

OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Events Occurring Throughout the State During the Past Week.

Faulder Held to Grand Jury.
Klamath Falls.—Nebel Faulder, the man who shot and killed Louis Gebhart in the Southern Pacific railroad camp, 40 miles north of here, several weeks ago and failed to end his own life in a suicidal attempt, was held to the grand jury in a preliminary hearing before Justice of the Peace Charles Graves.

Faulder killed his victim because of an altercation arising over a dog, and those witnessing the tragedy say it was a cold-blooded murder.

Farmer Invents Sagebrush Clearer.
Lakeview.—F. A. Reunington, a progressive farmer in northern Lake County, has invented a sagebrush extirpator that promises to revolutionize the work of clearing raw sagebrush lands. The machine is designed on the same theory as the Canadian field rake and in addition to taking out the tap roots, it piles the brush in windrows and leaves a well-worked seed bed of from four and one-half to six inches deep.

INDIANS DEFEY COURT ACT

Red Elk and Tribesmen Drive Whites From Water Trenches.

Pendleton.—Refusing to abide by the decisions of the courts, a number of Indians, under the leadership of Red Elk, one of the head men of the Umatilla tribe, drove from their ranches the crew of workmen which is employed in developing the Thorn Hollow Springs, from which the city expects to get its supply of mountain water. After the workmen had been driven away the Indians took hoses and filled up the trenches which had been dug.

Red Elk is the son of Wenix, the Indian woman who owns the land upon which the springs are located. She refused to sell the land, but the city brought a condemnation suit and was compelled to pay her \$4000. She has refused to accept the money. It was at her bidding that Red Elk and the other braves, armed with rifles, drove the white workmen from the ditches.

Binger Hermann's Aunt Dies.

Marshfield.—Mrs. W. A. Border, a pioneer of Coos County, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. W. Traver, in this city. She for years had been a resident of the Coquille Valley, living near Myrtle Point. She was a sister of Mrs. Hermann, mother of Binger Hermann of Roseburg.

Biggest Catch 23.5 Tons.

Astoria.—According to the reports thus far available, the "high boat" among the gillnetters during the past fishing season was operated by C. Shogren, who fished for the Tallant-Grant Packing Company.

His catch for the season was 23½ tons of salmon, which netted him and his boat-puller \$3290 for their season's work.

Prison Hangs in Mid-air.

Medford.—Suspended in mid-air, 13 prisoners are sleeping in their steel cage in jail with nothing but two cables supporting them. The cage is being hoisted to the top of the new jail to make room for the \$6500 cells that have been contracted for and which will be put in soon.

NEW ALFALFA PEST FOUND

Professor O'Gara Makes Discovery in Southern Oregon.

Medford.—New crown gall, a disease that effects the roots and tops of alfalfa, and which is unknown to the Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C., has been discovered by Professor P. J. O'Gara, former government pathologist, now employed by Jackson County. The affected plants show numerous galls which inhibit the growth and which, if allowed to spread, will destroy the alfalfa crop of an entire valley.

After months of study of the disease and of the records of the department, Professor O'Gara came to the conclusion that he had discovered a plant disease that was indeed new. A letter to V. K. Charles, acting mycologist at Washington, brought a request for samples, and upon the examination Mr. Charles also pronounced the disease new.

Monmouth Normal September 18.

Monmouth.—On September 18 the Oregon State Normal at Monmouth will open its doors to a throng of students from all parts of the state. The old normal building has been thoroughly renovated, new apparatus installed and everything put in readiness for work.

BRIEF NEWS OF OREGON

The hopgrowers have obtained all the pickers they need to harvest the Oregon crop this year.

Charged with the killing of his squaw in Warner Valley, Sunday, Bigge Archie, an Indian, is lodged in the county jail at Lakeview awaiting examination.

The Southern Pacific will not contest the decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission in the Willamette Valley and the South Portland lumber rate cases.

The fall fishing season on the Columbia River will open on September 10, and the indications are that more canneries will be operated than ever before during this season.

To instruct their representatives at the convention of the state-wide highway committee in Portland, September 12-13, several Oregon counties have called good roads meetings.

Standardization of charring, the new land-clearing process, is to be the aim of an organization of prominent men interested in the development of Oregon's logged-off lands.

Three new farmers' high schools, under the union district plan, will be opened in Lane County this fall, doubling the number of union high schools, in which Lane County is the pioneer.

Senator George E. Chamberlain will not leave Washington, D. C., for home before September 20, as he has been detained at the capital by some business matters he has before the department.

Wolves have done so much damage among cattle on hillside and mountain farms that the Crater Lake National office forest office has employed an expert hunter, W. R. Hammersly, to hunt and kill them.

A union of the deciduous fruitgrowers similar to the present union of citrus growers is the suggestion of Professor J. P. O'Gara, national authority on pear culture and pathologist for Jackson County.

The wife of Major L. D. Kinney has filed in the probate court at Marshfield a petition asking that she be named guardian of her husband. The petition sets forth that Major Kinney has suffered a nervous breakdown and is incapable of attending to his business affairs.

State Capital Gleanings

After its long summer adjournment the supreme court began listening to arguments of cases again Tuesday.

The State of Oregon will do no more credit business, especially in the corporation department, according to an ultimatum issued by Corporation Clerk Babcock.

