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TWO DRUG-CRAZED NEGROES KILL 8

Colored Brothers Lynched in Mississippi After Killing in Streets.

Harriston, Miss.—Two drug-crazed mulatto boys, brothers, began a reign of murder here early Sunday that ended only after three white men, four negro men and a negro woman had been killed, several persons wounded and the two boys lynched. A serious clash between the races was prevented by the arrival on a special train of a company of national guardsmen from Natchez.

The trouble started at about 2 o'clock in the morning, continued intermittently until 10 o'clock, when Walter Jones, the oldest of the two boys, who started the firing, was lynched just after the soldiers arrived. His brother, Will Jones, had been shot and lynched by citizens earlier in the day.

Twenty persons were injured, 14 of them negroes. None of the negroes was dangerously hurt.

The shooting was started by Walter Jones, aged 20, in the negro quarters, where Johanna Alken, a negro, and Thead Grayson, colored, were shot and killed. Walter then went home, aroused his 18-year-old brother and together they proceeded through the main street of the little town firing at everyone in sight.

CHINA SENDS APOLOGY

Insult to Flag and Murder at Nanking Condoned.

Pekin.—The apology of General Chang Hsun to the Japanese consulate at Nanking has cleared the air, according to the Japanese officials here, and removes the danger of complications for the present.

The Japanese legation emphatically denied that an ultimatum had been sent by the Japanese government to China. The legation stated that the Chinese authorities at Hankow and Shantung had complied fully with the Japanese demands.

On September 27 the Japanese minister presented China with an ultimatum, allowing China three days to comply with Japan's demands in connection with the recent attacks on Japanese at Nanking.

State to Trade Books.

Salem, Or.—The state printing board has entered into a contract with the Bancroft-Whitney company, of San Francisco, to publish the supreme court reports for five years, it being the belief of the board that at least \$25,000 will be saved annually. J. C. Moreland, clerk of the supreme court, says there is about \$40,000 of "dead stock," consisting of old reports, in possession of the state which it cannot dispose of. These will be traded to the company for new books.

SULZER MAY TESTIFY IN HIS OWN BEHALF

Albany, N. Y.—The trial of Mr. Sulzer before the high court of impeachment was resumed at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, and it is generally believed that this week's sessions may suffice for the presentation of all the prosecution's direct evidence.

Should Mr. Sulzer persist in his purpose to take the stand in his own behalf, however, the issue is not unlikely to be protracted. That he will do so is now generally conceded.

The impeaching managers have succeeded in placing in evidence contributions aggregating not only the \$5460 acknowledged in Mr. Sulzer's sworn report to the secretary of state, not only the additional items aggregating \$8500 which were suppressed by Mr. Sulzer as alleged in the formal articles of impeachment, but, under the court's ruling permitting the widest latitude, they have already increased the latter figure to \$18,200 in checks alone.

Religious Healer Killed in Her Office.

Los Angeles.—With a piece of gas pipe a foot and a half long, some one battered the life out of Mrs. Rebecca P. Gay, a religious health practitioner, in her office, and after a futile attempt to throw the body from the fifth story of the office building, left the dead woman covered with copies of a religious newspaper.

Dr. Pintler, Miss Alta Hobson and C. A. Beauchamp and wife motored to Salem Sunday evening.

HIGH SCHOOL QUESTION CARRIED MONDAY

The school election Monday, which was held to vote on the addition of the 11th and 12th grades to the Stayton school, and to make the entire course of study conform to the required standard of the High Schools of Oregon, was well attended and a comparatively large vote was cast.

Seventy-three votes resulted in sixty-seven for, and five against the proposed change. One vote was cast blank.

Much enthusiasm was manifested at the close of the count and Prof. Gauntt was called upon to explain just what was requisite to put the stayton school on the plane of the Silverton, Salem and other high schools.

In a short, lucid manner, the Professor explained that; A course of study must be prepared which must be presented to the State Superintendent for approval, that another teacher must be hired to help in the high school work, that a certain amount of laboratory material must be furnished, and a large library of reference books must be provided for.

In a meeting of the school board Monday evening, it was decided that the chairman G. L. Brown, together with Prof. Gauntt go to Salem in the near future and interview State Superintendent Churchill and get a course of study outlined and ready for adoption at some future meeting of the board.

As no tax was voted at the regular election for an additional expenditure, and as the time is too short to call a special meeting for that purpose this fall, it is doubtful if all the grades can be carried this year.

