different lines of business, but the drug habit has secured such a hold on him that it is claimed that he has adopted the easy mode of making a living by selling liquor to Uncle Sam's wards.

The above from the Klamath Republican of last week has reference to "China Jim" who was arrested here a few weeks ago by Marshal Bemis. It is said that the Chinaman suffered intensely while being taken to Klamath Falls and that he almost perished on the trip.

## Klamath Election

In Klamath county last week C. C. Low, republican was elected sheriff by a plurality of 369 votes over Sam Walker. DeLap won for county clerk over Sismore by a big majority, and Claude H. Daggett, democrat was elected for treasurer. John Irwin for prosecuting attorney against Drake, carried Klamath County by over 450 votes. The county went democratic in the vote for U. S. Senator, Lane carrying it by a small majority.

It is reported that Sheriff Low will deputize his daughter for assistant sheriff, giving her the distinction, probably, of being the first deputized woman sheriff in the state.

## ZONE MAPS OF U.S. WILL BE ISSUED

### One To Be Put in Each Post Office for Parcels Post

An edition is being prepared by the United States geological survey of 125,000 maps of the United States, divided into squares of thirty minutes each. One of such maps will be provided for every Post Office—a necessary preparation for the introduction of the Parcels Post.

The quadrangles so shown will be the units of area on which the postal rates to every postoffice in the country will be based—for, as every one knows now, the system of zones will determine the charges, in which not only the weight of the parcel but the distance of the point of delivery will be the determining factors.

It is suggested that on due pressure being applied by senators and representatives the government might be induced to issue a very large popular edition of this map. It is one of the strongest accusations against the express companies that the ordinary and occasional patron could not tell without going to the express office what the charge levied upon him would be. Neither did the average man know whether the express office was right or wrong.

One of the advantages of the new system is its simplicity. But all our knowledge in advance must be based upon the map. Of course the expense of such a map for general distribution must be considerable, but it will be money well spent.

Now that election is over, the next thing to look forward to is the festive Thanksgiving turkey.

## LANE'S ELECTION FIXES CONTROL

### Oregon's Result Gives the United States Senate to Democrats

The positive announcement of the success of Dr. Harry Lane, the Democratic candidate for United States Senate from Oregon, to succeed Senator Jonathan Bourne Jr., assures the Democratic control of both houses of Congress and the Presidency for the first time in eighteen years.

The addition of Oregon to the Democratic list gives that party forty-nine members in the Senate, or a majority of two.

In addition to the election of successors to the Democratic Senators now sitting, Democrats will displace Republicans from Oregon, New Jersey, Kansas, Colorado, Montana, Delaware and Nevada.

The contests in Illinois, where two are to be chosen, in Tennessee and Michigan remain undecided. The Democrats make positive statements concerning some of these states, but whatever the result in any of them, the Democratic control of the Senate is assured.

## HIGH GRADE CAMP DOWN TO NORMAL

### Gold District Now Assumes Air of Permanency and Confidence

According to indications all development work in the High Grade Mining district is getting down to a practical and permanent basis. In regard to this the Cedarville Record gives the following:

The boom—the hot air part of it—of the High Grade mines has practically passed away. Many men came, looked and went away again, and now the camp has settled down to a normal. A large majority of the men visiting that place were prospectors looking for work, consequently many went away disappointed. Those remaining express confidence in the future of the mines, and from now on they will bend their energies in developing them. Rich ore has been found there in variable quantities. The rich ore seems to run in stringers, but the main ore "shoots" appear to be yet undiscovered. Work on some of the claims will be continued during the winter, and it is to be hoped that they will find a rich and permanent body of the yellow metal that will make High Grade one of the best camps in the country.

At last week's election Reno, Nevada has lost some of her notoriety as a refuge for divorcees, by electing an anti-divorce Legislature. When the next session opens in January, 1913, an amendment to the present divorce measure will be presented, fixing the period of residence at one year.

