

A LITTLE OF EVERYTHING

A postal defalcation in Cuba may be convincing on the point that Cuba is fitted for self-government.

In the case of Dr. Rustin, of Omaha, one bullet seems to have ended another double life.

Of course, the Vermont election is a straw showing the political wind is blowing—in that part of New England, at least.

A Texas man has married a woman whose pie killed her first husband. We admire courage in any man, but this looks like recklessness.

The airship that stays up in the air ten minutes and then drops without warning is as great a success as the average surgical operation.

Whatever the result in November, some of the candidates will always remember the pleasure they derived from the official notification of their nomination.

At present a good many politicians are burying the hatchet, but it is doubtful if they will submit to being searched for razors or bowie knives.

It will be difficult for Minister Wu's enemies to prove their charge that he talks too much, since none of the newspapers print his speeches in full.

The Colorado woman who married the man set upon her track by her former husband appears to have her own ideas of what constitutes unique revenge.

With some show of surprise the Florida Times-Union announces that "Mr. Tatt has found his voice." Mr. Bryan—lucky man—has never yet mislaid his.

A New Jersey man is refusing to pay his bills because his wife is out of work. That fact, however, may not deter him from contracting a few more debts.

At the rate the Republican leaders are warming up to him, Gov. Hughes will find it necessary to wear a heavy overcoat during his campaign for a second term.

One of the new plays to be produced in New York soon is entitled "The Early Worm." Let us hope the audience will refrain from crying "Get the hook!"

Kermil Roosevelt with his camera is likely to be in less danger in the wilds of Africa than the newspaper photographer who tries to get a few snapshots of social lions who have a grouch.

Academically there may be honest differences of opinion about the efficacy of the death penalty. Practically good citizens would welcome a score or more of executions of recent murderers.

Chicago policemen are reported to be shooting dogs at the rate of 100 a day. The innocent bystanders in that town must be an agile lot if they all escape perforation.

Fortunately, the discovery of that college professor who claims women have two souls does not make it necessary for men to furnish their wives with adobe wardrobe.

There are many theories about that Atlantic City Boardwalk shooting, but it does not seem to have occurred to any one in authority to accept that of the persons most nearly concerned.

A number of New York girls have formed a club and resolved never to marry men who do not shave every morning. But that's alright. The average man who is in love will do anything asked of him till a month or two after marriage.

It is progress toward civilization, indeed, in the far east when the Dalai Lama, head of the Buddhist faith, decides to travel in China by rail. When he returns to Tibet he will probably buy an automobile.

In the near future there may be a noticeable falling off in the output of breakfast foods. A St. Louis man is manufacturing "noiseless wheels" from hickory stumps and is trying to corner the supply of raw material.

"With the latest anesthetic," says a Berlin correspondent, "a surgeon will never need to inflict pain on a patient." Still, it may not be possible in all cases to use an anesthetic before rendering a bill to services.

Courts may have to decide what is a Caucasian. The case of Van der Hayden of Altoona, son of a Dutch father and Japanese mother, born in Japan and seeking naturalization, presents many interesting features. The courts alone can untie the knots.

Higson and Graves have been notified of their nominations. This completes the ceremonial of that nature for this campaign. And we may now expect Higson and Graves to do some running that will make the earlier candidates in the field sit up and take notice.

Before leaving Australia, Admiral Sperry in a speech acknowledged gratefully the most remarkable welcome ever given the American navy. He said it will never be forgotten, and that it "will surely make for the peace of the world." It was well said. It is peace, not war, the fleet is promoting.

Just after Emperor William recognized Mulai Hafid as the real sultan of Morocco, Abdul Hamid, the sultan of record, reports an important victory. Incidentally, between the war of the sultans and that against France, the number of good Moors is increasing rapidly.

A Traveling Man's Experience.

"I must tell you my experience on an Eastbound O. R. & N. R. train from Pendleton to La Grande, Ore., writes Sam A. Garber, a well known traveling man. "I was in the smoking department with some other traveling men when one of them went out into the coach and came back and said, 'There is a woman sick unto death in the car. I at once got up and went out, found her very ill with cramp colic; her hands and arms were drawn up so you could not straighten them, and with a deathlike look on her face. Two or three ladies were working with her and giving her whiskey. I went to my suit case and got my bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy (I never travel without it), ran to the water tank, put a double dose of the medicine in the glass, poured some water into it and stirred it with a pencil; then I had quite a time to get the ladies to let me give it to her, but I succeeded. I could at once see the effect and I worked with her, rubbing her hands, and in twenty minutes I gave her another dose. By this time we were almost into La Grande, where I was to leave the train. I gave the bottle to the husband to be used in case another dose should be needed, but by the time the train ran into La Grande she was alright, and I received the thanks of every passenger in the car." For sale by Chas. Strang.

