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LOCAL FORECAST
Rain and Warmer Tonight and Sunday.

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ARGO SINKS TILLAMOOK

Fourteen Lives Supposed to Have Been Lost

VESSEL IS TOTAL LOSS

All Those Who Perished Were Lost From Life Boats, One of Which With 11 on Board is Supposed to Went Down

(Special to The Evening News) TILLAMOOK, Nov. 27.—A lifeboat containing eleven persons, including Captain Snyder, from the wrecked steamer Argo, is believed to have been lost and all on board drowned in an effort to reach the shore. At 9 o'clock last night the Argo showed signs of sinking. Those on board took to lifeboats.

A boat containing Mate Johnson and nine others was picked up by the steamer Oshkosh, which had been patrolling the scene since last evening. The other boat containing the captain, tried to make the shore, but has not been seen since. The Oshkosh has been looking for the missing boat since midnight, but there is not the slightest trace of it. It is believed that if it was safe it would have been heard of by this time.

The Argo went ashore yesterday. Three passengers were lost from a lifeboat while attempting to make the shore. The Argo afterwards floated and stood off Tillamook bar awaiting assistance. At 9 o'clock last night she began sinking and the lifeboats were launched. One of them has been picked up, but the other is missing.

LONG ILL-HEALTH CAUSES SUICIDE

(Special to The Evening News) SANTA FEE, Nov. 27.—The body of Harvey Johnson, son of Oscar Johnson, president of the Robert Johnson and Rand Shoe Company of St. Louis, was found in the mountains near Pecos river yesterday. A bullet hole in the forehead and a revolver nearby told the story. It is believed the suicide was the result of ill health.

AS RESULT FUED TWO BROTHERS DIE

(Special to The Evening News) HOUSTON, Tex., Nov. 27.—As the result of a feud, Paul and Leo Durham, brothers were shot and killed by Edward Weber. The brothers were walking along the street when Weber drew a gun and commenced firing, killing both Sam Weber, a brother of Edward, was shot Tuesday and injured. The families own adjoining farms and quarreled over property lines.

MISSOURIANS WANT TO BE SHOWN FACTS

(Special to The Evening News) JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Nov. 27.—Attorney General Major today started an official investigation into the proposed telephone merger, which is reported arranging plans to consolidate the wire interests of the entire country.

It is expected that the Missouri Supreme Court will be asked to appoint a commissioner to take testimony for the purpose of ascertaining if proposed merger warrant another law proceedings action.

If the same is taken it will be brought against the Bell Telephone Company of Missouri and Kansas, both chartered in Missouri.

BEAUTIFUL WOMAN SUICIDES PANAMA

(Special to The Evening News) NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 27.—Mrs. J. W. Tull, the beautiful wife of Captain Tull, of the Panama Canal Commission, suicided in Panama, today, according to dispatches received in this city. She was 29 years of age. No reason is assigned for the rash act.

PRIVATE BANK'S DOORS ARE CLOSED

(Special to The Evening News) SPENCER, Ind., Nov. 27.—The private bank of the Beem, Perden Company of this city, one of the largest institutions of the kind in this part of the state, was closed today by order of the State Auditor.

APPLICATION FOR WRIT CERORARI

(Special to The Evening News) WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 27.—An application for a writ of certiorari in the Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison cases was filed before the clerk of the Supreme Court of the United States by Attorney Siddons, today.

CASE WHOLESALE SAVAGE BUTCHERY

(Special to The Evening News) PITTSBURG, Kansas, Nov. 27.—Wm. Bork, a farmer and his wife were found murdered today at their home near here. Bork's body was riddled with bullets. The body of his wife was found two hours later shot to death. Their infant also dead was evidently placed in a buggy drawn by Bork's horse and started away. The horse stopped after wandering for hours.

