

LAYS BABE ON LAWN TO DIVERT FAMILY

**Hard-Thinking Grants Pass Robber
Then Seals Porch and
Loots Rooms.**

GRANTS PASS, Or., Oct. 23.—The residence of Arthur Conklin, editor of the Pacific Outlook, was robbed Thursday and valuable jewelry and silverware taken. The burglar had evidently premeditated plans, for he lifted a sleeping baby out of a tent back of the house, laid it on the front lawn, quickly sealed the back porch to a second story window, plundered the rooms where the china and silverware were kept, threw the booty out of the window to the opposite side of the house, jumped to the ground and escaped while the family was attempting to discover who had carried away the child. Later a second attempt was made in the night to enter, but special police were detailed to guard the place. Conklin is in Roseburg attending the state Baptist association.

MAN SHOULD LIVE 150 YEARS, SAYS STUDENT

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—The normal span of human life is 150 years, according to a remarkable study by Professor Fisher, of Yale, which has just been published by the national conservation commission at Washington. Professor Fisher shows that the length of man's existence is steadily growing both in this country and Europe, with the progress of science, sanitation and social betterment, and declares that the span of 150 years will not be long impossible of attainment.

The investigations by Metchnikoff are quoted by Professor Fisher to show that the average normal span should be 150 years. Mammals, generally, he pointed out, live five times their growing period. Man's period of growth is 30 years, and, according to that, he should live for 150 years. The present average duration of life is stated at 38 years. Two cases of persons who lived to great ages are: Drakenberg, a Norwegian, who died at the age of 146 years, and Mrs. Mary L. Wood of Hillsboro, Or., 119 years old, both of which are authentic.

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Probate.

Estate Francis Swimelar; order made setting December 4, 1909, as day for final settlement.

Job M. Swimelar; order of settlement made.

Estate George M. Needle; order made for sale of personal property.

Estate Jeremiah P. True; order made approving semi-annual account.

Estate Mary A. Bilderback; order made confirming sale of real property.

Estate Nellie A. Blackburn; final order made and administrator discharged.

Estate James B. McCarron; order made appointing William Grove, Owen Keegan and John Dugan appraisers.

New Cases.

First National bank of Southern Oregon vs. Harry E. Foster; suit to foreclose mortgage. J. N. Johnston, attorney for plaintiff.

William Mendenhall vs. Revenue Mining company; action to recover money. R. G. Smith, attorney for plaintiff.

Loretta Perozzi vs. W. O. Johnson and First National bank of Grants Pass; action to recover money. E. D. Briggs, attorney for plaintiff.

Marriage Licenses.

Frederick E. Barneburg and Etta Tucker.

Peter A. Peterson and Anna Claudine Mellinger.

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