FALL KILLS MILLIONAIRE.

BASEL, Switzerland, Sept. 12.—Emanuel Mandel, a multi-millionaire merchant of Chicago, died here today as the result of injuries received in a fall at the railway station. While alighting from a train Mr. Mandel's foot slipped and he fell heavily, his head striking the flagstones.

Bystanders rushed to his assistance, but found that he was unconscious. A physician said Mr. Mandel's leg was broken and that he was suffering from a severe concussion of the brain. He was then taken to a hospital, where he grew suddenly worse and died.

Mr. Mandel was accompanied by his wife, his daughter, his son-in-law and grandchildren. He had just completed a tour of Switzerland and was on the eve of departing for Paris.

Arrangements are being made to take the body to the United States, and until these are completed Mrs. Mandel and the other members of the party will remain here.

CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—Emanuel Mandel was first vice-president of Mandel Bros. and one of Chicago's most successful merchants.

LANDS HIS OWN SON.

FRESNO, Cal., Sept. 12.—James N. Walker, former sheriff of Fresno county and now one of the oldest and most respected stockmen of Madera county, has learned that in putting officers on the trail of cattle thieves he had caused the arrest of his own son, James N. Walker, Jr. The young man had not had a good reputation, but his father has stood loyally by him, and while away in the mountains recently attending to other property left the young man in charge of his valley range.

When arrested he broke down in jail and admitted the theft and word was immediately sent to the old man, who came to this city without knowing who had been identified as the thief.

TWENTY CHILDREN.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 14.—Twenty children in 26 years is the remarkable record of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis McIntyre of McKee's Rocks, and all of them are "singles" and all living. Married in 1882, the babies have been coming at intervals of 15 and a half months. The latest arrival was born last evening and is a boy and weighs 15 pounds. In the family there are 12 sons and 8 daughters.

PUTS WIFE TO TEST.

PARIS, Sept. 14.—Frenchmen are nothing if not original. A gray-bearded one recently married a girl in her teens and kept wondering whether she loved him. Would she weep when he died or would she rejoice and marry again? He would put her to the test, and he devised a gruesome stratagem. He locked himself up in a room and waited.

After some hours his wife, wondering at his unaccountable disappearance, had the door broken open. On the bed lay her husband, his hands crossed, his face white, his body motionless, apparently dead. Now the wife would show what she really felt. She gazed at him, came to the conclusion that he really was dead, and danced a breakdown in the room. Up leaped the corpse and roared:

"So that is how you would grieve for me? Then take this," and threw clocks and candlesticks at her. She fled, and he continued to vent his disappointment by smashing all the furniture to the flat.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

(From Sunday's Daily.)
F. G. Low will leave tomorrow for a trip to Willett, Or.

Mrs. N. E. Woods is visiting friends in Grants Pass.

J. W. Dressler has returned from a visit to Sacramento, Cal.

M. J. Lowe is building a new bungalow in Bungalow Addition.

The Misses Rippey left Medford last night for a short visit in Ashland.

Martin Ganon of Central Point transacted business in Medford yesterday.

F. M. Stewart will leave tonight for Portland, where he will remain for several days.

J. H. Fuller of Talent was in Medford yesterday purchasing lumber for his new home.

The Central Point dances proved to be such a success that another was given last night.

L. J. Patton arrived on the Pacific & Eastern yesterday to attend to business matters in the city.

Frank Tompkins and Mr. McKilup of Central Point were in Medford yesterday attending to business.

Ernest W. McNeally, the book store's expert soda man, left yesterday for a week's vacation in Portland.

Mrs. V. T. McCray left yesterday for Stockton and Hollister, Cal., where she will visit for a month with relatives and friends.

E. N. Warner returned home from Newport yesterday, after having enjoyed a short vacation. His family have not yet returned.

Mrs. Jess Morgan returned to her home in Ashland yesterday, after having spent a few days in that city visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Hansen of Salem, Or., are here looking over the valley and visiting with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hansen.

Mrs. W. A. Hutton arrived in Medford last night from Sacramento, Cal., and will visit for a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Wilson.

Miss Linda Owens, who has spent the summer with her parents, left yesterday evening to take her former place among the school teachers of the Eugene public school.

Isaac Woolf and F. A. Bliss start today for a short outing up Union creek way. They expect to live well if they find that venison and fish are ripe and that huckleberries will bite well.

