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State News Brevities

Fears for Life—Flees.

Salem, Ore., Aug. 18.—Fearing that convicts whose plans for escape he had divulged to the penitentiary officials would kill him, R. A. Arstel, serving a term in the penitentiary for highway robbery, committed in this county, fled from the institution yesterday afternoon and he has not yet been apprehended.

According to the prison officials a number of convicts employed at a brickyard a week ago had planned a wholesale break, and Arstel, who was a trusty, had been confided in and was to participate in the break. Instead of joining them, he divulged the whole plan to the authorities with the result that all the convicts involved were taken away from the brickyard and confined to the prison.

Learning that Arstel had betrayed them, the convicts threatened to "get him at the first opportunity. Fearing that they would execute their threats the officials did not incarcerate Arstel in the prison, but allowed him to sleep in the barn and to work in the brickyard nights. The threats preyed on his mind, say the officials, and fearing the convicts would kill him, despite the precautions taken, he took advantage of the liberties granted him and fled.

Arstel had served a previous term in the institution. He was accompanied in his flight by Fred Justilla, sentenced from Lane county for larceny. Justilla had been recommended for a parole by the parole board, and would have been given his freedom just as soon as Governor West could pass on the recommendation, say the officials.

Prune Crop Is Promising.

Mosier, Ore., Aug. 18.—Harvesting of the Mosier prune crop will begin Monday. The district shipped through the Mosier Fruit Growers' association 15,000 boxes of green prunes last season, and this year's harvest will yield as heavily. R. D. Charfield, manager of the association, says the crop of this year is of better quality than that of last season. The price offered this year is said to be satisfactory to growers, who are optimistic over the fruit outlook. One of the largest prune orchards of the district is that owned by Mark A. Mayer. Crews of pickers have been drawn from the Hood River valley and other adjacent fruit districts, where work at the present time is slack in the orchards.

Hobble Skirt Has Victim.

Medford, Ore., Aug. 19.—Trying to take a long step in her first hobble skirt yesterday, Miss Mabel Norling, 18 years old, tripped and fell, striking the floor of the room with such force that she sustained a broken arm and several minor bruises.

Miss Norling had just put on the new creation and was to attend a Sunday social gathering, when, at the first step, her feet became tangled in the closely confined toilette and she fell, striking the arm of a chair.

In spite of her catastrophe the young woman declares she is not discouraged and as soon as she is able to move about the new skirt will be used again.

Grain Yield Good In Polk.

Airle, Ore., Aug. 19.—Polk county's grain crops have shown good yields. Oats threshed from 20 to 60 bushels an acre, and vetch and oats combined averaged 25 bushels an acre. Wheat, of which there is a small acreage, has made a fair average.

Where oats and vetch were planted together, the yield showed about one-half or each. Along the sloughs the vetch outgrew the oats and was entirely straight vetch. Later is fell on the ground on account of no oats to hold it up, and was greener than usual when threshed.

Large Quantity of Wool in Baker.

Baker, Aug. 20.—On account of late rains, Grant county wool growers did not shear their flocks as early this year as formerly, consequently their clip did not reach the Baker market in time for sales day.

However, the wool is here and there are about 90,000 pounds in warehouses awaiting offer from buyers.

Yesterday E. J. Burke of Pendle-

ton examined the lot but has not yet made a purchase.

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