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A HUNG JURY

The famous trial of the Roseburg Brewery and Ice Company and its five directors came to an unfortunate end this morning when the jury which had listened to the evidence returned into the court room and stated to the presiding judge that they were unable to reach a verdict. This particular case is at an end. But the fight that the officers of this county are making for law enforcement has just begun. The spectacle that went on in the jury room is hardly believable. That men sworn to render a fair and impartial verdict would so humble themselves to their prejudices, so belittle themselves as to render a verdict other than their honest belief is more than the average citizen can understand.

District Attorney Brown worked hard in the presentation of his proof of the charges made in the indictment. Sheriff Quine and his deputies were not negligent in any manner in ferreting out the truth.

On all sides are heard only words of high praise for the able manner in which the state, through its prosecutor and sheriff, conducted the case against the brewery and its officers. Eleven of those jurors were satisfied that the charge made was true. Six of them only voted their convictions. Five voted for acquittal on flimsy pretences. The other one said from the outset that there was only one thing to do and that was to "agree not to agree." He did not even say that he felt that the defendants were not guilty. He gave no reason for his stubborn adherence to vote for the defendants. He didn't care for a verdict of acquittal or guilt. He wanted to hang that jury, and he did. And why? He alone can tell.

Law violators are law violators, be they men high in the affairs of their community or the man who toils hard from morn till night in order to make a bare living for those who depend upon him. The rich and great should be given measure for measure with the poor and humble. As District Attorney Brown said, in closing the most eloquent, the most masterful, the most forceful address we have ever heard in any court room, either state or federal, "Crime is Crime. Let the guilty be punished."

There are still a number of indictments against these same defendants. They will be tried again. And when that trial is had we trust that the jurymen, who are sworn to lay aside all prejudice and bias that they may have, will render a verdict in accordance with their convictions as arrived at by the evidence that that have heard, and not vote guilty or not guilty when it is his honest belief that the defendants are guilty but votes for them because of something outside the record. Such a course brings that jurymen into disrepute and makes the public at large question his sincerity. Let him vote his conviction, no matter at what cost.

We will wager that the percentage of alcohol in beer is common knowledge to people of Roseburg today.

The attorneys for the brewery get the dividend the next time.

We wonder how much surplus there is left.

And right on top of the trail a wet petition is filed with the county clerk.

Speak right up. How many can analyze beer after hearing the learned Dr. Hampton's lecture to the jury on the subject.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Miller at Glendale, on September 4, when Blake L. Miller and Miss Fern Richardson were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. K. Howard, pastor of the Glendale Methodist church, and was witnessed by members of the immediate family and a few friends of the contracting parties. Following the ceremony the couple received congratulations. Mr. and Mrs. Miller were the recipients of many beautiful wedding gifts. The couple will make their home at Glendale.

Miss Willetta Green, who left here a few days ago for Portland is said to be very ill of smallpox. She is at present confined in the hospital for smallpox patients which is situated on the outskirts of the metropolis.

PRUNE PICKERS WANTED
Persons desiring employment as prune pickers will please make application at Rancho Del Rio at Glide, Ore., or telephone 4 F 12. 475x21

At the Parish house on Cass street Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock the equal suffrage club will hold its regular meeting, important business to transact, so all members and those interested are urged to be present. By order of the Pres,
MRS. W. W. CARWELL.

GEORGE POWERS ACCUSED OF A SERIOUS CRIME
Trial Is In Progress in the Circuit Court Today—Many Witnesses Testify During Progress Of The Trial.

A jury composed of G. W. Kruse, E. W. Main, J. R. Dean, J. A. Perry, D. M. Thomas, J. B. Kurtz, J. E. Winniford, O. E. Holdridge, T. W. Coffey, J. F. Terry, Frank Percy and J. D. Wright, is today listening to the evidence in the case of the state vs. George Powers a would-be prizefighter, who was recently indicted on a charge of attempting to break jail.