ROSE CAFE

Menu for the Sunday Dinner, Sunday From 11:30 Until Served

- Soup
Cream, Chicken, ala Gloton
Fish
Boiled Salmon, Holland sauce
Boiled Meats
Ox Tongue, ala Platt
Roasts
Beef, Mutton, Pork, Veal with dressing
Entrees
Roast Turkey, Cranberry Sauce,
Fried Chicken, ala Ma Tanco
Roast Chicken with dressing
Boiled Chicken, ala Tote sauce
Lamb Chops, Breaded, sweet potatoes
Chicken Pot Pie, Family Style
Dessert
Apple, Mince, Lemon Pie
English Plum Pudding
Shrimp Salad, 10 cents extra
Regular Prices Charged

THE AMERICANS DEATH

May Prove a Very Serious Affair for Zelaya.

HANGING IS TOO GOOD

If Half the Story Told is True He has Been Outside the Law all the Time and Fliend in Cruelty All the Time

(Special to The Evening News) NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 27.—Dispatches received here today state that the American Vice-Consul at Managua was imprisoned by Zelaya. This news has not been confirmed. Caldera has been missing for some time, and is believed to be imprisoned. Today's message declares Zelaya has imprisoned him because he wants to hide from America the cruelties incident to the execution of Cannon and Grace.

According to the passenger's story of the steamer Parismina Cannon and Grace were captured in neutral territory, yoked together like a pair of oxen, a hundred pound weight tied to the yoke, and then, the men said they have been beaten with a cat-o-nine tails.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 27.—A cablegram was received this afternoon

"BILL" BRADLEY IS DEAD

A message was received in the city shortly after 4 o'clock this afternoon from Gilde to the effect that "Bill" Bradley, who was recently injured at his home in the Illabae district about fifty miles above Peel, had been dead three days when Dr. Stewart reached his cabin yesterday morning.

Dr. Stewart is now enroute home and is expected to arrive here either late this evening or tomorrow morning.

Owing to the congested condition of the telephone lines this afternoon we are unable to ascertain details relative to what disposition will be made of the remains. It is supposed, however, that the body will be interred on the homestead where Bradley had made his home for many years.

Bradley was a man of about 60 years of age and was well known in this city where he has many friends who will regret to learn of his death. John B. Wright, who owns a home stand near the one owned by Bradley, was the only person present at the time of Bradley's death. His brother P. J. Wright accompanied the physician from Gilde to the homestead. Bradley leaves an uncle, William Tipton, in this city.

We are advised from what we believe reliable authority that Bradley leaves considerable money. He is said to have an account at a local bank as well as depositories in California and in Klamath county. He also kept considerable cash at his home, it is said, but this may never be found inasmuch as it is probably hidden. But a few months ago he is said to have told a friend that he had a little over \$700 within easy reach of his cabin, intimating that he was not in want of the necessities of life.

He purchased the homestead from a friend but never obtained a deed, inasmuch as he did not care to pay taxes. The land will revert to the heirs who will be able to secure the deed upon having the line surveyed. Accident in Brief. It will be remembered that Bradley was found by one of the Wright brothers several days ago lying a short distance from his cabin, apparently lifeless. He was unconscious at the time, several ugly bruises furnishing evidence of what had occurred. He never regained sufficient strength to relate the details of the accident, but nevertheless it is presumed that he attempted to mount a fractions horse, and in so doing was thrown and dragged through the thicket. Portions of his wearing apparel were found scattered about the ground in the vicinity, showing very conclusive evidence that he had fought a desperate battle in hope of freeing himself from what he no doubt considered death's grasp.

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

Winter Courses January 4th to February 18th 1910.

Practical work, lectures and demonstrations will be given in such subjects as General Farming, Fruit Culture, Animal Husbandry, Dairying, Poultry Keeping, the Business side of Farming, Forestry, Caponry, Blacksmithing, Mechanical Drawing, Cooking, Sewing, Dressmaking, Home Management, etc.

All regular courses begin January 4th and end February 11th. Farmers' Week February 14th to 18th. A cordial invitation extended to all interested.

