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The terrible tragedy enacted a few days ago at Coquille when a father took the law into his own hands and shot and killed another man who had wronged his daughter as if freeh in the memory of most of us. If reports of the affair are correct the fate meted out to the deceiver was about what he deserved, for there is no lower specimen of humanity than that man who will defiberately and out of the pure desire for lust ensuare a young girl and then rain her. But harsh as are his deserts the law provides a punishment for pack creatures and we must not tolerate another man taking the position of judge and jury and punishing the wrongdoer upon his own finding.

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finding.

We notice expressions in the columns of several issues of Coos county papers which have a tendency to
exonerate the man who has admitted
that he is guilty of the shooting. This
is not right. Our sympathless are
with this wronged father. We feel
that no punishment would have been
too severe for the despissible act of
the dead man. But we should not
allow our sympathy to run away
with our judgment and common
sense. The law may sometimes be
slow, it may sometimes be apparently harsh: it may sometimes even
work great hardships, but taken all
around it is about as just and fair
has could, be devised by imperfect
humanity. The public preus is the
final institution that should contennnee any interference with the administartion of the criminal law or
make it harder for the state's attorney to get a fair and impartial
verdict from the swarm jarors. Any
articles which tend to exonerate the
man-killer will have its influence on
the minds of the readers, who will
later be among those drawn to serve
as jurors at the trial of the softconfessed murderor who is going to
use the unwritten law as his defense
for his act. Let the law take its
course unaided and unusulated by a
prejudiced preus which has a tondency to bring about a hoatile attitude to the just administration of
the law. .............

POEM FOR TODAY.

A Love Song.

pose, Her breast a smoothed out viol tone Her hand is an early rose.

He color or music what she is, I nothing know, but my life's own need

LAUGHING GAS. ......

Mrs. A. L. Reache left for En-gone this morning where size will spend a few days redding at the home of her son, A! Reache

John Winniford he telegrand from points on the Calapsola river where he spent the past few weeks with friends and relatives.

L. B. Wallace, of the W. C. Hard ing Land Company, returned here this morning after a couple of days spent in Roychurg visiting with friends and looking after business matters.

The L. A. S., of Looking & P.
Glava will give a box and and over the social at the hall Friday overning, January 26th, The proposed will go toward paying for the new sheds and fence. There over the new sheds and fence. There over the new sheds and fence the state of the new sheds and fence the new

James Ewart, who has been ill of neumonia, was able to be about the treets today,

Frank E. Alley left for San Fran ises yesterday morning there is will spred a few days looking after puniness interests.

J. W. Jacobson, of Glendale, spent the day in Roseburg attending to various business matters and visiting with friends.

N. Selig returned to Myrtie Creek yesterday afternoon after a couple of days spent in Roseburg visiting with friends.

G. W. Wise, of Yoncalla, returned home yesterday afternoon after a few days spent in Roseburg visiting with criticals.

Mrs. Bassett returned to her home at Drain this morning after a few days spent in Roseburg visiting with her sister, Mrs. Eugene Bowers.

Mrs. Medley, of Oakland, under-vent an operation at Mercy hospital esterday morning. Dr. Sether was the attending surgeon.

Robert Taylor leaves for points in

Robert Taylor leaves for points in the East this evening in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of his father. C. E. siller, of Divide, spent the day in Roesburg attending to various business interests and visiting with triends.

Miss Ethel Dixon has returned rom Sacramento and other Califorila cities where she spent several nonths visiting with friends and

Mrs. Charles Barnard and child left for Eugene yesterday after-noon where they will spend a few days visiting with friends and rela-

John Fox, special agent for the Home Life Insurance Company, is spending a couple of days in Rose-burg attending to various business interests.

Douglas County Creamery butter s the best on the market. Insist on our grocer supplying you with a fresh and guaranteed. Two poun oll 85 cents.

Winnie Gaddis, the plumber, spent the day at Hiddle, where he is look-ing over the field with a view of advancing proposals for the contem-plated sower improvements to be made to that cily during the pres-ent year.

Rev. S. A. Donglas, formerly pas-tor of the Roseburg Hapitst church, but for the past few years of Al-isany, spent yesterday in town greet-ing friends. Rev. Donglas is at pres-ent holding a series of evangelistic orvices at Oakland.

County Commissioner Ryan and County Judge Wonncott met in in-formal session at the court house last night and formally signed con-tracts for the construction of sev-eral bridges to be erected in Doug-las county during the present year.