Completed books containing the course of study have come from the hands of the printer for distribution, and a large consignment of them has already been delivered to the office of the superintendent of public instruction.

Suit for a restraining order to prohibit the Welch lines of the Portland, Eugene & Eastern from doing work on Front street, in the city of Salem, and also to revoke the franchise of the lines there, was started in circuit court by City Attorney Corby.

The general land office has made a ruling in favor of the desert land entryman in this state, which enables the entryman on a desert claim to make final proof and secure title to his desert claim, before securing final water right certificate from the state.

After passing 30 years in the Indian service, during which time he has experienced many narrow escapes from death in Montana's Indian days, W. P. Campbell, one of the veterans of the service, resigned his position as assistant superintendent of the Chemawa Indian School.

Portland Notes

The annual Retail Grocers' Food and Industrial Exposition is being arranged to follow the meetings of Gipsy Smith in the temporary auditorium which is to be built to accommodate the noted evangelist.

A. S. Briggs, former superintendent of the Linnton rockpile, where city prisoners are given employment, was indicted by the grand jury on a charge of accepting \$100 to allow the escape of O. A. Richards, a prisoner, several months before his sentence expired.

Commissioner Frank K. Lane, of the Interstate Commerce Commission, arrived Monday to take up in the United States court a hearing on the application from exemption from the fourth section (the long and short haul clause) between San Francisco and Portland, a very important question from many standpoints.

The mystery surrounding the disappearance of J. Lloyd Magnus, cashier of the baggage room of the Union depot, was cleared up when his body was discovered by Harry Richey, manager of the Portland office of the Columbia Life & Trust Company, floating in front of his houseboat, which is moored just north of the Yacht Club and the Oaks.

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Notice of Final Accounting

Notice is hereby given, by the undersigned, the administrator of the estate of Oliver C. McDowell, deceased, that he has made and filed with the clerk of the county court his final accounting of his administration of said estate, and that the county court has set Monday, the 6th day of Nov., 1911, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the county court-room in Prineville, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing and settling said final accounting. At which said time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and object to said final accounting.

Dated this 7th day of Sept., 1911.
D. A. McDOWELL,
Administrator of the estate of
Oliver C. McDowell, deceased.

Notice of Final Accounting

Notice is hereby given, by the undersigned, the administrator of the estate of Patrick J. Kennedy, deceased, to all persons interested in said estate that he has made and filed with the clerk of the county court his final accounting of his administration of said estate and the county court has set Monday, the 6th day of Nov., 1911, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the county court room in Prineville, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing and settling said final accounting. At which said time and place all persons interested in said estate may appear and object to said final accounting.

Dated this 7th day of Sept., 1911.
R. F. HECKMAN,
Administrator of the estate of
Patrick J. Kennedy, deceased.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given, by the undersigned, the administrator of the estate of John B. Gustafson, deceased, to all creditors of said deceased and all persons having claims against said estate to present them with the proper vouchers to the undersigned at his office in Prineville, Oregon, within six months from the first publication of this notice.

Dated Sept. 7, 1911.
M. R. ELLIOTT,
Administrator of the estate of
John B. Gustafson, deceased.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Burns, Oregon,
August 25, 1911.
Notice is hereby given that Thomas B. Throck of Paulina, Oregon, who on April 13, 1909, made homestead entry No. 3462 for 32 5/8 acres and 1/2 section 5, Township 18 south, Range 25 east, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. E. Snow, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Dayville, Oregon, on the 16th day of October, 1911.
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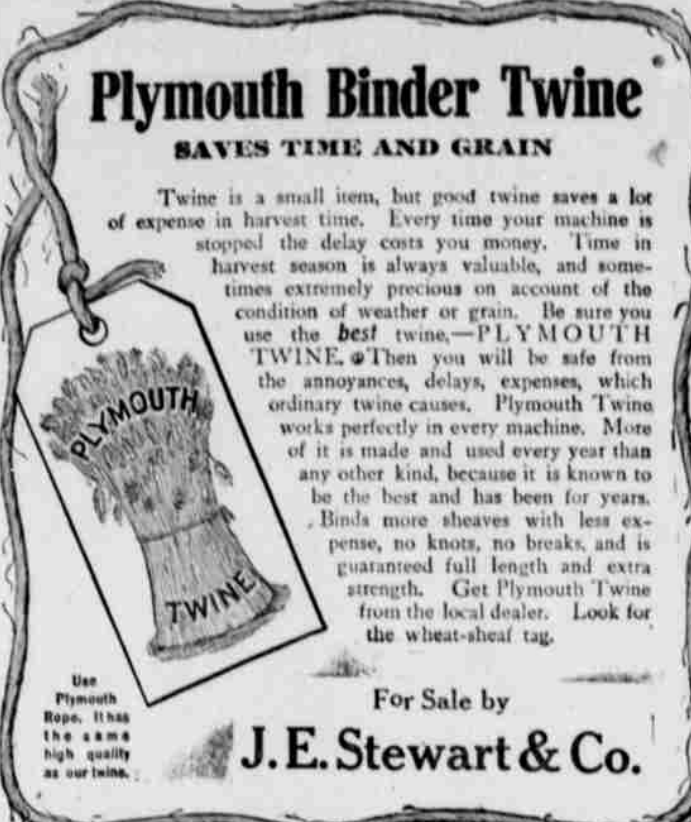
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