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FRANKLIN IN TOLLGATE DITCH

FOUR HAVE REMARKABLE ESCAPE FROM DEATH.

Only One Hurt Badly—Others Escape—Machine a Wreck.

Elgin, Aug. 15.—A six-cylinder Franklin lies in a deep gulch on Cat's back, seven miles from Toll Gate, a total wreck and will probably never be removed, while on man is in bed here suffering with injuries and three others are bruised up as a result of a sensational "spill" last evening. While the big Walla Walla car, driven by John Widdell of Milton, tumbled over and over down a steep embankment. In the car at the time the accident happened, were John Bowman and his son, Will Bowman, of Lostine, Lyn Hammock of Lostine and the driver. The brakes refused to work, it seems, and jumping when the car started over the embankment, the men were saved from instant death.

The car rolled completely over four times before reaching the bottom of the cliff, which is very steep at that point. Walking, riding and telephoning, the least hurt of the four managed to get help, and a doctor from Elgin. One man, Mr. Bowman, senior, was quite severely hurt and it was believed for a time that his back was broken. Such proved not the case today when he was brought to Dr. Kirby's office. The other three are about the streets today, but little the worse for the accident.

It was by the merest margin that the men escaped instant death. The driver shouted when he discovered he had lost control of the car and all jumped just as she went over the edge of the cliff.

OLD-TIME FRIENDS LOCATED

Dr. and Mrs. Lincoln, This City, Are Friends of Alice Miller.

Most Worthy Grand Matron, Alice Miller of the general grand chapter of Eastern Star, who has just returned from a trip through Alaska and was given a formal reception at Portland last week, was an old time playmate and schoolmate of Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Lincoln of this city yet Dr. Lincoln failed to meet her while he was in Portland at the same time, reports Mrs. Fred G. Schilke of this city who attended the reception. In the midst of the reception, when the formalities of the occasion had been dropped, Mrs. Miller made inquiry regarding the probability of any La Grande people being present. Miss Mary Warnick, Mrs. Fred G. Schilke, Mrs. Forest and others were pointed out to her and of them she inquired about Dr. Lincoln and his wife. As luck would have it, Dr. Lincoln had just left Portland the day before, and the two were thus denied the privilege of meeting again. Mrs. Miller hopes to come to La Grande later in the summer.

About 500 attended the reception. Mrs. Schilke, who with Mrs. Pauline Riley, attended from here, returned Sunday.

Four Made Two.

County Clerk Wright today made possible, by the issuance of marriage licenses, the uniting of four people into two. The first couple thus "treated" were William Devore of Cove and Miss Minnie Hurst of Union. Martin J. Gale and Miss Mary Hoke, both of Union.

Exposition a Stimulant.

There is some question whether an exposition is a real help to a city, but in San Diego, which is preparing to hold one in 1915, the building operations have amounted to \$2,352,000 in less than six months of 1911, and for a city of some 40,000 people, that is admitted to be "going some."

HACKETT FUNERAL TOMORROW.

Remains Will Be Laid Away From the Episcopal Church at 2:30 O'clock.

The remains of the late A. B. Hackett, who died at Pine Bluff, Arkansas, late last week, will be laid away from the Episcopal church in this city tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The body has been shipped here for burial. Mr. Hackett was a brother of Mrs. Fred Swaney of this city, and his death leaves Mrs. Swaney with only a single living relative.

All friends of the bereaved sister are invited to attend the services.

LIST OF LETTERS.

remaining uncalled for in this office for the week ending August 11, 1911.

Names—Gentlemen.

Boller, Mr. W. B.
Beck, Mr. S. A.
Corbin, Mr. Arthur
Deshermear, Mr. Aurilla
Gabril, Mr. Bob
Johnston, Mr. Allie
Koly, Mr. Frank
Larsen, Mr. Sigurd
Mahoney, Mr. R. D.
Martin, Mr. C. F.
Najjar, Mr. R.
Ovesen, Mr. Albert (2)
Ovesen, Mr. Ole
Roberts, Ralph A.
Liman, Mr. Geo. R.
Schaffer, Mr. Frank
Union Fruit company.
Vagberg, Herr Adolf
Weise, William M.
Weise, W. M.
Walker, Mr. J. H.
Welch, Mr. H. N.
Wagner, Mr. John L.

Names—Ladies.

Brooks, Mrs. W. W.
Bookate, Miss Gladys
Fisher, Mrs. Alice
Furrington, Mrs. L. J.
Johnson, Mrs. George G.
Alfchel, Mrs. Nola
Morton, Mrs. G. A.
McEwen, Mrs. J. C.
McKennon, Mrs. Mamie E.
McKeene, Mrs.
Nelson, Mrs. Effie
Versaw, Miss Ida
Wampler, Miss Nellie
Wilson, Mrs. Mollie

These letters will be sent to the dead letter office August 25, 1911, if not delivered before.

In calling for the above, please say "advertised," giving date of list.
G. M. RICHESY, P. M.

WRECK AT STANFIELD.

Crew Sent Out From La Grande—None Hurt in Accident.

Derailment of four cars of an extra freight, at Stanfield in Umatilla county, this morning called the wrecking crew from La Grande. None were hurt in the accident, in which the extra freight was being hauled by engine 507.

Two Panama Expositions.

The opening of the Panama canal is an event big enough to be celebrated by the holding of two expositions, and both of them will be hummers.

AMERICAN YET A FOREIGNER

SPOKANE WOMAN HAS PECULIAR HARDSHIP.

News of Spokane and Tributary Country in Brief.