The school board wishes to assure the patrons and pupils, however, that everything that is possible will be done, and that after the regular school election next spring they will have everything in readiness for the opening of the school in the fall to teach every grade from the first to the twelfth, in a standard manner with standard equipment.

USE "FIGSEN" IF CONSTIPATED

Gently Clean Your Liver, Stomach and Clogged Bowels While You Sleep

Get a 25 cent box and try them. Take a Figsen tonight to cleanse your Liver, Stomach and Bowels, and you will surely feel great by morning. You men and women who have headache, coated tongue, can't sleep, are bilious, nervous, upset, bothered with a sick, gassy or disordered stomach and feel all worn out. Are you keeping your bowels clean with Figsen or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil?

Figsen immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry of the constipated waste matter and poison from the intestines and bowels.

Remember, a Figsen tonight will straighten you out by morning. A 25 cent box from your druggist means healthy bowel action; a clear head and cheerfulness for months. Don't forget the children. 3 sizes-10-25 and 50 cents at Beauchamps.

HOP PRICES SOAR UPWARD

The region around Dallas has this year turned off an immense crop of hops of unusually high quality and for some time the city has been overrun with buyers who are anxious to relieve the growers of their holdings. A few sales have been made at 26 cents but many of the farmers are holding for better prices and it is thought there will be no general unloading until the price reaches 30 cents. Shippers are having difficulty in securing cars to handle the hops and, as the warehouse is full, the delivery of the product will have to stop unless the car shortage is relieved.

Rev. E. S. Mace will go to Myrtle Point Oregon next year to preach. Rev. R. Hocking will take charge of the Stayton M. E. church.

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CHINCHILLA, ZIBELINE and DIAGONAL

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Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's in the new Roughnecks. All Prices.

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The Blanket and Outing Flannel Season is at hand. Our line is most complete.

Boy's School Suits—

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CIGAR MAKER IS MARRIED IN KANSAS

Joseph J. Lambrecht, who makes the popular "First Pick" cigar in Stayton cigar factory arrived in the city Monday evening with his bride, from Topeka, Kansas, where he had been for three weeks.

Joseph Lambrecht and Mary C. Maurer were married in Topeka September 16, and started for Oregon on September 25.

Everybody is congratulating Joe while the boys gave the couple a fine serenade with the band Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lambrecht will live in the Beauchamp house, just east of the cigar factory, until spring, when Mr. Lambrecht will build on his lot in Richardson's addition.

STAYTON COUPLE MARRIED SATURDAY

Another Stayton couple were united in the bonds of matrimony when Kathleen E. Lampman and A. L. Shreve were married last Saturday, September 27, by Judge Galloway at his residence in Salem.

The couple came to Stayton Sunday evening by auto from West Stayton. The groom is a well-known business man of this city, and part owner of the Stayton Electric Light Co. The bride has lived here for a number of years. The Mail wishes them a long life of happiness and prosperity.

Luster Sandman, wife and baby of Gates visited at the S. H. Burson home the first of the week.

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STAYTON HOUSEFURNISHING CO.

SANTIAM WOOLEN MILL OCTOBER SALE

The Santiam Woolen Mill of Stayton is going to have a big Mill-End Sale from October 8th to October 14th on wool blankets. Look over their half page ad in this issue and you will see a great reduction in home manufactured goods. Note carefully what the ad says concerning the sale of a few pairs of number 2 or slightly damaged blankets. Just a little stained or perhaps a couple of inches short, not enough to make any difference except to the wholesaler. Get one of these pairs of blankets at less than manufacturer's cost.

Don't fail to see the beautiful All wool Dress Goods, 56 inches wide at 1.12½ per yard. Visit the Woolen Mill. Your'e Welcome.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF LILLY HARDWARE CO.

The Lilly Hardware Company, successors of The Streff Hardware Company, wishes to announce through the columns of The Mail that they are now ready for business, and invite you in to get acquainted, and to inspect their stock of hardware, stoves etc.

If courteous treatment, expert buying, and reasonable prices will secure a part of your patronage, they feel assured that you will not regret the time spent in looking over their stock.

Mr. Lilly is a hardware man of many years experience, and has come to Stayton to make his home. Call and talk it over with him.

COMMERCIAL HOTEL ON THE BOOM

Trade is increasing by leaps and bounds at the Commercial since R. J. Moses again took charge.

