

TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

MANY MINOR MATTERS MERELY MENTIONED.

Gleanings From Here, There and Everywhere by The Sentinel Reporters—Personal Notes.

Mrs. Sarah E. Parker, who had an operation performed at a Portland hospital last week, is rapidly recovering from the effects thereof, and will probably be able to return to her home in this city within a few days.

Mr. Salten of Tillamook has taken up his residence in Cottage Grove, and will sell his property at the former place and invest here.

Frank King has invented a pruning knife that promises to come into pretty general use. It has an attachment that makes it impossible to cut into the bark of the tree.

Mrs. Lillian Denison of Grants Pass' public schools visited with Mrs. C. S. Hefty on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Ed Jenks returned to Bohemia, after having spent several weeks in town. Geo. Stidham accompanied him, and will be employed in developing the claims of Jenks & Lockwood.

Mrs. Margaret Berger, a resident of Eugene for the past 35 years, died suddenly after an illness of 18 months. Mrs. Berger came to that city with her family from Wisconsin in 1875, and is survived by a son and daughter, J. F. and Miss Mary Berger. Funeral services were held Monday.

Rev. James Hawkins of Roseburg was a recent guest of A. J. Armstrong.

The annual stockholders' meeting of the Calapoo'ya Springs company was held in this city Wednesday afternoon, and an adjournment taken until next Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. The attendance was small, and hence no business was transacted.

A license to wed has been issued to E. W. Schneider and Miss Lela Nickerson both of this city. The Register says a license has also been issued to a well-known couple of Cottage Grove, but the information cannot be given publicly.

Mrs. W. A. Hemenway and little daughter, who have been down from Cottage Grove visiting her brother, Dr. S. D. Reed and wife and other friends, left last evening for Turner to attend the missionary conference and camp meeting.—Eugene Register.

Peter Tonoli of Divide, who is charged with assault and battery by David Alexander of Cottage Grove, plead not guilty to the charge before Judge Bryson yesterday, gave bonds for his appearance, and his trial was set for July 6.—Register.

Mr. John Barker has The Sentinel's thanks for cherries. He has several trees of the Royal Anne variety that bear bountifully.

F. D. Wheeler was a county seat visitor on Wednesday.

Master Clare Judkins of Eugene is a guest of relatives in this city.

There will be no parade on the Fourth of July, so let every one lend a hand and make the Sweet Pea parade a great success.

Miss Hazel Gray has gone to Roseburg, where she has employment.

Capt. Lawson was a Medford visitor the first of the week, and yesterday he spent in Portland.

Will every owner of a buggy decorate it and enter the sweet pea parade, Saturday July 9. The parade will form on Wall street at 1:30 and proceed to the depot.

During the absence of Mrs. Alice Coffman, clerk of the Women of Woodcraft, Mrs. D. T. Awbrey is acting in that capacity, and all dues should be paid to her.

A marriage license was granted yesterday to Frank Geer and Miss Delpha Bemis, both of London. County Judge Helmus Thompson performed the marriage ceremony at the court house, and the contracting parties returned to Cottage Grove on the afternoon train and proceeded to London, their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Barrett went to Eugene today as delegates to the ordination of a Baptist minister.

Mrs. Nina Humphrey, nee Ostrander, returned to her home at Astoria yesterday.

The Doctors Schleef were county seat visitors yesterday.

WORK BEING RUSHED.

Natron Cutoff Has Doubled Force of Workmen.

Construction on the Natron extension will be rushed harder than ever this summer in an effort to complete the work next fall before the wet weather begins. About 1250 laborers are on the line and this number will be increased as fast as the contractors can get men. Two additional steam shovels are on the way and a force with a power plant will go over the divide and commence work on the big tunnel and work this way to meet the boring on this side that is now over half finished. The three bridges will be put in this summer also. It is thought that if the men can be obtained the 35 miles on this end of the line can be finished by December—or almost within a year after the real work commenced.

The work on the tunnels is progress-

ing very rapidly. The usual cut on each of them is about six feet a day. On tunnel No. 3, which is the longest, the cutters have entered the mountains 938 feet, which is over half the distance. Machinery and supplies are now being hauled over the mountain to set up a compress and power plant so that men can bore from the other side, and be working both ways.

