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EARL JACKSON FINED

VanSycle and Crane Given Jail Sentences.

Among the cases tried before the circuit court this week was that of Earl Jackson, accused of assault with a deadly weapon. The jury returned a verdict of guilty but recommended Jackson to the clemency of the court, as there was some doubt as to whether the rifle which was the weapon employed, was discharged accidentally or intentionally. The court imposed a fine of \$100 and costs. This assault was committed about two years ago upon the person of George Mathews at Talent.

Bert VanSycle who pleaded guilty to stealing oil stoves from the Medford theater was sentenced to a penitentiary term of from one to seven years; Charles Y. Crane, found guilty of larceny was sentenced to serve 75 days in the county jail.

Bert Gibbs, charged with assault was found guilty as charged, but has not yet received sentence.

E. C. Montgomery, who was to have faced trial at the present term of court on a charge of wife desertion and who is at liberty on bonds, has so far failed to show up and it is feared that he has jumped bonds.

Among other cases to be tried this term are: W. M. Dunlap of Ashland charged with stealing tools; Richard Moe of Dead Indian, charged with larceny; Wilbur Kauffman, alleged to have stolen a steer; Alva Walker, accused of wife desertion and Jim Ling, indicted for assault with a dangerous weapon and opium selling.

Grand Jury Adjourns.

The grand jury selected for the September term of court composed of I. A. Meriman, foreman, D. H. Miller, A. Cincade, C. W. Davis, R. G. Brown, G. M. Grainger and C. H. Corey, met Tuesday and after cleaning up the bag ends of business left over from last week, adjourned. About the only case of any importance to come before the grand jury was that of Jim Ling, a Medford Chinaman, who was indicted on charges of assault with a dangerous weapon and opium selling.

Buncom Reports.

We are having a little wet weather at this date. Ernest Forman was at Ruch this first of the week.

Arthur Rouley is out on Applegate again.

Reines Combest and family passed by Buncom Wednesday morning.

Wilbur Cameron was in the city last week.

W. R. Garrett, who is putting up a store at Buncom, has it about completed.

George Wolf of Ruch did trading in Jacksonville last week.

Frank Cameron and Joe Daly did business in Medford last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Flater of Jacksonville have been camped near Buncom for several weeks passed.

Mrs. Isaac Pursell, a new comer at Buncom, was the guest of Mrs. J. Goldsby recently.

Elden Jennings and family from Ashland are visiting relatives here.

FOR SALE—Five graded jersey cows, all giving milk, at J. GOLDSBY'S.

OLD RESIDENT PASSES AWAY

Frank Ennis, Resident of Valley Since 1875, Died Wednesday.

Frank Ennis, nearly 76 years of age, a type of the early California miner and who has been a resident of this city for a number of years, died Wednesday morning, Sept. 4, at 4:00 a. m., at his residence on Third street. Death was due to paralysis, brought on by cerebral hemorrhage. Burial was made in Jacksonville cemetery Friday afternoon, the funeral being under auspices of Warren Lodge No. 10, A. F. & A. M. the Masonic ritual services was observed at the cemetery.

Frank Ennis was born in Rhode Island Oct. 21, 1836, and came around the Horn to California as early as 1850, where he engaged in mining until 1876 when he came to the Rogue River Valley, since making his home here. He was a member of a California lodge of Masons and was highly respected by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance. With the exception of two or three cousins in Colorado, all of Mr. Ennis' relatives live in Rhode Island. He leaves a considerable estate here.

If you want ice call Pacific phone 81.

During the summer months mothers of young children should watch for any unnatural looseness of the bowels. When given prompt attention at this time serious trouble may be avoided. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers.

POSTOFFICE MOVED

Now Installed in Building Adjoining Former Quarters.

Postmaster John F. Miller moved the postoffice to the new quarters in the building formerly occupied by his hardware store this week. The interior of the building has been remodeled and repainted and makes a commodious and business-like office. About one hundred new lock boxes, handsomely finished in antique copper, have been installed and three windows, money order, registry business and general delivery arranged for the convenience of the public. The new quarters affords Postmaster Miller ample facilities for handling the mails and is in every way a desirable location. Fred J. Fick, who has the contract of remodeling the building is rapidly pushing the work to completion.

22 DEAD, 11 INJURED

Terrible Storm Sweeps Three States Monday Night.

Rittsburg, Sept. 2.—At least twenty-two persons are known to be dead and eleven others are believed to have perished as a result of a terrible storm that swept western and northern Pennsylvania, the Pan-handle district of West Virginia and a section of eastern Ohio last night. The towns that suffered are Colliers, W. Va., Cherry Valley, Penn., and Cannonsburg, Penn.

WEST AFTER BREWERIES

Steps Taken to Revoke License and Charter.

