

Promise Steers Trap Themselves In Old Residence

By Mrs. Bertha Carper (Observer Correspondent)
PROMISE (Special)—Sam Kendell had a very unusual experience one day recently. When out hunting for his cattle he found two yearling steers in the upstairs of the old Henderson house, which stands on the open range and in which no one has lived for two years. The steers had climbed the stairs and pushed a door shut after them. Mr. Kendell went for the snuffer boys to help him and the animals were brought down without any injury.

Fred Carper had the misfortune to lose his saddle horse Saturday. It is believed the animal was bitten by a rattlesnake.

Miss Lillian Carper spent a couple of days at Eden the first of the week sewing for her little two-year-old niece.

One of the horses belonging to the sheepmen at Maxville ate some poisoned grain one day last week and died. Three horses pushed open the door where the grain was stored and ate some of it. The men were able to save two of them.

Ellis Haney, who has been staying with his uncle, Edd Carper, is having a very painful time with a tooth. He was first taken to a doctor, who took out the filling and lanced the tooth. The relief was only temporary and the boy was taken to a doctor who lanced his jaw. He is still suffering very much.

Mrs. Bessie Gorbett crossed the Wildcat canyon Saturday and spent the weekend with Mr. Gorbett at the sheep camp on Middle Point.

Two brothers by the name of Tucker arrived Sunday from Kennewick and are living on the Alfred Carper place which they have rented. They came in a car and brought a truck load of their goods. One of the brothers intends to return to Kennewick in a few days, but both will be moved here before winter.

The Walter Carper family is quarantined because of smallpox. The mother and four of the children are ill of the disease. The county nurse from Enterprise was at the Carper home Saturday. Joe, the 12-year-old son, had the misfortune to suffer a bad eye bruise when a splinter of wood flew and struck the eyeball while he was splitting wood.

Charles Wortman is at Eden helping Walt Teel with his haying.

Ines and Lovetta Denton visited Monday with Evelyn Morse.

Mrs. Dora Adams, of Joseph, visited last week with her daughter, Mrs. Dee Moore.

Mrs. Julia Sannar and daughter, and Mrs. Lulu Trump and two daughters, visited Saturday with Mrs. Salie Lyons, of Sunnyside.

Edgar Barton arrived Saturday from Fayetteville, W. Va., and during the open session of the Promise grange, at the lecturer's hour, related some of the experiences of his trip. He said he left the east June 6 and not caring to start out walking he took a bus to Huntington and from there started hiking. In a little while he was picked up by a man driving a truck and from then on he walked but very little. His rides were mostly on trucks, driven by men making long runs, but which also sometimes took him a long way from the direct route. He stated that conditions are much worse in the east than here. He thought Indiana was the worst state through which he passed and Missouri the slowest to offer him a ride. He came through Kansas City and near there saw fine fields of potatoes all in bloom but farther west he found the wheat crop very poor. He spent his nights in hotels and ate at restaurants. While coming through Wyoming he found himself one night far from a hotel so decided to try sleeping out in the sage brush, but the mosquitoes were so bad he moved on and walked most of the night. At Caldwell, Ida., he stopped at the home of Frank Pack and helped with harvest for a few days and from there caught a ride to North Powder. There he met a man who was coming to Wallowa. By chance, there he met his old friend, Obe Swearingen, from Promise and he rode into Promise with him Saturday morning. This makes nine times he has crossed the United States, once by train, seven times by auto and once by hitch-hiking. He left Sunday on his way back to Idaho where

he expects to do some mining and says if he strikes it rich he will settle down, if not he will keep roaming. His parents who spent two years in Oregon and accompanied him back to West Virginia a year ago, are still there. His mother has been very ill and is still confined to her bed. His brother, Reuben Barton, lives at Promise.

The young folks enjoyed a dance at the Grange hall Saturday evening. Charles Wortman took I. S. McDonald to Wallowa Friday to have his hand dressed. It is improving nicely. Harvey McDonald who has been attending the fire school at Camp 10 returned with them.

FITZGERALD SAVES OREGON'S BANNER

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The cardboard banner of the Oregon group was torn from its stand during last night's wet demonstration by a mezzanine floor spectator, and was retrieved by Martin Fitzgerald, young delegate from La Grande, after some little difficulty. Crumpled and torn, it was again fixed to the pole and brought back to the Oregon seat row.

Three delegates, ex-Governor Walter M. Pierce, H. J. Stillings and W. H. Dalrymple voted for the minority submission plank. The other seven voted for repeal.

STATE SALARIES MAY BE REDUCED

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error. It will be considered at an early meeting of the board of control.

The next step down from the 15 per cent reduction is on salaries from \$4000 to \$6000 being reduced 10 per cent. All salaries from \$1200 to \$4000 will be reduced 3 to 10 per cent on the following schedule, original salaries listed being on the basis of monthly payments:

- \$100 to \$129 — 3 per cent
- \$130 to \$159 — 4 per cent
- \$160 to \$199 — 5 per cent
- \$200 to \$229 — 6 per cent
- \$230 to \$259 — 7 per cent
- \$260 to \$299 — 8 per cent
- \$300 to \$330 — 9 per cent

The committee recommended that living quarters and sustenance be taken into consideration in arriving at reductions, where these two items are furnished by the state. The committee also recommended that a special investigation be made before January 1, 1933, looking towards the standardization of the scale of payment for similar workers in various departments.

Bishop Cannon Jr. Amazed At Actions At Bourbon Caucus

CHICAGO, June 30 (AP)—Bishop James Cannon Jr., the Southern Methodist churchman who led a militant fight against Alfred E. Smith in 1928, said today the commendation by Senator Walsh, of Montana, last night on the conduct of the convention floor during the prohibition debate was "the most amazing I ever heard in a political convention."

"The conduct in the convention was most reprehensible," the Bishop said. "It indicates very clearly that repeal supporters did not believe in fair play. I see no other way to interpret the behavior."

Bishop Cannon said newspapers were hurled at him several times, but he added they might not have been directed at him personally. He said he did not know who had thrown them and that others who did not stand during the demonstrations might have had similar experiences.

The churchman declined to comment on the prohibition plank itself, but said in all probability he would have a statement later.

ERROR CORRECTED
 CHICAGO, June 30 (AP)—The Associated Press corrects a statement made June 25 to the effect that Bishop James Cannon Jr., Southern Methodist bishop, appealed to the Democratic resolutions committee for a declaration in favor of prohibition in the party platform.

The story should have stated the veteran dry leader urged a law enforcement plank and asked that prohibition not be made a party issue or the subject of the plank in the Democratic platform.

Bishop Cannon today said this had always been his position and that he had opposed declarations for prohibition as well as declarations against prohibition in party platforms.

The Associated Press is glad to make this correction.

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