Good accommodations may be secured at reasonable rates. No age limit above 16 years. No entrance requirements. Prominent lecturers to be secured for special topics. The instructional force of the College numbers 109. Excellent equipment.

A special feature is the Farmers' Week which comes this year February 14th to 18th. Lectures, discussions, and a general reunion.

For further information address Registrar, Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Oregon. 6-15-p

LOCAL NEWS.

C. L. Leavengood and wife are visitors in the city today. Deputy Sheriff Ashworth is confined at his home with illness.

The Roseburg Book Store is unpacking a large array of holiday goods today.

The biggest and best line of Post Card Albums in Douglas county at Roseburg Book Store.

C. H. Oden and wife were visitors to the city today from Dixonville. Mr. Oden reports his vicinity prosperous.

A. G. Amesley and wife, of Portland, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Leavengood, at Myrtle Creek.

Mrs. B. F. Ryan leaves tomorrow

morning for Albany to join her husband who has a run on the S. P. out of that city.

Dr. Hoover reports the little child of J. H. Jasper, who has been dangerously ill during the past ten days as recovering.

Fifty-seven instruments were filed with County Clerk Lenox today. Most of these were deeds, while the remainder were mortgages, options and circuit court papers.

Dr. Hoover is attending Mrs. Phillips, of Cleveland, who has been very ill during the past few days. The lady is said to be on the way to recovery at this writing.

C. H. and C. Allen, of Looking Glass, were in the city today and during their stay called at The News office, the latter gentleman enrolling his name on our list of subscribers.

Indian baskets, birch bark, sweet grass and porcupine quill work made by St. Regis, Mohawks, Iroquois and other tribes, for sale at Roseburg Book Store. These are pretty goods at pleasing prices.

Fred Wick's infant child is seriously ill with a severe attack of pneumonia. The little one is being attended by Dr. E. V. Hoover. The Wick family reside at French settlement.

Mrs. S. H. Morse and her Sunday school class of the Baptist church will hold a window sale of home cooking at Milledge and Pickens Bros. store next Saturday. Everything in the line of home cookery, n-27

Dr. Hoover operated on Mrs. Busch wife of a S. P. brakeman, yesterday afternoon. The lady is said to be recovering and will soon be able to attend her household duties.

Our Art line was never so extensive before, nor so much appreciated, if the way they are selling is any

FEARFUL PANIC OSIKI

Men and Women Fight Each Other Like Wild Beast

ONE HUNDRED DEAD

Several are Injured and Many Who Will Die—Where Panic Ensued Men and Women Fought Like Beasts

(Special to The Evening News) TOKIO, Japan, Nov. 27.—Reports received from Osaki say that more than one hundred were killed in a panic at a general meeting of the Red Cross Society this afternoon, and several hundred injured, many of whom cannot recover.

More than thirty thousand were gathered to attend the meeting, the order having gained great and increasing popularity with the Japanese since the time of the last war with Russia. There was one doorway to the large building where the ceremonies were held for either entrance or exit. As the great crowd struggled and fought to enter many within commenced struggling to get out.

At this juncture a great panic ensued. Both men and women lost their senses in terror and fright. Sensible people on all other occasions were transformed into raving, crazy, frenzied beings, without reason and bereft of all human feeling. They struggled and fought each other like wild beasts, and in their extreme terror trampled hundreds under foot. It was an appalling happening.

KILLED SIX PERSONS WILL PAY PENALTY

(Special to The Evening News) BLUEFIELD, West Va., Nov. 27.—For committing one of the most brutal murders on record, in which the lives of six persons were taken, Howard Little was today found guilty and sentenced to be hanged. Little killed George Meadows, his wife and their three children and Nettie Justice, aged 70 years. The crime was committed near Hurley, West Virginia. When put on trial Little made no defense whatever.

NORWAY'S GREAT WRITER IS DYING

(Special to The Evening News) PARIS, Nov. 27.—The family of Bjornstjerne Bjornson, the Norwegian dramatist and novelist are gathered at his bedside at the hotel Wagram, fearing he will die before night. He has suffered from a stroke of paralysis, and is afflicted from the waist down.