## FAIRPORT INN TO BE OPENED SOON

### New Resort Will Have All Modern Conveniences For Guests

J. N. Ford of Reno, last week came up to Fairport to take charge of the Fairport Inn that was erected this Summer at the new town on the shores of Goose Lake. It is stated that the resort will be opened in the near future. A large shipment of furniture for the hotel is on the road, and four automobiles and drivers for the accommodation of the guests of the hotel are said to be enroute to Fairport. A complete force of help has been engaged, including cooks, waiters, and others necessary to make the machinery of a public hostelry run smoothly.

Mr. Ford is said to be a man of much experience in the hotel business and conducting Summer resorts, and is making extensive arrangements to make Fairport Inn a homelike and an attractive place.

## LANE FOR U. S. SENATOR

### SENATORIAL RACE COLSE EVERYWHERE BUT IN MULTNOMAH

### WILSON GETS 439 ELECTORAL VOTES

### Only One Dozen Measures Out Of Thirty-Seven Carried In Oregon—Ahlstrom Elected Treasurer—Oliver and Wakefield Win Out

According to latest information from state headquarters at Portland and Salem, Woodrow Wilson will carry the state by approximately 10,000 votes. Dr. Harry Lane, of Portland carries the state for United States Senator by about 15,000, late returns show him leading Ben Selling by 1200, Jonathan Bourne is about 10,000 behind Selling. These figures show returns from all counties in the state excepting Lake. The result for this county given in another column does not change the above materially.

While 80 or 90 members of the Legislature are Republicans the Democrats will have more members than they have been able to count for many years on roll call. Almost without exception the Senators and Representatives have subscribed to Statement No. 1.

While Woman Suffrage will not sweep the state as was expected on early reports, it is assured of passing by a vote of about 1000. A dozen of the measures submitted were carried as against 24 defeated, and one possibly in doubt.

In round numbers, Wilson's vote is 45,000; Roosevelt, is second with 35,000, and Taft third with 32,500. Debs polled more votes than Chafin. In the primaries, Taft received 20,217 and has made a gain in the final election, as did Roosevelt, who received 28,905 in the primaries. Wilson, in the Democratic primaries, was given 9588 votes. The La Folette vote in the primaries, 22,491, appears to have gone, in a large measure, to Wilson the Democratic nominee.

Bourne is about 1000 votes behind what he received in the primaries and Selling is 1100 better than his primary vote. In the primaries Lane received 8621. Dr. Lane was elected by the vote of Multnomah County, for in the outside counties it was a neck-and-neck race between Selling and Lane with Selling a shade the best of it. Bourne carried four counties. Both Bourne and Selling ran more than 2000 each behind the primary vote they polled in Multnomah.

Wilson is the first Democratic candidate to carry Oregon although, Bryan came within 2000 of carrying Oregon in 1896. Oregon will now have two Democratic Senators and three Republican Congressmen, the Senators being George E. Chamberlain and Harry Lane, the Representatives Hawley, Sinnott and Lafferty. This throws all the state Federal patronage into the hands of the Democratic Senators because there being a Democratic President, Lane's election will be ratified by a Republican Legislature, under the Statement No. 1 pledge, and he will succeed Jonathan Bourne, whose term expires March 4. This will be the fourth term for Congressman Hawley, the second term for Lafferty, and the first for Sinnott.

Measures which have carried are the amendment permitting tax classification, the amendment doubling the liability, and the amendment doubling the liability.

## LIMIT ON DEER WILL BE CHANGED

### Bag Will Probably Be Reduced to Three Bucks In a Season

The deer season which closed October 31, may be the last in which each hunter will be allowed to kill five deer. State Game Warden W. L. Finley is working for a reduction of the limit from five to two or three, probably two and a measure to that effect will be introduced at the next session of the Legislature, says the Portland Telegram.

Oregon is the most liberal state in the Union at present, and although deer are still plentiful, the fact that their sequestered glens are being approached by steam and electric railways makes a reduction of the limit necessary for the perpetuation of the species, according to Mr. Finley.

