

OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Events Occurring Throughout the State During the Past Week.

Wedding Stopped By Mother
Medford.—Goblet L. Smith, a youth of 21, of this city, declares he will invoke the stern arm of the law in order to wed his sweetheart, Minerva Withrow, whose mother, after giving written permission for the issuance of a license for the marriage, snatched her girl, who is but 15 years old, from the protection of her lover, while the couple stood before the marriage license clerk in Jacksonville and escorted her away to the protection of the family home, instead of to the marriage altar.

Sheriff To Face Grand Jurors
Salem.—With the view of prosecuting Sheriff Kelsay, of Wheeler county, Dr. Norris, of Fossil, and two unknown persons, whom it is alleged brought a boy to the reform school here several weeks ago in an intoxicated condition, W. S. Hale, superintendent of the school, has consulted with Assistant Attorney-General Van Winkle with relation to presenting the matter to the grand jury when it convenes, the 1st of July.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC BILKED

Pay Check Robber Knew Methods of Railroad Company
Portland.—Southern Pacific officials believe that the strangers who got away with \$1600 worth of pay checks on an order to which had been forged the name of an assistant general manager, will be found a person closely in touch with the company and its affairs. No person, it is held, not thoroughly familiar with the methods employed in paying off the men, would have figured out how to work the scheme so cleverly without detection. A stranger presented to the pay agent at the Southern Pacific car shops in Southeast Portland an order for the pay checks of 12 engine and train men, signed by one of the assistant general managers. It has been customary to honor orders in the past and so the pay agent did not suspect anything wrong when the stranger handed out the checks.

Virgil Catching, 19 years old, a young man who has served one term in jail, and Dan Riley, alias Sailor Burke, have been arrested in Vancouver, B. C. The two deny their guilt, have engaged a lawyer and will fight extradition, according to word received in Portland.

Trace of Robber Is Lost

Roseburg.—Nothing has been heard regarding the whereabouts of Ray Diamond, the Glendale bank robber, and the officers are merely awaiting some word from the coast officials which will tend to substantiate the theory that he is proceeding in that direction. With all trails leading to the coast closely guarded by armed officers, Sheriff Quine maintains that Diamond will be captured when he emerges from the heavily timbered districts through which he is traveling.

CHOLERA TO BE STOPPED

State Sanitary Board to Ask Governor for Two Proclamations

Salem.—Rules to prevent the spread of hog cholera, glanders and other contagious diseases of animals were discussed at the first meeting of the state livestock sanitary board, provided for in an act passed at the recent session of the legislature. The board decided to ask the governor to issue two proclamations, one that all horses, mules and jacks must be tested to prove their freedom from glanders before being brought into the state, and the other that all hogs shipped into the state, other than those for immediate slaughter, shall be immunized from cholera by the use of a serum.

Charles Cleveland, of Gresham, was elected president of the board.

Witness' Body Found in Sea

Fort Stevens.—In the discovery of a body declared to be that of Private Crawford, the location of Private Lowe in a hospital at the Presidio near San Francisco, and a letter from Corporal Shade indicating that he fled to Canada on deserting from this post, the mystery that has surrounded the disappearance of the government's three important witnesses, in the case against Private Waldo Coffman, who is charged with spreading treasonable propaganda among the troops, is believed to have been partially cleared up.

Murder of Wife Charged

Astoria.—The circuit court grand jury returned an indictment charging Fruotose Ferdinand Fernandez with murdering his wife, the late Ruth Burnett Fernandez, who was mysteriously stabbed at her home on June 6.

HANNAH SILVERMAN



Photo by American Press Association.
Hannah Silverman, leader of the I. W. W. Paterson, N. J., strikers, who is called "Firebrand."

RAILROADS WILL REFUND

To Be Called On to Distribute \$3,000,000 to Shippers.

St. Paul.—At a conference with members of the state warehouse and railroad commission representatives of railways affected by the decision of the United States supreme court in the Minnesota case agreed to put into effect as soon as possible the state rates declared valid by the supreme court. These include the 2-cent passenger rate, the merchandise freight schedule and the commodity freight rate, enacted by the legislature but never put into effect because of the injunction proceedings.

The agreement ended discussion of further litigation by President Gray of the Great Northern, assured the state officials that there would be no further delay in establishing the state rates and that refunds due shippers for overcharges during the period of litigation representing the difference between the present rates and those made by the state would be paid at once.