C. H. Pierce received word from his son, Clarence, stating that he would be home Monday. He left about six weeks ago and is returning overland in a wagon from North-eastern Oregon.

Mrs. E. E. Gore left last night for Newport, Or., where she will remain for a week or more, the guest of Mrs. E. N. Warner of this city, who is enjoying a several weeks' outing at that famous resort.

H. D. Angle is in the city for the purpose of attending to his timber claim near Prospect, where he has been spending the last couple of months. He reports that some campers in that neck of the woods have been very careless about extinguishing their camp fires, and a few small forest fires have resulted from such carelessness.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)
Grove Coram spent Sunday in Ashland.

Guy Mickey left Sunday for a visit in Portland.

Mrs. Jackson is remodeling her home on West Eighth street.

R. A. Juaken returned yesterday from a business visit to Portland and Oregon City.

Lottie and Clara Wiley and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Day went to Ashland Sunday evening.

G. A. Jackson has a fine, large addition to his home in East Medford nearly completed.

Joe Currie returned home last night, after spending the summer in the Siskiyou mines.

Mrs. C. H. Pierce, Mrs. M. F. Horn, Clarence Pierce and Bertha Pierce visited Ashland Sunday.

Judge W. M. Finch, of Willows, Cal., spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. J. K. Darwell.

Mrs. W. S. Jones and daughter, Maude, returned yesterday from a three weeks' visit at Hot Lake, Or.

Chief of Police Sheaver was in Jacksonville yesterday as a witness on a case in the Circuit court there.

Mr. Loveloc, from Illinois, is in Medford looking over the valley and is greatly pleased with what he has seen.

Charlie Bousbaum, who went over into the Applegate country with the surveyors, reports that forest fires are doing great damage to the timber along Little Applegate.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Egnart returned yesterday from their quite extended trip through the Yellowstone National park.

Miss Alice Mellish left last evening for a visit in Portland. Miss Mellish spent the summer here with her uncle, Mr. Fiske.

All but 27 water costumes who have been in arrears have paid up. The water is being turned off from those who have failed to remit.

J. Hesse Houseman and family of Portland are in Medford, paying a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Houseman, parents of the first named.

Edwin Bond and family of Cleveland, O., friends of Mr. Lorimer, will arrive in Medford about the middle of October and will reside here permanently.

F. H. Perkin, the civil engineer and draughtsman, has but recently recovered from a several weeks' attack of malaria fever. He was able to be at his office yesterday, the first time for several weeks.

Morey Bond, lately from Cleveland, O.; Frederick and C. E. Cook, W. A. and L. H. Miller, left yesterday morning for the Umpqua divide, where they will fish, hunt and huckleberry for ten days or two weeks.

Frederick Cook has returned to Medford after having made a tour of inspection of all parts of California, and will locate in Medford. His son, C. E. Cook, is the fruit tree agent, located in the Barnum depot building.

John Grebb, formerly of Valley City, N. D., arrived in Medford Monday morning from Chico, Cal., where he has been since last December. Mr. Grebb is acquainted with several of Medford's North Dakota people and will no doubt locate here.

Miss Minnie Hockenjos left yesterday for Sawtell, Cal., where she will teach in the public school of that city. This will be her fourth year in this school—which is pretty good evidence that the young lady's qualifications are understood and appreciated.

W. B. Jackson has the framework up for a fine nine-room dwelling. It is situated on Seventh street, in East Medford, will be two stories high, with an 11-foot porch on three sides and will cost about \$2500. C. D. Lyons is the architect and the construction work is in his charge.

Postmaster A. M. Woodford and W. H. Barr returned Saturday from a week's camping trip at the foot of Mount Pitt. They report having killed one deer and one bear and caught lots of fish, besides gathering 15 gallons of huckleberries. The huckleberries, however, is all they brought home.

Engineer Roberts, who is in the Applegate country looking into the matter of the water supply of the Sterling Mining company, in the interest of the city, is not expected to return before Friday of this week. A weir has been constructed at the head of Applegate and accurate measurements of the water will be taken. Engineers Cummings and Foster are with him.

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EIGHT-YEAR-OLD

SAN JOSE, Cal., Sept. 14.—Peter Bernal, a 12-year-old Spanish boy, was shot and killed here late yesterday by a shotgun in the hands of his 8-year-old playmate, Freddie Sepulveda. Young Bernal was on his way to make a purchase at a grocery store for his mother. As he passed the Sepulveda place he found Freddie aiming his gun at a small boy and telling him to keep out of the yard or he would shoot him.