California and Washington, states which have as much deer ground as Oregon, allow the hunter to get but two deer in any season, while Montana permits three.

This measure may find considerable opposition from some hunters, but Mr. Finley is confident that the majority will be glad to see a reduction of the number allowed.

The season past has been marked by the absence of infractions of the laws, for at least the absence of cases brought to the notice of officials. Other years many hunters were usually caught for killing deer after the season had feagally closed.

This year only one such case was brought forward. John Straight, of Oregon City, being arrested for killing deer on November 2. He was caught in the hills near Cazadero. That he killed the deer after the season closed was not definitely ascertained, but he at least had deer in his possession, which is also an infraction of the law.

## FAIR SEX BARRED FROM JURY DUTY

### Oregon's Code Provides That All Juries Must Consist of Men

Regardless of the passage of the Woman Suffrage amendment at last week's election, there will be no "women juries" in Oregon. This interesting bit of information was given in a Portland dispatch to the San Francisco Chronicle. Since the right of franchise has been granted to women in this State, the first discovery of the fact has been made by many women and men, although the suffrage campaign leaders say they knew it, jury duty is denied women, the State code expressly providing that all juries, grand, petty, coroner's and otherwise, shall consist of a body of men.

Questions have already been raised as to the eligibility of women voters, and inquiries at the office of United States District Attorney McCourt developed the fact that these questions have been threshed out to a considerable extent already, and there are new points of law involved which are still disputed.

However, there is no question that a foreign born unmarried woman must be naturalized in the United States, if she may vote. The requirements for naturalization are the same as those for a male.

It is equally understood, according to a local interpretation of the law, that a foreign born woman who marries an American thereby becomes an American. Registration will be required for women as for men, and the usual residence of six months preceding an election. The filing of the first papers for citizenship one year before an election will be required of women unless otherwise decreed by the Federal naturalization laws.

## N.-C.-O. RY. BROAD-GAUGING TRACK

### Western Pacific Will Enter Reno Over the N.-C.-O. From Doyle

Representatives of the Western Pacific railroad have announced that an agreement has been reached with the Nevada-California-Oregon railway which would give the Western Pacific its long sought entry into Reno, says a dispatch from San Francisco in the Reno Gazette.

The Nevada-California-Oregon railroad plans to standardize its road from Doyle, Cal., to Reno, by the addition of a third rail to its narrow gauge track. The Reno cars will be switched to the Western Pacific tracks at Doyle and will be run through to San Francisco without a change of trains.

The traffic agreement between the two roads will give San Francisco another rail entry into Reno and will give Reno another railroad outlet to the coast.

President T. F. Dunaway of the Nevada-California-Oregon railroad verified the announcement regarding the company's plans. It is said that work has already been contracted for on the standard gauging of the road.

## DEBT TO RAILWAY SHOULD BE PAID

### Rumored That N.-C.-O. Will Establish a Mixed Service Into Lakeview

There is due the N.-C.-O. Ry. Co. about \$1500 on account of the abandonment of the grade made necessary by a change in the location of the depot grounds at the Lakeview station. It is unnecessary to go into the details of the transaction or to attempt to shift the responsibility therefor. Suffice it to say that the amount will no doubt be paid the railway company, either directly or indirectly.

For the past several weeks all sorts of rumors have been afloat, not the least of which was one that a mixed train service is to be established at this end of the road. Another was that trains are to stop over night at Fairport, while a third was to the effect that suit is to be brought for the collection of the amount due for the abandoned grade.

Can Lakeview afford to have either of the rumors materialize for a paltry \$1500?

The Examiner stands ready and willing to contribute liberally to the liquidation of the indebtedness and is firmly of the opinion that the amount should be raised immediately.

That the N.-C.-O. people have done every thing they promised gone will deny. As a matter of course there is more or less complaint about the rates, and that condition will always exist so long as any charge whatever is made. However, so far as the Examiner is concerned, the amount should be raised immediately.