The roads will be called on to distribute approximately \$3,000,000 within the next six months.

Crack in Canal Alarms

Panama.—Numerous alarming rumors of damage have gained currency as a result of the crack that recently developed in the cutoff wall of the northwest wing of the Miraflores locks of the Panama canal. One report had it that the gates had pulled away some portions of their supporting masonry and that the cost to demolish and rebuild the damaged structure would be \$1,500,000.

GOVERNOR SULZER ATTACKS MURPHY

Albany, N. Y.—Accusing Charles F. Murphy of being "behind a conspiracy to blacken my character because I refused to do his bidding," Governor Sulzer gave in detail his version of his break with the Tammany chieftain. For more than an hour the governor sat in the executive chamber and told the newspaper correspondents, bitter in its denunciation of Tammany's leader and replete with allegations that Murphy had attempted to influence the executive action in matters of legislation, appointments and removals from office.

The governor said he had seen Murphy only three times since his inauguration. "I listened to his propositions," the governor said, "but I refused to do what he wanted me to do because, in my opinion, he was wrong."

The governor declared that he had been threatened with ruin unless he did as he was bid.

"I have always answered," he said, "as I am answering now—no man can ruin me but William Sulzer. I refused to do Murphy's bidding. I refused to be part of a criminal conspiracy to loot a state."

THE MARKETS.

Portland.
Wheat—Club, 94c; bluestem, \$1.01; red Russian, 92c.
Hay—Timothy, \$18; alfalfa, \$13.
Butter—Creamery, 28c.
Eggs—Candled, 21c.
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Wool—Eastern Oregon, 15c; Willamette valley, 15c.

Seattle.
Wheat—Bluestem, 99c; club, 92c; red Russian, 90c.
Eggs—20c.
Butter—Creamery, 29c.
Hay—Timothy, \$18 per ton; alfalfa, \$13 per ton.

BRIEF NEWS OF OREGON

Wool sales at Condon aggregated 700,000 pounds, at prices ranging from 10 1/2 to 14 7/8 cents.

Thieves broke into the clothing store of John Anderson in Forest Grove and made away with about 50 suits valued at over \$700.

The farmers of Ashland have perfected a producers' association, and the question of establishing a public market there is being canvassed.

Accused of tying a bunch of straw to a horse's tail and setting fire to it, at St. Johns, Otto Russell was fined \$10 and costs for cruelty to animals.

Judge M. C. George was elected president of the Sons and Daughters of Oregon Pioneers, at the annual meeting at Portland.

Jay H. Upton, of Portland, was elected department commander of the United Spanish War Veterans and Salem was chosen as the place of next meeting.

By an oversight in enacting a new law dealing with conditions that were disclosed by Portland's vice clique scandal the defendants in these cases will go unpunished.

The county court has appropriated \$750 to be used in defraying the expense of assembling a creditable exhibit of Douglas county products at the state fair at Salem in September.

A Walla Walla county grand jury has reported that two drug stores in the "dry" district at Enterprise have filled during 10 months 10,700 prescriptions for intoxicating liquors, or an aggregate of over 2000 gallons.

According to a report of the state market inspector filed at Roseburg, the Oregon Soldiers' Home scored 97.5 out of a possible 100. The inspector says this is the highest score recorded by any state institution in Oregon.

Guarded by three forts and strings of electrically controlled mines which extend from the Oregon to Washington shores, defenses at the mouth of the Columbia are considered as good as any which protect the harbors of the United States.

The Oregon Bankers' association session at Corvallis, elected W. L. Thompson of Pendleton as president for the ensuing year. The bankers decided to cooperate in the movement toward securing large tracts of land for colonization purposes.

Governor West has appointed Ernest Ringo, a Salem lawyer, special agent and prosecutor for the governor's office, under a law passed many years ago. A law passed at the last session appropriated \$1000 a year for the work.

A solid gold nugget worth \$1000 was panned by George Armstrong and Richard Sturton on their Dutch Gulch placer claim three miles from Susanville and 60 miles from Baker. It is thought to be the largest nugget ever found in the northwest.

The first apportionment made by the state under laws passed by the last legislature was received by County Treasurer Lewis. The apportionment amounts to \$10,173.46 and is to be used by the agricultural society which has charge of the annual county fair in Multnomah county.

