

GORED TO DEATH BY A DEER

Little Girl in New Jersey is Killed by Wild Deer in woods Near Egg Harbor

Egg Harbor City, N. J., Aug. 29—Gored by an angry deer which had been liberated with others in woods near this city, the ten-year-old daughter of Joseph Bleckner, of this city, was so badly hurt that she died today.

The deer, under the protection of the State Game Commission and a law imposing a fine of \$200 for killing deer, had become marauders in gardens and the cause of many complaints. The Bleckner children, who live on the outskirts of the city, were playing on the roadway a few evenings ago when the deer appeared, led by a buck which charged upon the children and knocked down and gored and trampled the little girl.

The buck showed fight when driven off by rescuers of the child, but finally followed the herd into the woods.

Simpson Defeated

Jerry Simpson was defeated for the Democratic nomination for delegate in congress from Arizona by G. P. Money son of the Mississippi senator, by a vote of 117 to 36.

Mange Horses

Heppner, Aug. 29—Sheriff Shutt shot four head of horses afflicted with the mange, last Saturday. The diseased horses have been ranging near Heppner for some time and many complaints have been coming in for fear of further spread of this contagious disease among the horses of this section.

MILITIA MAY AGAIN TAKE PART

Douney, Aug. 29—Governor Peabody today sent a letter to Sheriff Bell of Teller county in regard to the mob which last Saturday deported 15 men and destroyed a store of the Interstate Mercantile Company. The governor says he is informed the mob contemplates further outrages and offers to send the militia to again assist the sheriff in maintaining order.

WOMEN ADRIFT ON HEAVY SEA

Marinette, Wis., Aug. 29—After drifting thirty miles in a row boat in one of the heaviest seas ever known on Green Bay, two young women and three children landed safely tonight at Greengport, eight miles from Sturgeon Bay.

The members of the party were Gertrude Sawyer 19 of Menominee, Mich.; Inez Wassner 17, and two young sons and a daughter of Frederick Baker.

This morning they left Fernwood, a resort about five miles from here where Mr. Baker has a summer home. They rowed out until they got into the heavy sea when they were unable to return. They were soon lost sight of from the Marinette shore, and three tugs and many sailboats were sent out to search for them. They could not be found and it was feared that all had been lost.

The heroine of the adventure was Miss Sawyer, who is a senior in the Menominee High School. She compelled the four others to lie down flat in the boat and then steered it with an oar.

MANY MINERS ARE LEAVING NOME CAMP

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 29—With her decks lined with 200 passengers the Northwestern Steamship company's steamship Victoria reached the Robinson dock late yesterday from Nome, and the indications point to a poor season in the Bering sea mining camp from the number of fishing men returning.

Fully 500 stevedore passengers have reached Seattle from Nome in the last 30 days and reports reaching Seattle on the Victoria are to the effect that many more will leave camp unless operations of the mines commence the

coming season. Conditions in the camp are about the same as early in the season. While Nome presents a lively scene its work is in progress in comparison to this time last season. Both miners and operators realize that money is to be had in the creek, but water shortage is the serious collection.

Nearly \$10,000,000

Pendleton, Aug. 29—Umatilla county's aggregate assessment this year will amount to about \$9,000,000. These are the figures of 1903, and Assessor C. P. Strain says this year's completed rolls will show about the same amount. The completed roll will not be made public for a week or two yet.

Lawton Sold.

Canyon City Ore Aug. 29—The property of the Lawton Investment Company was sold at sheriff's sale last Saturday to E. J. Summerville for \$3000, on an execution to satisfy a judgment in favor of Lina H. Sturgis. The property sold includes the townsite of the town of Lawton, a boom town in the Greenhorn mountains, two miles west of Granite.

For Sale

An extra good cow and calf. Inquire at the Old Town Store.—F. Smith.

Furniture For Sale

And house to rent apply to Mrs. Shearer opposite Star Grocery North of track.