Work on the three bridges will soon begin. The Middle Fork bridge will be 350 feet long and has piers and abutments, and the others are 300 feet long, with the same construction. The bridges are of steel and the abutments and piers of concrete.

The Southern Pacific steel crew will begin work about the middle of July and the work of laying the rails will continue until winter. At present there are about 4,000 tons of 90-pound steel in the yards at Natron. The contractors expect to have all the rails and bridges connected as far as Oak Ridge by the middle of December.

When this is done the base of supplies will be moved from Natron to Oak Ridge. It will be from there that the next contract will be worked.—Eugene Register.

Business Starts Off Brisk.

Seldom is it that one starts into business as did Mrs. Ves Wallace on Monday, when she opened a boarding camp above Disston, on the pipe line. Mrs. Wallace took her outfit, including tents, three cows, range and other necessary paraphernalia, to Disston by train, and was accompanied by fifty-five hungry workmen who were to become her boarders, and for whom she prepared the midday meal. The train arrived at Disston at 10 o'clock, after which time the outfit was conveyed two miles by wagon, and notwithstanding it was a late dinner all the men were bountifully supplied.

After Ike's Scalp.

L. E. Bean has publicly announced his candidacy for state senator from this county in opposition to the Hon. I. H. Bingham, and urges Bingham to present his claims for the office before the assembly tomorrow and permit that body to choose between them, replying to which the Hon. Ike refuses to have anything to do with the assembly. The law provides that the people of Lane county shall be the assembly, and he proposes to abide by their decision. It is probable that the assembly will endorse the candidacy of Bean tomorrow, and that Bingham will receive the nomination at the primaries.

Well, Hardly.

The Eugene Register of this morning says "Cottage Grove will ask for a candidate for representation on the republican ticket" at the county assembly tomorrow. Cottage Grove will ask for nothing, knowing that it will come nearer getting it than a representative. The same paper says Cottage Grove will be represented in the assembly, which is likewise erroneous. The assemblies met in both precincts here and adjourned without taking any action, and consequently no delegates have been elected from this city.

Enter on Mail Contract.

N. H. Martin, who has the contract for carrying the mail on the Lorane route for the coming year, entered upon his contract this morning. John Bidwell is the carrier. The Black Butte route is continued under the same contractor, A. S. Powell, with C. M. Jackson as carrier. The Bohemia route contract has not been awarded, and is continued the same as last year for two months.

Price of Hair Soars.

The substructure of imported hair with which the lines of beauty are preserved and the center of gravity is maintained under the monoplane headgear prescribed by fashion is likely to join the climbing procession of prices that make the cost of living such a problem to many. The ladies of the counter and kitchen will miss a chance if they do not include it in their economic argument for higher pay.

Will Preach to W. C. T. U.

Rev. Robert Sutcliffe will preach a special sermon, by request of the W. C. T. U., Sunday evening, July 10, at the M. E. church. All White Ribboners are requested to attend in a body. The next regular meeting will be held at the Methodist church, Friday, July 8, at 3 o'clock p. m.

New Lodge Room.

The second floor of the building recently purchased by the Woodmen and the Knights of Pythias is being transformed into a lodge room. The furniture has been purchased, and the rooms will be ready for occupancy by July 15. These lodges now meet in Abrams' hall.

Hold Basket Picnic.

The members of the Woman's club held a basket dinner at the city park yesterday afternoon, and spent the greater portion of the afternoon at the play ground. A number of gentlemen participated in the midday meal at the invitation of the club ladies.

The Statesman has an editorial under the caption, "Making heaven of our streets." If Salem is heaven will some one please rise and tell us where hell is?

YARD PRIZES AWARDED

J. H. McFarland Wrests Cup From Mr. Lurch—The Standing.

The Civic Improvement League awarded the silver cup for the best kept yard yesterday, J. H. McFarland carrying off the honor, having 95 points against W. H. Harvey's 87 and B. Lurch's 85. The latter was awarded the cup last year. Mr. Harvey was awarded second prize.

Those yards in the blue ribbon class are as follows: B. Lurch, F. P. Phillips, Fingal Hinds, Dr. B. R. Job and Dr. Fuller.

The red ribbon class: Harry Metcalf, W. H. Lincoln, Winters Wallace, Clarence DuBrille and J. S. Medley.