Mrs. C. C. Grimes has returned to ber home at Springfield after a few days spent in Roseburg visiting at the home of Mrs. Edward Pengra. rery wheel,
"It's a perfect here," returned the by Mrs. Catherine Gray, of Grants ger.

"It means nothing but hard knocks for me," sighed the nail.

"Yon haven't so much to go through as I have," but in the saw.
"I can barely scrape along," complained the plane.
"And I am constantly being set upon," added the bench.

"Let's strike," said the hammer.
"Cut it out" cried the chisel.
"here comes the boss."

And all was allene.—Boston Tran-

There comes the boss.

And all was silence.—Boston Transcript.

New On The Job.

"Your wife wants you on the telephone," amounced the new boy in an office where two different phones were installed.

"Whith one," inquired the boss. Thursting of the two industry of the control in the phones were installed.

"Whith one," inquired the boss. Thursting of the two industry.

"Which one?" inquired the boss, thinking of the two telephones, "Please, sir," said the bay, "I don't know how many you have."

LOCAL NEWS.

S. D. Evans, or Umpqua, was a business victor in Reseburg for a few hours yesterday.

H. O. Dourte and wife, of Nebras-

Paul Palmer left for Periland this morning whose he contemplates for earlier permanently.

Frank Walte of Satherine, apont the day in Rossburg attending to binances matters and greeting friends.

H. O. Dourte and wife, of Nebrassa, arrived in the city on the early train yesterday, and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Dourte, of Edubower, The former gentleman to the youngest brother of the latter, and they had not seen each other for the latter, and they had not seen each other for the years. The visiting relatives resonned their journey Eastward this morning.

The thirty second anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Wood, of North Resesburg, was made the second of a family party at their home Thesefux creating. The bour was passed pleasantly in relating grandmerrances of miny years ago in the Northwest. Mr. Wood being a native of Wolfa Walla, where his parasite retited in 1809. Delictons fruit much, eake and mus were served to be guests, and also many masterl electrons upon the most and the way a late hour when the party broke up, all wishing for the bust and hostess many returns of the happy analyersary.

CALL FOR CITY WARRANTS.

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Notice is hereby given all persons holding General Fund Warrants against the City of Roseburg, Orceon, endorsed "Not paid for want of funds" prior to and including July 13th, 1913, to present the same to the city breasurer for payment, a biterest thereon will rease after the date of this perior.

date of this notice.
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Dentists.

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DR. D. E. SNELL, Osteopathic Physician,

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Doug-

dyrtle C. Preston, Plaintiff,

las,
Myrtle C. Preston, Plaintiff,
VS.
R. A. Preston, Defendant.
To R. A. Preston, defendant:
In the name of the state of Oregon
You are hereby required to appear
and answer the complaint filled
against you is the above entitled
against you is the above entitled
state on or before the first day of
the February term of the above entitied court 1912, to-wit, the 19th day
of Ferbuary A. D. 1912; and if you
fall so to answer, for want thereof the
plaintiff will apply to the court for
the relief demanded in her complaint, to-wit, a decree of divorcetrom defendant and that you be divested of all right in the N. ½ N. ½
Sec. 32 Tp. 33 S. R. 6 W. of W. M.
and for her costs and disbursaments
herein, This publication of summons is by virtue of and order of
the judge of the above entitled court
made on the 6th day of January A.
D. 1912, ordering same published
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Date of first publication, December 6th, 1912.

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Attorney for Plaintiff.

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## GENERAL DRAYING

H. S. FRENCH

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cion of the local council and the ogress of its activities, as related scenting, is evidence to the boy, to knows the scout program, that e community is interested in him at only interested in him at control of the community of the control of the compelling him to attend the bits school in order that he may properly trained for his citizening duties later on), but interested his play also, when that play olesomely and happily contributes, it does in the mout program, to physical, mental, and moral decomment.

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Semi-Weekly.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 1912. LAW MUCH TAKE ITS COURSE.

Brown eyes I say, yet say I blue.

I think her mouth is a melody,
Her bosom a petal shaned and new.
Her hand is a passing sigh.

Be her eyes of blue or brown, in-

In The Carpenter Shop. "Life's a hard grind, said the tery wheel,

Mrs. Laura C. Smith, of Drain, arrived in Rossburg but evening to spend a few days disting at the home of Mrs. E. W. Pago.

W. Z. Simmonds and family, who have resided in the Brockway vicinity for several years, left for Portland this morning where they expect to locate permanently.

Kendrick & King, the grocers, expect to more from their present location on February 1, and thereafter will occupied by Henry Easten. The late

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