Salem, Ore., Sept. 3.—That the activities of the week in Governor West's crusade against vice are likely to center around the liquor interests was manifested today when the governor, before leaving here for Portland sent a request to County Judge Bushey to revoke the license of a saloon operating near Nowberg on the ground it is a public nuisance.

Governor West received assurance from District Attorney Brown of Douglas County that action would be begun immediately to revoke the charter of the Roseburg brewery and ice company which the chief executive alleges ships liquor into dry territory.

MRS. DUNFORD DIES

Wife of Prominent Citizen Passed Away Sunday.

Mrs. Emma M. Dunford, wife of C. F. Dunford, and for eighteen years a resident of this city, died, after an illness of two years, at the family residence on Third street, Sunday September 1, at 5:30 P. M. Funeral services under the auspices of Ruth Rebekah Lodge No. 4, and conducted by Rev. Paul S. Bandy, was held Tuesday. Interment in Jacksonville cemetery.

Mrs. Dunford was born in Wood County, Ohio, May 10, 1862, where she resided with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Trefren, until 1871, when the family moved to Iowa. In 1879 another move was made to Valley county Nebraska, where she married C. F. Dunford in December of 1880. In 1894 she accompanied her husband to Jacksonville and made her home here until the time of her death. Mrs. Dunford was widely known and universally respected. She was especially active in lodge work, serving as Past Worthy Grand of Ruth Rebekah Lodge No. 4, and in 1909, as Past Worthy Matron of Adrial Chapter No. 4, Order of Eastern Star. Besides her husband, Mrs. Dunford leaves a family of four sons and two daughters, four of whom, Charles, Oscar, Flossie and Vernon, live in Jacksonville. A married daughter, Mrs. Beecher Simmons, resides in Medford and another son, Alvin, is now in Minnesota. Mrs. Dunford's mother, Mrs. L. S. Trefren, two sisters and one brother are residents of Grants Pass and another brother is a citizen of this place.

Mrs. Dunford's death was not unexpected as she had been ill for the past two years, being confined to her bed for a great portion of that time. The sympathy of the community is with Mr. Dunford and family in their great bereavement.

CAMERON FACES RECALL

Official Charged With Using Office in Furtherance of Own Ends.

Salem, Ore., Sept. 3.—George Cameron, district attorney of Multnomah county, unless he can delay by appealing to the supreme court, must face recall proceedings, for Judge Galloway in a decision rendered this morning holds that the recall amendment to the constitution is self executing and that the recall petition filed asking for the recall of Cameron is valid.

The petition was filed with the secretary of the state a number of months ago and contained nearly 1000 names. Cameron immediately began proceedings to restrain the secretary of state from calling an election.

Cameron contended that the recall amendment to the constitution was not self-executing, but Judge Galloway held against, and also a number of minor contentions raised.

Cameron is charged in the petition with using the office in furtherance of his own ends and with allowing others to do so. It is alleged that he allowed a detective agency to use it as it pleased and that he failed to enforce the laws against the saloons, and in fact protected them.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

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Lounsbury Waives Examination.

Wells Lounsbury, who shot himself after his failure to escape after robbing a train on the Union Pacific near Topeka two weeks ago, was arraigned in the federal court at Topeka Tuesday. He waived preliminary examination and was sent back to jail, being unable to give bonds.

Mrs. Lounsbury left Topeka Tuesday.

day for Medford. She will probably arrive here next Saturday.

It is believed that Lounsbury's attorney will base his defense upon insanity, claiming that the injury to Lounsbury's head several years ago in a train wreck brought on a mania which led him to hold up trains.—Tribune.

ROOSEVELT LETTER VERBIAGE

New York Newspapers Take Hot Shots at Colonel.

New York, Sept. 2.—Following are comments by New York papers on the letter of Colonel Roosevelt to Senator Clapp, chairman of the senate committee on campaign contributions, in which Roosevelt, John D. Archbold of the Standard Oil company, Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania and William R. Hearst figure in connection with the charge that Standard Oil aided to finance Roosevelt's last campaign for the presidency.

New York World: "The letter is a masterly exhibition of the cuttlefish tactics, of which he accused Penrose. In all its inexcusable mass of verbiage there is not a single ray of new light."

New York Sun: "Through it all especially its humble attitude toward Hearst, there is a sense in suspense of difficulties yet to be exposed, defense yet necessary. Its defense, attack, abuse, pious self-glorification and edifying sermon is cluttering up matters."

New York Tribune: "It is evident that Roosevelt is not so sure as he was a week ago that the Standard Oil contribution was not received."

New York Herald: "It's most remarkable feature is the suddenness with which it turns from the main issue and becomes an appeal for funds, however great, for the bull moose party."

New York Times: "It is the public's desire to know whether Roosevelt knew of the Standard Oil contribution. His letter does not answer this."