White ribbon class: H. O. Thompson, Andrew Brund, J. H. Shortridge, G. H. Tyson and J. F. Spray.

Honorable mention: J. C. Johnson, C. H. VanDenberg, Sid Hamlin, Chas. Brown, Daniel Schaffer, John Veatch, Robt. Martin, Frank Henderson, Ed. Jones, D. H. Hemenway and H. Eakin. The judges were Mrs. A. H. King, Ralph Baker and Marion Veatch.

TIDES OF PUGET SOUND.

The Swift and Turbulent Waters of the Narrows.

The waters of the narrows are treacherous. It is a place of terrible tides. Viewed from the precipitous shores, the surging waters are magnificent. The scene has been compared with the Hudson above New York city. The waters of that part of Puget sound which extends to Olympia, Mud bay, Shelton and Henderson bay, a vast inland sea within itself, all flow in and out of the narrows.

In the upper reaches of the sound some twenty-five or thirty miles from the narrows the tides attain a height of more than twenty feet. When the tides begin to fall all the accumulated water rushes out through the narrows like a great river at flood. In like manner when the tide sets in the direction of Olympia the narrows become a swift and turbulent stream. Frightful whirlpools are numerous. Streams running powerfully in contrary directions strike and the water boils.

Large steamboats struck by the contrary currents groan and creak and sway under the strain. This being so, it is no wonder that small craft often overturn in the narrows. A whirlpool has been known to seize a rowboat and twist it round and round until the rowers almost despaired of coming out alive. It is a marvelously beautiful water with all its terrors, and hundreds and thousands will continue to find pleasure there, notwithstanding its occasional tragedies. The rumble of the tides when running at full is like the distant rumble of the ocean. The terrors of the sea are an element of its charm, and so it is with the terrors of the narrows.—Tacoma Ledger.

Two Apologies For a Hat.

A Kansas City man who had lost his hat at a public function in that metropolis caused the following unique advertisement to be published in the local papers:

The undersigned will deem it a great favor if the gentleman who inadvertently took the undersigned's new silk hat on the occasion of the reception of the Lotos club, leaving an inferior headpiece instead, will have the goodness to return said silk hat. Not only will the gentleman receive the undersigned's warmest thanks for his kindness, but the apologies of the undersigned—the apology for the trouble the undersigned may have caused him and "the apology for a hat" which he has conferred upon the undersigned.

—St. Louis Republic.

All Affected.

Sprigg went to a noted physician to ask advice as to his health. In pompous tones he addressed the doctor:

"I—ah—have come to—ah—ask you—ah—what—what is—ah—the doosid mattaw with me—ah?"

"I find your heart is affected," said the physician gravely.

"Oh—ah—anything else—ah?"

"Yes; your lungs are affected too."

"Anything—ah—else—ah?"

"Yes; your manners are also affected."—London Answers.

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, May 5, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that Ada B. Nicklm, whose postoffice address is 683 High street, Eugene, Oregon, did, on the 3d day of May, 1909, file in this office Sworn Statement and Application, No. 04959, to purchase the W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ and E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 20, Township 19 S., Range 5, W. Willamette Meridian, and the timber thereon, under the provisions of the act of June 3, 1878, and acts amendatory, known as the "Timber and Stone Law," at such value as might be fixed by appraisal, and that, pursuant to such application, the land and timber thereon have been appraised \$850, the timber estimated 2,700,000 board feet at \$30

per M, and the land \$40.00; that said applicant will offer final proof in support of her application and sworn statement on the 4th day of August, 1910, before Register and Receiver U. S. L. O. at Roseburg, Oregon.

Any person is at liberty to protest this purchase before entry, or initiate a contest at any time before patent issues, by filing a corroborated affidavit in this office, alleging facts which would defeat the entry.

BENJAMIN F. JONES,
May 20-July 29. Register.

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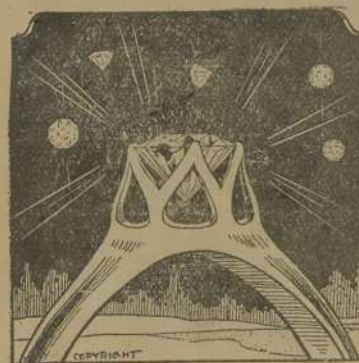
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