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 15.—Judge F. H. Rudkin, sitting in the United States district court for eastern Washington in Spokane, will be called on to pass upon several legal problems of international importance at the present session, when counsel for Mrs. Maude E. Black, wife of J. H. Black, a stone mason, living at 1716 East Marietta avenue, presents an application for a writ of mandamus to force the clerk to issue naturalization papers for the woman.

Mrs. Black has been declared an alien, though she was born and raised in the United States and has never set foot on foreign soil, involuntarily becoming a British subject by marrying a native of Canada in the United States, several years ago. The district clerk holds that she cannot be restored to citizenship until her husband swears allegiance to the United States. This, Mrs. Black declared with emphasis, she will not permit her husband to do.

"I was born in the town of Weyauwega, Waupaca county, Wis., 38 years ago and my forebearers fought in the revolutionary and civil wars," Mrs. Black said. "My people have been American for more than 135 years and yet I am classed as an alien. I have never stepped outside of the United States, but the clerk of the federal court declares I cannot vote until my husband becomes an American citizen. I did not know I had married away my legal rights."

"I was told at a recent city election that I could not vote though the state law of Washington gives the ballot to all women of legal age. To force the issue I was challenged at the polls and the clerk very promptly declined to hand me a ballot. I have now engaged counsel to receive my naturalization papers by mandamus proceedings, after which the merits of the case may be determined by the courts. I am prepared to fight to the end for my rights."

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 15.—Placer ground, rich in gold has been discovered in the Blackfoot district in northern Idaho 93 miles southeast of Spokane, by Ah Yen, a Chinese trader at 61 Riverside avenue, according to his statements to officials of the United States customs house in Spokane on returning from an exploration trip along the Washington-Idaho border. The deposits, which are four miles from a flowing stream and require not less than 15 miles of flumes to convey water to the gravel, were found more than 30 years ago by two Chinese prospectors, who were killed and robbed by a white man. To destroy evidence of the crime the rustler cremated the bodies of his victims and fled from the country. Yen says that a woman who sewed the poke to hold the miners' gold, told the rustler of the find by the Chinese and urged him to locate claims nearby. Instead he murdered the miners and carried off their nuggets. James Daniels, deputy customs collector, to whom Yen told the story of the find, says the trader will not locate the claims.

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 15.—Charles W. Mohr of Spokane, president of the Inland Empire Threshermen's association, says in a report to the Spokane chamber of commerce that the grain yield in eastern Washington and Oregon, north and central Idaho and western Montana, is larger and of better quality than any crop ever harvested in this district. Winter wheat is running as high as 50 bushels, spring wheat 30 bushels and barley from 60 to 75 bushels to the acre. Some of the wheat weighs 64 pounds a bushel. Mr. Mohr received the foregoing information in reports from threshermen in the field. The reports are confirmed by advices from many districts to bankers, millers and grain handlers in this city, who say that the wheat crop in eastern Washington will be the largest in the history of the state. Orris Dorman of Spokane, one of the bonanza ranchers in this district, reports there is sufficient help to handle the crop, the wages rang-

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ing from \$2.50 to \$4.50 per day, according to the work. The hay crop also will eclipse all records in this part of the country.

Spokane, Aug. 15.—Two million rainbow, cut-throat and eastern brook trout were distributed in the lakes and streams of eastern Washington by the state fish hatchery on the Little Spokane river this season, according to Superintendent S. S. Drew, who announced today that the plan will resume early in December to double the output. The efforts of the hatchery of the hatchery officials have been largely directed to the introduction of eastern brook trout, this species being well adapted to the local waters. They are game and provide excellent sport, as well as highly desirable food. Superintendent Drew said that the policy of importing eastern trout will be continued next season, when it is expected to restock more than a dozen lakes. The Spokane Fish Protective association has co-operated with the officials of the hatchery, also assisting the fish and game wardens in enforcing the laws. The officers of the association were instrumental in interesting the federal government in assigning experts to make a scientific investigation of the nearby lakes.

Spokane, Aug. 15.—Thirty-five thousand acres of hay lands in the Colville valley, in Stevens county, Wash., north of Spokane, restored by the reclamation service, are yielding average crops of three tons to the acre this season. The profit to the grower is from \$16 to \$18 a ton. The crop is the largest in the history of the country. It is estimated that the hay production in the state of Washington this season will be about 925,000 tons as against 815,000 tons in 1910. The yield in the Kittitas valley, west of here is placed at 100,000 tons. The grain and fruit crops in Stevens county also will be larger than ever before, the acreage in wheat and other grains being 25 per cent larger than in 1910.

Notice of Impounded Stock.
Notice is hereby given that on the 12th day of August, 1911, I took up while running at large in the city of

La Grande, Oregon, the following described animal, to-wit:

One gray mare about 15 hands and three inches high, branded "R" under point of right shoulder no other brands or marks visible, weight about 1350 to 1375 lbs. that I have impounded said animal in the city pound of La Grande, Oregon, under and by the virtue of the ordinance thereof and will unless the owner claims and pays the costs and expenses of such impounding and keeping of said animal at the expiration of ten (10) days from the date of this notice, I will advertise and sell said animal as provided by the ordinance of said city.

Done and date at La Grande, Oregon, this 15th day of August, 1911.

J. W. WALDEN,
Chief of Police.

New Trial Asked For.

Yesterday afternoon motion for a new trial in the Hogg case was filed before Judge Knowles. Counsel for the defense was given until Thursday to produce affidavits and the arguments will then be heard.

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