Try their good old-fashioned home cooking a week, and you will want to stay.

Everything clean, sanitary and home-like. Give them a trial.

OREGON POTATOES MADE INTO STARCH

C. C. More, of the United States Department of Chemistry, has been in Oregon for two weeks studying the adaptability of Oregon potatoes as a raw product for the manufacture of starch. He has declared his faith in the possibility of establishing factories for the manufacture of starch and glucose from potatoes and has had a meeting with prominent Portland business men with this end in view. It is stated that the Pacific Northwest at present consumes about 10,000 tons of starch per year, practically all of which is shipped from the East. The establishment of a starch mill in Oregon would supply this annual demand and would also provide an outlet for surplus spuds during seasons of low prices.

PRUNE CROP IS SLIGHTLY DAMAGED

From the Eugene section comes the information that while the 1913 prune crop is larger in volume than for several years, the fruit ranges relatively small in size. The Eugene evaporating plant is running to full capacity and is putting about 800 bushels of prunes through the drying room every 24 hours. Packing of the dried fruit for shipment will begin in about ten days.

It is stated that an unusually large proportion of the prune crop is being marketed as fresh fruit than ever before and this fact, in connection with the unfortunate prevalence of dry rot in nearly all sections of the state, is expected to result in a marked decrease in the dried product. Early quotations for dried prunes are very attractive, indication pointing to an unusual European demand later in the year.

OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Events Occurring Throughout the State During the Past Week.

Organize Protective Association.
Eugene.—The Lane county farmers took the first steps for mutual protection from the ravages of the hunters during the approaching hunting season, when the Farmers Protective association of Lane county was organized here, scores of representative farmers, with Prof. John Boyard and Prof. C. F. Hodge of the university assisting, met and adopted a constitution. The purposes of the organization as outlined is to enforce and improve bird and game laws of the state and protect the farmers against trespassers.

Ashland Work is to Start.
Ashland.—Material has arrived here for the preliminary work on the Foot-hills Irrigation company's project, and in a few days operations are planned to begin on the first unit of the Hyatt Prairie dam, northeast of Ashland. The breast of the dam will be nearly 50 feet high. It will be over 900 feet wide and will flood approximately 1000 acres to an average depth of 20 feet. The backwater created by this dam will reach nearly two miles.

WARNINGS ARE UNHEEDED

Thousands Lose in Locating on Oregon Lands.

Roseburg.—That thousands of persons throughout the United States have parted with various sums of cash through fraudulent locations on lands of the Oregon & California railway, was the statement made by Register Jones of the Roseburg United States land office.

"Hundreds of persons write to this office asking for information regarding these lands," said Mr. Jones, "many of them after they have parted with their money. We have always sent out a circular letter to people making inquiries about lands in this district, giving the amount of vacant land by counties, the character of the land, a general description of the country, and last but not least, the climatic conditions that prevail.

"A number of persons who were victimized by these locators have filed regular homestead applications in this office, all of which we rejected. Some of them appealed from our decision to the general land office, claiming that they would win the land in the end."

Free Wool Causes Sales.

La Grande.—On account of the changing of the tariff on wool many sheep are being marketed from this section, as the sheep men fear the animals will not pay to keep for wool. In the last week two train loads of sheep have been shipped out of Union and Wallawa counties, the first train load from Joseph, in Wallawa county, and one from Elgin, in Union county.

DREDGE GETS MUCH GOLD

Powder River Operations Unusually Successful.

Sumpter.—Since January 7 the gold dredge of the Powder River Gold Dredging company at this place has been in operation day and night, being run in three eight-hour shifts. The rich return derived from this boat has been one of the shining successes met this year in mining in eastern Oregon.

This work is paying beyond even the expectation of the owners at the time of building. The riffles are cleaned up once a week, and the gold retorted at the company's laboratory in Sumpter. The gold bricks from this retort are expressed to the United States mint at San Francisco.

Book Companies Must Pay License.

Salem.—Corporation Commissioner Watson states that the publishing firms which have made contracts to furnish school books in this state must qualify to do business in this state under the laws regulating foreign corporations. They must each pay a license of \$100.

Medford Has \$25,000 Fire.

Medford.—Fire destroyed the Union livery stable, two dwellings nearby, five horses and about twenty sets of harness. For four hours Medford was in darkness, and the telephone service was out of commission. The loss is estimated at \$25,000, partially covered by insurance.

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills for rheumatism