Powers was originally arrested in Roseburg on a charge of attempting to force entrance to a room occupied by a local young lady, and upon being given a preliminary hearing was held to appear before the Grand Jury. An indictment was returned following the investigation of this body, and Powers was arraigned in court. Showing a disposition to "put it over the court," Powers pleaded guilty and asked permission to interrogate a fellow giving his name as Kennedy who appeared as the prosecuting witness. The request was granted whereupon Powers started in to abuse the witness to the amusement of the spectators. Judge Hamilton interfered, and after quieting the scene, sentenced Powers to 50 days in the county jail.

It was while serving this sentence that Powers is alleged to have participated in an attempted jail delivery,

which came near being successful. He was later brought before the Grand Jury on the latter charge and indicted. His case followed today. The State contends and has introduced evidence to the effect, that Powers was guilty of participating in the attempted jail delivery and should be convicted on the charge contained in the indictment. Among the witnesses testifying against Powers during the day were Sheriff Quine, Deputy Sheriffs Fred Stewart and Ralph Quine, Night Officer Chambers and H. L. Price, at present an inmate of the state penitentiary. Price was in jail on the night of the attempted delivery, and according to his testimony Powers was one of the leading lights in the affair.

District Attorney George M. Brown represents the State while Powers is being represented by Attorney W. W. Cardwell. The case will go to the jury late today.

Grand Jury Busy
On account of the Powers case occupying the attention of the District Attorney today, the Grand Jury is alone conducting the examination of witnesses called in the investigation of certain booze cases. At three o'clock this afternoon the Grand Jury had failed to make a report. It is not likely that the Grand Jury will conclude their deliberations before sometime next week.

BANK STATEMENT
\$955.

Report of the conditions of the Roseburg National Bank, at Roseburg, in the state of Oregon, at the close of business, September 4, 1912.

Loans and Discounts.....	\$259,482.43
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	5,016.75
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	12,500.00
Bonds, securities, etc.....	24,210.50
Banking house, Furniture and Fixtures.....	24,609.00
Other Real Estate owned.....	8,647.41
Due from National Bank (not reserve agents).....	24.05
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Saving Banks.....	4,219.27
Due from approved Reserve Agents.....	34,304.80

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MRS. E. L. McINTOSH, Instructor-Mgr.
MISS FLORENCE B. McINTOSH, Asst.

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Checks and other Cash Items.....	2,966.54
Notes of other National Banks.....	285.00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickles, and Cents.....	102.65
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank viz: Specie.....	37,920
Legal-tender notes.....	4,124
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation).....	32,044.00
	625.00
Total.....	\$409,037.40

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....	50,000.00
Surplus fund.....	10,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid.....	7,414.15
National Bank Notes outstanding.....	12,495.00
Individual deposits subject to check.....	320,445.17
Demand certificates of deposit.....	8,683.08
Total.....	\$409,037.40

I, A. C. Marsters, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
A. C. MARSTERS,
Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of September, 1912.
D. S. HOUSER,
Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
I. ABRAHAM,
J. F. BARKER,
J. W. HAMILTON,
Directors.

BANK STATEMENT
No. 93.

Report of the condition of The Umpqua Valley Bank, at Roseburg, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, September 4th, 1912.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts.....	\$ 90,387.00
Bonds and warrants.....	5,612.20
Furniture and fixtures.....	3,333.96
Due from approved reserve banks.....	24,006.76
Checks and other cash items.....	208.70
Cash on hand.....	8,555.03
Expenses.....	1,246.69

Total.....	\$133,350.33
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 34,400.00
Undivided profits.....	756.64
Deposits due State Treasurer.....	7,500.00
Individual deposits subject to check.....	87,079.44
Demand certificates of deposit.....	3,614.25
Total.....	\$133,350.33

I, J. M. Throne, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
J. M. THRONE,
Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of September, 1912.
D. R. SHAMBOOK,
Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
J. C. AIKEN,
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H. J. FREAR,
Directors.

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