Furnished Room

Centrally located corner of Washington and 6th Streets. Known as Geo. Ball's lodging house.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior
Land Office at La Grande, Oregon
July 18, 1904

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at La Grande, Oregon, on Sept. 7, 1904, viz: H. E. No. 8578, Henry Dean, of Starkey, Oregon, for the N¹/₂ SW¹/₄ Sec 26 & E¹/₂ NE¹/₄ Sec 27, Tp 3 S, R 35 E, W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Edward M. Coombs, Harvey F. Briggs, Winfield S. McMinn, Henry Hagey, of Starkey, Oregon. E. W. Davis, Register.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Ernest H. Estberg, Neil Estberg, Frank Shulstrom, Ben Shulstrom of Hilgoin, Ore. E. W. Davis, Register.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.
Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that Christian W. Murphy, has filed her final account as administratrix of the estate of Thomas N. Murphy, deceased and the County Court of Union county Oregon has set Tuesday, the 6th day of September, A. D. 1904, at two o'clock P. M. for the hearing of such report.
Christina W. Murphy, Administratrix.

ACUTE RHEUMATISM
Deep tearing or wrenching pains, occasioned by getting wet through; worse when at rest, or on first moving the limbs and in cold or damp weather, is cured quickly by Ballard's Snow Liniment. Oscar Oleson, Gibson City Illinois, writes, Feb 16 1902: "A year ago I was troubled with a pain in my back. It soon got so bad I could not bend over. One bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment cured me." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by Newlin Drug Co.

Dr. P. A. CHARLTON
VETERINARY SURGEON,
Office at A. T. Hill's Drug Store
La Grande, Oregon Phone 1361
Residence phone 701

FARMERS ATTENTION

I have purchased the SPokane CAFE and it is my intention to make a special effort to please the farmers. In order to do this I have decided to furnish a special meal Saturday of each week which I call the Farmers' Dinner. This meal will include all that the market affords and will be served in regular family style. This will be the best meal ever offered in La Grande for 25 cents. When in the city call at the Spokane Cafe and see exactly how good a meal you can buy for 25 cents.

REMEMBER we pay cash for butter, eggs and chickens.
J. F. Johnson.

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Kinds of Job Work

BLOCKLAND BROS.

Island City, Oregon

Breeders of BERKSHIRE and POLANDCHINA SWINE.

Young stock always on hand, and always glad to have you call and see our hogs, as we breed them for the farmer, and ask you to compare our prices before buying some where else.

We have now two fine young Berkshire boars on hand, July pigs ready for use only \$20. For short time only.

We want your Hay and Grain

AND WILL PAY THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICE

We will take all you have, no matter whether it is only a few tons or if it is several hundred tons. We want all the hay in the valley and then some.

A. V. OLIVER

WHOLESALE and RETAIL HAY and GRAIN DEALER

Half a Carload of New Wall Paper.

We have just received half a car load of the newest and latest wall paper. Half a carload means 20,000 rolls. This is more paper than any one firm ever thought of bringing into this county in a single season.

This paper is all for sale and must be sold this season. We have brought two first class paper hangers direct from Chicago, who are without doubt the most skillful workmen in Eastern who, with the first class paper hangers already in our employ, gives us the best working force in the inland Empire.

Stackland & McLachlen

PAINTS, OILS AND GLASS

WHITE ROSE FLOUR

Is filled with the idea of pleasing every dealer's high class trade—customers who appreciate quality. The name of the Pioneer Flouring Mill Co. guarantees reliability and highest grade in every sack of flour bearing the White Rose brand.

Pioneer Flouring Mill Co.

Take Care of Your Trophies

I will pay from \$2 to \$10 for male deer heads, heads according to directions. The dotted lines on back of neck and head show where to rip the skin. To bleed your game cut the jugular as low down as possible; never cut the throat. Commence to skin by making a cut from the base of the horn to back of the head thence down the back of the neck to top of shoulders thence around the side to point of brisket, work the skin carefully away from the base of the horns. When the car is reached cut off those to skin, afterwards remove the flesh, when the eye is reached run the finger in from the outside and raise up the eyelid to avoid cutting it. When the tearpit is reached which is near the corner of the eye, work the skin out of the cavity with the point of the knife. In the corner of the mouth is reached cut through and expose the teeth, leave all the black lining on the lip also all the cartilage on the nose. Salt heavily and roll up for 24 hours then dry in the shade. Unless salted well and dried in the shade your work is almost worthless. Use nothing but salt. Cut as much of the flesh off the head as possible, work the brain out the hole at back of head. Save the under jaw bones, head drying the skin keep it from wrinkling. I will also mount your trophies at reasonable prices.

WM HAWS
Taxidermist