Arguments were heard in the supreme court in the suit brought by L. H. McMahan, a Salem lawyer, to restrain Secretary of State Olcott and State Treasurer Kay from expending \$450,000 appropriated by the legislature for the reclamation of lands in the Columbia Southern project.

No longer will producers be able to market their fruits in Oregon under misleading labels, if the efforts of State Dairy and Food Commissioner Miedke avails. This official has begun action to eliminate this bad feature of the trade in an effort to aid the grower who puts up an honest pack.

Lizzie Clark has brought suit at Hillsboro against Hare & Gilkerson, sawmill men of Manning, to recover \$15,000 damages. The plaintiff is a cook, and complains that she was buried in the debris of a tree which the defendants' workmen felled across a cookhouse which she occupied. She alleges that she was permanently disabled, and may lose her eyesight as a result of her injuries.

To make a study of the mineral resources of Oregon and induce capital to develop them, is the object of a bill passed by the legislature creating the Oregon Bureau of Mines and Geology, and the prediction is made that it will increase the elemental wealth of the state by millions of dollars, for estimates place the value on the importations of clay products alone at \$5,000,000 annually, and the importations of cement, building stone and other building materials also run into millions yearly.

A synopsis of the game and fish laws of the state of Oregon has been issued by William L. Finley, state fish and game warden. The pamphlet will be distributed among the gun stores throughout the city and state. Will G. Steel, who will take up the office of superintendent of Crater Lake Park on July 1, will work in conjunction with Mr. Finley in making Crater Lake Park a big game refuge as well as a place of scenic beauty. An effort will be made to get a number of European birds into the park.

A Hint to Buyers!

OFTEN have we met people, who after buying at Portland or somewhere else, say: Well, I did not know that you sold it at the same price," or, "I did not know that you folks had it." In buying at home you have the guarantee of your local merchant behind the goods, and we often exchange goods, after our customer discovers that they really wanted something else. And we in a good many cases can save you postage, express or breakage in shipping. For instance, that phonograph or record you can get right here at the same price as you pay anywhere, and save express or freight. And it really does not pay in the long run to buy inferior goods. Now here are some things we handle and sell at the same price as any place:

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W. C. WILKES, R. H. CROZIER, Asst. Gen. F. & P. Agent, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agent. H. BAUKOL, Agent, Redmond, Ore. 6-19-13

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Notice of Contest

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon, June 14, 1913. To John M. Westfall, of Prineville, Oregon, Contestee. You are hereby notified that Thomas Lowe, who gives Prineville, Oregon, care of J. E. Roberts, as his post office address, did on May 23, 1913, file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your homestead, serial No. 07100, made June 27, 1910, for s4 sw4, section 17, n4 nw1, section 20, township 17 south, range 17 east, Willamette meridian, and as grounds for his contest he alleges that said John M. Westfall has wholly abandoned said tract for over two years last past; that he has wholly failed to reside upon, improve or cultivate said land for over two years last past, or at all since making said entry.

You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken by this office as having been confessed by you, and your said entry will be canceled thereunder without your further right to be heard thereon, either before this office or on appeal, if you fail to file in this office within twenty days after the FOURTH publication of this notice, as shown below, your answer, under oath, specifically meeting and responding to these allegations of contest, or if you fail within that time to file in this office due proof that you have served a copy of your answer on the said contestant either in person or by registered mail. If this service is made by the delivery of a copy of your answer to the contestant in person, proof of such service must be either the said contestant's written acknowledgment of his receipt of the copy, showing the date of its receipt, or the affidavit of the person by whom the delivery was made, stating when and where the copy was delivered; if made by registered mail, proof of such service must consist of the affidavit of the person by whom the copy was mailed stating when and the post office to which it was mailed, and this affidavit must be accompanied by the postmaster's receipt for the letter. You should state in your answer the name of the post office to which you desire future notices to be sent to you.

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Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been, by the county court of the state of Oregon for Crook county, duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Elmer Clark, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to said administratrix at the law office of M. E. Brink, in the city of Prineville, Crook county, state of Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated and published first time May 20th, 1913.
FRANCES CLARK,
Administratrix of the estate of Elmer Clark, deceased. 6-20-13

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