DASTARDLY DEED

Ghouls Steal Body of Millionaire's Son

(Special to The Evening News) GREAT FALLS, Mont., Nov. 27.—One of the most heinous and daring crimes ever committed in this vicinity was brought to light yesterday afternoon in the nature of a grave snatching case, when the sexton of Highland cemetery found that last night the grave of the infant son of Harfield Conrad, son of William G. Conrad, a Great Falls millionaire banker, had been opened and the body of the child made away with. The crime was detected as the sexton was preparing for the arrival of a funeral party. In passing the gate of the bur-

ial ground he found the casket of a small child lying upon the ground. The casket was empty, and an inspection showed that the grave of the Conrad child had been opened. The only reason which can be ascribed for the dastardly crime is that the perpetrator desired to hold the body for ransom, and that he placed the casket in the most prominent spot about the cemetery so it would be seen.

The body of the Conrad child was interred in the cemetery about a year ago. The child was about four years of age.

BREAKS DOWN

Cook's Meath Impaired by Northern Journey

(Special to The Evening News) NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Suffering from a nervous breakdown following his labors in preparing his report for the University of Copenhagen to pass upon, Dr. Frederic A. Cook, the Arctic explorer, is at the home of friends in Manhattan. So serious is his ailment that not even his most intimate friends are allowed to see him.

Walter Lonsdale, the private secretary of the explorer, called yesterday with the records, with which Dr. Cook hopes to prove that he is the original discoverer of the North Pole, on the steamship United States, for Copenhagen. The records and reports contain about 30,000 words, and the university authorities probably will be several weeks going over them.

LOCAL NEWS.

W. H. Murdock, of Cleveland, was a business visitor in the city today. The regular Saturday evening dance will be given at the armory this evening.

The semi-annual election of officers of Philletarian lodge, I. O. O. F. will be held this evening.

James Holcomb was admitted to Mercy Hospital yesterday. The young man is a stranger in this section and was taken ill while camping in the mountains.

Mrs. Stephens, of West Roseburg, has the thanks of The News editor for a large bouquet of choice chrysanthemums which she sent to this office today.

The R. L. Gilie Prune Packing Company have shipped over 50 cars of prunes to date, and expect to ship several more carloads before the season closes. Most of the product was billed to Eastern markets.

A. L. Lee, one of Elkhead's prosperous farmers was a pleasant caller at the News office today. He is in the city attending to the publication of a notice of the intention of his road district to levy a special tax of 5 mills.

Frank E. Alley, who recently returned from Portland, says that he believes the Coos Bay and Inland Electric Railway will materialize, notwithstanding reports to the contrary. Mr. Alley intimates that the delay was brought about by sickness, one of the chief backers of the proposed line having been confined to his home several weeks and unable to approve the legal papers.

AT THE STAR

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SPECIAL ENGAGEMENT The Central Grand Concert Company of New York City

MAXIMILION DICK, America's leading violinist, assisted by MISS EDITH ADAMS, acknowledged as the world's greatest woman violin cellist. MME AUBY PEARLE-MEYFR, Soprano, late of Berlin and Hamburg, Germany. ADOLPH KNAUER, Pianist.

ARMONY WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1st, 1909

RESERVED SEATS AT MARSTER'S DRUG STORE

Reserved Seats 75c. Admission 50c

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Proclamation NO. IV.

Be it known to all the lady readers of The News that the Shamrock has come to town. And has come to stay. Four leaf clover for luck and Shamrock ware for quality.

This is an American enameled ware of quality, and of pleasing appearance. White inside and a beautiful green and shaded outside.

All seamless. All with most approved handles and bales. Handles round and easy to grasp. Bales of heavy wire, tinned.

An all round good piece of goods and like The Shamrock, "thing of beauty and a joy for—well a long time at least."

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