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TODAY IS THE SHORTEST DAY

Today is the shortest day of the year for all folks who live in the northern hemisphere. Tomorrow the sun will begin its upward climb among the stars, and the days will slowly lengthen. At 1 o'clock this morning the sun entered what is known among astronomers as the sign of Capricornus, marking the astronomical beginning of winter, which will last until the orb has reached the celestial equator in March, marking the end of winter and the astronomical beginning of spring.

There will be a total eclipse of the sun tomorrow morning, but it will be invisible in North America. The path of this central eclipse crosses the southern part of South America, the South Atlantic, South Africa and the Indian ocean. The eclipse will be annular at the beginning and end, and total in the middle. It will be observed by some of the leading astronomers of the United States and South America and will add interest to the Pan-American scientific congress, which will shortly begin its session in Santiago, Cuba.

NEWMAN TELLS OF CUSICK CASE.

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above named gentlemen as well as other witnesses testified in Mr. Cusick's behalf that he had stated to them the fact of the presence of squatters upon the land, thus showing plainly that he had no intent of committing perjury or any other offense. Mr. Galloway further testified that this had been the regular practice in the state land department for years.

"It further appeared that there were mining interests on some little portion of the land, but from all indication as well as from all information obtainable, none of the mines had been operated for years, neither had they paid at the time they were operated, as Mr. Cusick was informed by old miners who had lived in that country for years and knew all about the abandoned mines.

"It appears that Mr. Cusick has acted in entire good faith in the matter, and that he has not intended to do any wrong."

Fred and Virgil Strang are home from Eugene university to spend the holidays.

John H. Porter is expected home from Corvallis to spend Christmas with his parents.

Dick Singler of Little Butte spent Tuesday in Medford.

Miss May Phillips left Tuesday for California.

LANGFORD FLOORS FLYNN WITH ONE MIGHTY BLOW

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 22.—Sam Langford, the colored fighter, last night knocked out Jim Flynn in two minutes in a scheduled 20-round battle. Flynn had no chance. Langford hit him on the jaw, Flynn going down like dead. When he had come to be asked what hit him.

SURGEON FOUND GERMS IN THE FOOD SERVED

VALLEJO, Cal., Dec. 22.—George Wildason, the marine hospital surgeon, has completed the bacteriological examination of the beef served at the launching of the collier Prometheus, which caused the death of Mrs. Rose and Walter Reynolds. He found germs common in decayed meat. The testimony will be used at the inquest over Walter Reynolds tomorrow.

QUEEN WILHELMINA IN A DELICATE CONDITION

HAGUE, Dec. 22.—It was announced officially in parliament today that Queen Wilhelmina expects soon to present Holland with an heir to the throne. There was much rejoicing.

A Mystery.

(From the Chicago Record Herald.)
Why is it that the woman who is a man-hater always tries to make herself look like a man?

Words That Burn.

(From the Atlanta Constitution.)
I am pleased to say that the old stove has been red hot for a week past. Two crates of declined stories and poems came in last week, when there was not a lump left in the coal bin, and the stove got 'ent. I didn't even have to strike a match to start the fire, as many of the poems were love songs, which were warm enough to blaze. Under these circumstances it may be truly said that the fire of genius keeps me warm. So I snap my fingers at the coal trust and enjoy life—up ten stories closer to the stars!

Texas and "The Merry Widow."

(From the Houston Post.)
"The Merry Widow" was put on four times in Houston as against 200 nights in New York. Houston now understands why New York is crazy.

Few of Them Fail.

(From the Chicago Record Herald.)
A girl regards her life as a failure if she has not succeeded in making a fool of at least one man.

When Roosevelt Is Editor.

(From the St. Louis Post Dispatch.)
Dr. Abbott (shuddering)—Mersey, what's the uproar in Mr. Roosevelt's room?
Office Boy (pale)—Somebody has sent in a nature fake, sir.

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