Ashland Secures Highway.

Word has been received of an appropriation by the government of \$6,000 for the purpose of constructing a permanent road from a point near the summit of Mt. Ashland for a distance of ten miles across a portion of the Crater National Forest Reserve toward Ashland.

Agitation for this improvement was begun by the local Commercial club in December, 1910, followed by the introduction of H. R. bill 17,635 in congress by Representative Hawley last January. Officials of the service will visit Ashland next week to look over the field as to the best route for the new highway.—Tribune.

Cougar Chases Deer Into Yard.

Canyonville, Ore., Sept. 2.—Last Saturday evening a big cougar chased a deer into this place and the frightened buck sought safety in the yard of Harry Ross' house. Mr. Ross, hearing a noise in the yard, went out and found the cougar in the act of killing the deer. Thinking that his dog would free the cougar, Ross set him on the big cat, but the latter seized the deer and dragged it out of the yard running about 40 yards before the dog managed to force the "varmint" to release the carcass. The cougar fled into the woods, and Mr. Ross secured the body of the deer. It is estimated that each cougar kills annually on an average of 50 deer in the mountains in this section.

Can Raise Army of 20,000,000.

The United States today contains more than 20,000,000 males of militia age, from 18 to 44 years, who could be called out in defense of the country, according to figures given out by the Census Bureau for 1910. Of the total population of both sexes in 1900, 22.3 per cent were males of militia age.

Wyoming has the largest percentage of males of militia age, constituting 36.4 per cent of its entire population. North Carolina has the smallest 17.1 per cent of its population being of militia age. Percentages for other Western states are: Montana, 32.8; Colorado, 29.7; Nevada, 35.9; Oregon, 28.3. Oregon has 190,553 males of militia age, an increase of 84,925 over 1900, and constituting 49.6 per cent of the states total male population.—Telegram.

COUNCIL MEETS

Transacts Routine Business at City Hall Tuesday Night.

The city council met for the transaction of business at the city hall Tuesday night. Present: Mayor Shaw, Councilmen Britt, Fick and Ulrich, Recorder Doh.

There was a dearth of business of more than ordinary importance and the evening was largely given over to routine work.

George Lewis tendered the council his resignation as sexton of the Jacksonville cemetery, giving as a reason that private business demanded all of his time. Resignation accepted and the matter of selecting a new sexton left in the hands of the cemetery committee.

A number of bills for labor, material etc., were acted upon and ordered paid.

After discussing a number of matters pertaining to the welfare of the city council adjourned.

Mrs. Straube Buried Wednesday.

The remains of Mrs. Christina Straube, who died at the home of her son, Fred Straube, of Willow Springs, Monday, Sept. 2, was laid to rest in Jacksonville cemetery, Wednesday at 11:30 a. m., Rev. H. N. Aldrich officiating. Music was furnished by a quartette composed of Misses Alice Hoefs and Lillian Hanson, George Henry and Rev. Aldrich.

Mrs. Straube was born in Germany, and at the time of her death was 83 years of age. She was married to John Straube 58 years ago, and has resided on the Pacific coast for 56 years of which time 45 years have been spent at Willow Springs. Mrs. Straube is survived by four children.

Presbyterian Church.

minister, Rev. Paul S. Bandy, at 11 o'clock. Evening worship with sermon by the Rev. Weston F. Shields, minister of the Presbyterian church of Medford. Sunday School at 10 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Oregon Sidelights.

A resident dentist is the latest addition to the growing activities of Turner.

Salem Statesman: The coming state fair will not only boast a fair state but will be the stateliest fair ever, in the fairest state of the union.

Silverton Appeal: Jake Kaufman brought to this office a cucumber 9 3/4 inches in circumference and 14 inches in length. It weighs 46 ounces.

Blooming correspondence, Cornelius Tribune: Fred H. Huhman broke the world's record this week in cultivating 20 acres of spuds in less than three days.

Flax growing in Baker county is in its infancy, but the Baker Democrat says this year has demonstrated the practicability of the industry, and that the coming year will see a greater acreage planted.

Oregon City Courier: There are some values to Clackamas county land. The other day a piece of ten acres, three miles out of the city, was sold for \$60.00. Rather high priced land for a hennery, but that will be its use.

St. Helens Mist: Plans for bringing a circulating library to St. Helens have been submitted to the school board by C. C. Thomason, principal of schools for next year. The library consists of 70 well selected volumes, to be changed semi-annually.

The feed pipe of the Weston water system having been cleared of a choking accumulation of hair-like roots of plants, Weston now has, according to the Leader, for the first time since its gravity system was installed, an ample water supply in August.

Scio News: The article about decency which appeared in these columns last week seemed to touch home to some people, as a few who do not take the News have approached ye editor with the fervent wish that they did, so they could stop the paper.—Journal.

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