The boy fled in terror and Peter received the discharge in his place. He was shot in the abdomen. His father, Gabriel Bernal, heard the report and ran to his assistance, but he was beyond saving. He was taken to his home, where he died in a short time, after only a few minutes' consciousness. Young Sepulveda will be put in the hands of the probation officers.

WOMAN IS KILLED.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Evidence of a murder was revealed today when the body of Mrs. Anna Moore, 22 years old, the wife of an employe of one of the traction companies, was found in her apartments in East Forty-fifth street. The woman had been rendered unconscious by a blow on the head, strangled with a veil and her hands tied to her waist by another veil. There were many bruises on her face and body.

The body was fully dressed and her appearance indicated that the woman had been dead two days. There was a padlock on the outside of the door leading to the apartment, the door was locked and the police had to break it open to obtain admission. Mrs. Moore's husband was not at home and the coroner was informed that he had been absent for two days.

NEWS OF THE STATE

The Grants Pass schools opened Monday under the supervision of R. R. Turner, with 24 teachers.

Thomas A. Edison, the world's greatest inventor, accompanied by his wife and daughter, arrived in The Dalles yesterday and will remain until today noon.

The Astoria Lumber company's sawmill was burned Sunday morning. The loss was \$25,000, with insurance of about \$4000. Officials say the plant will be rebuilt.

Word has been received at Marshfield that Jack Angus, formerly of that place, is missing in Alaska, where he went some months ago. It is feared that he met with foul play.

The Lane County Veterans' association will be held in Eugene, September 23, 24 and 25. The veterans will endeavor to make this the greatest meeting yet held by their association.

Anna B. Caulfield, native of Illinois and pioneer of 1852, died Saturday night at Hood River, aged 58. Her stepfather, Colonel Zeba, was murdered by Indians on Whidby Island, Puget Sound, about 1853.

William Vanderwalter, living three miles east of Eugene, was arrested yesterday for wife-beating upon complaint made by Mrs. Vanderwalter. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$50 and costs, which he paid.

Charles Hines of Forest Grove, while making a call yesterday on a patient in the country, left his horse tied at the gate. Before returning to the vehicle, a team running away collided with his buggy and demolished it. It was a new rig.

Abe Gilbert, son of A. W. Gilbert, councilman of Eugene, while repairing a trolley wire touched a ground wire and the entire voltage of the electric railway system passed through his body. He was rendered unconscious for 20 minutes.

The anticipated arrest of Seufert Bros., the Columbia river cannerymen, by Master Fish Warden McAlister has not materialized, owing to the non-appearance of the fish warden, who is probably in conference with Governors Chamberlain and Meade in Portland.

Hip-picking began at Forest Grove yesterday, and it will require about three weeks to finish. Indications are that the weather will be fine. The yield will be only about two-thirds of a crop, but the quality is good. Growers are paying \$1 a hundred for picking.

Chauncey Goodnoe, who died at his farm in the Goodnoe Hills, near Goldendale, was one of the pioneer settlers of the Klickitat valley. He was born in Broome county, New York, in 1841. He came to California in 1861, and settled in the Klickitat valley in 1865.

The city council of North Bend has adopted a new charter and has made arrangements to submit it to a vote of the people at a special election to be held Saturday, September 19. The principal feature provides for an increased indebtedness for public improvements.

The annual convention of the M. E. Church South convenes this week at Milton, Or. The sessions commence this morning. Bishop Adkins of Nashville, Tenn., presiding. Among other distinguished visitors will be Rev. Dr. Hammond of Nashville and Rev. Dr. Vaughn of San Francisco.

The Eugene public schools will open Monday, September 21. City Superintendent Guy R. Stockton has arrived from Colorado in time to meet with the school board. Indications point to the largest attendance in both the high school and grades in the history of the city.

The funeral of Miss Lucy Rowan, who died Thursday morning at the home of her parents at Castle Rock, took place yesterday afternoon from the First Presbyterian church, of which she had been a member since early girlhood, and was largely attended. Her father is alending attorney of Cowitz county.

Professor F. M. Stotler of Hamburg, Ia., has been chosen as superintendent of the Lebanon public schools, succeeding Professor E. K. Barnes, who will become head of the Cottage Grove schools. Professor Stotler is a graduate of Drake University in Iowa, and has been teaching at Hamburg.

S. W. Purdy, accompanied by two other men, made a trip from Roseburg to Bandon by water. They started in a canoe at Roseburg and paddled down the Umpqua river to its mouth, then walked across country, carrying their boat, till they reached one of the inlets flowing into Coos Bay, and from there on the Coquille river to Bandon.

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