## LAST CALL FOR PIONEER LADY

### Mrs. Jane Casteel Dies at Lakeview at the Age of Eighty Years

In the death of Mrs. Jane Casteel who died at the S. P. Moss home in this city Tuesday after a brief spell of serious illness, Lakeview loses another of its old time residents.

Mrs. Casteel was a native of Missouri and had come to Oregon in 1864, and had been a resident of Lakeview about fifteen years. She was born February 11, 1832, being at the time of her death 80 years, 9 months and 1 day old.

The deceased woman leaves to mourn her death one daughter, Mrs. S. P. Moss, of Lakeview, and two sons, Alex. of Clover Flat, and James Casteel, besides numerous near relatives who live in this county.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Methodist church, the Rev. R. E. Meyers officiating.

## TRUSTY DRUGGED; PRISONERS FLEE

### Bernard C. Sitz Escapes With Others From Jail In California

The following dispatch under date of November 3, appeared in the San Francisco Chronicle. After drugging a trusty, sawing two iron barriers, and scaling a jail yard wall on blanket ropes, four inmates of the Kern County Jail are fleeing through the Kern county hills with two posses in pursuit.

The men who escaped early today are Bernard C. Sitz, who was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary for having obtained money on false pretenses; Oscar Wade, sentenced to ten years on a statutory charge, and two prisoners held on a misdemeanor charge. Sitz and Wade were awaiting rulings on appeals on their cases.

T. H. White, the trusty, is believed to have been given the smuggled drug by one of the misdemeanor prisoners. When he became unconscious in the corridor, the jail breakers sawed through eight iron bars in their cells and three in a jail window. They descended to the ground by a rope made of their blankets, and scaled the twenty-foot jail wall by another rope which hung from the top of the wall.

When the escape was discovered three hours later, Under Sheriff Tracy, Baker and two deputies gave chase in an automobile. Two other automobile posses followed, to be joined later by a posse of eight men on horseback. No trace of the men has been found.

## Expected a Desert

Oliver S. Brown, an attorney of Grants Pass, Oregon has been here since Sunday attending to some legal matters. He came here via Sacramento over the N.-C.-O. because he said he was informed at Ashland and other places on the S. P. line that this country was covered with snow and the only means of transportation was by sleighs. He stated himself as being greatly surprised at the enormously rich agricultural country we had here, and said he would be glad of the opportunity to inform his friends that this was not a desert, as he had pictured it.

He left today on his return home by way of Klamath Falls.

## ANOTHER HIT IS SCORED BY CUPID

### G. Schlager and Emiline Ayres Are Married in Alturas

Gus Schlager and Mrs. Emiline M. Ayres, both of Lakeview were married Monday evening at 8:30 o'clock in Alturas, by the Rev. G. M. Gardner at the Morse Hotel.

Mrs. Ayres had been visiting with Mrs. J. Wendell at Dunsuir, Cal., the past several weeks and was met by Mr. Schlager at Alturas, where the ceremony was performed. The announcement of the wedding came as somewhat of a surprise to the many friends of the couple here.

Mr. Schlager is the general manager of the Lakeview Brewing Co. and Soda Works, and also has charge of the Mineral Hot Springs Bath House. He has for many years been a resident of Lakeview, where he formerly conducted a blacksmith shop. By his energy and honorable business methods his ventures have proven successful and he has gained the esteem and respect of a multitude of friends.

Mrs. (Ayres) Schlager is a native of Surprise Valley, being a daughter of the late T. E. Monroe, formerly of Ft. Bidwell. She has for a number of years been a resident of Lakeview where she is well and favorably known. She is a lady of kind and gentle disposition and has a host of friends in this and Surprise Valleys.

Upon the arrival of the couple Tuesday evening from Alturas, the band turned out and gave them a most joyous serenade and rousing welcome, and they have been kept busy since their return receiving congratulations and best wishes from their many friends for a long and happy life.