

...Short Sidehead Stories...

TERSELY-TOLD TALES OF THE WEEK'S DOINGS.

Gun Was Discharged.—Douglas Boyland, of this city, met with a serious mishap while hunting panthers near Dodge, this county, a few days ago. While riding horseback he accidentally dropped his shot gun, which exploded, the contents lodging in his left breast. Boyland died from the injury Monday.

Horse Breaks Its Neck.—A valuable animal belonging to the local transfer death in this city Sunday. While tied to a rope on the commons, where he was pasturing, the animal was annoyed by a fly. He kicked at the pest, his foot striking the rope with which he was held, the force of the blow dislocating his neck and causing instant death.

Burglars at Home.—One night last week two young men of this city were held up by two masked men. After going through the pockets of their victims and finding nothing of value, the hold-up artists dismissed their fruitless prey. During the last two weeks rooms at the Electric and Brunswick hotels in this city have been entered and robbed of articles of value. The same parties are suspected of committing these depredations, and the police are on the lookout.

Turned Over the Banner.—Mrs. E. A. Gillette, Mrs. Maggie Curran, G. C. Bacon, M. Sugarman and Chas. Dickey, representing the Oregon City Assembly, United Artists, went to Salem last Friday night, when they surrendered to the Capital City Assembly the membership banner of the state organization. This trophy was held by the Oregon City lodge for two successive years, and is surrendered at this time to the Salem lodge, which surpassed the Oregon City Artists in the membership contest.

Birds of a Feather.—Mrs. William Robbin, of Louisville, Ky., was recently married to David Buzzard. It is her fourth matrimonial venture. She was a Miss Martin, a daughter of one of the best known Bourbon county families. She first married Robert Crow. He died and she married John Sparrow six months afterwards. She and Mr. Sparrow did not agree and a divorce followed. Mrs. Sparrow became Mrs. Wm. Robbin, but again a divorce was found advisable. After a year of lonely life Mrs. Robbin has become Mrs. Buzzard. She has two Crow, one Robbin and a Buzzard at her home. —Ex.

Minors Frequent Saloons.—The minimum fine of \$2 each, provided by city ordinance, was imposed in the city police court on three minors, arrested Saturday night for frequenting a saloon. There has been considerable complaint locally of late of this practice, which may result in the arrest and fining of the proprietor of the place. Public gambling, which is ordinarily tolerated in this city in violation of city and state law, has been suspended for the present, at least. Games of all kinds were closed last week, presumably under the order of the city authorities.

Local Prosperity.—Labor of all kinds was never more plentiful nor were wages ever better than they are in this city this season. It seems impossible to find available men to perform the many improvements that are being made. The Willamette Pulp & Paper Mills has been advertising for additional men to assist in the building of their new mills, where 300 laborers are already employed. The management of the local woolen mills is finding it next to impossible to engage a sufficient force of operatives for the shirt making department of its manufactory. There is a similar scarcity of help of all kinds although good wages are being offered.

More Patents Arrive.—Patents have been received at the Oregon City land office as follows: Homesteads—Edith Wheatley, formerly Edith Watson, Phineas H. Dodge, Francis M. Franklin; New land—Axtel Land & Cattle Co., limited, for lot 2, sec. 4, T. 11 S., R. 2 W.; cash patents—Oliver P. Chase, George W. Haggood, Fred E. Simeral, Charles W. Wilkinson, Henry Mattison, Cosy D. Clark, Albert E. Wilkes, Theo. F. Bowley, Alfred Haldeman, Wm. H. Addington, Wm. L. Buckner, Chas. H. King, Charles Hall, Gustav W. Mattson, Lewis B. Fitzgerald, Oscar Gehrig, Jessie Mead, James M. Howes, Thomas E. Devier, Fred A. Northrup, Wm. A. Patterson, T. Ernest Oster, Nancy Hacker, Herman J. Hornung, Ida Lengacher, Antin Burkart, Phillip M. Popham, Chas. W. Mead, Cora Cramer, formerly Cora Johnson.

General Crop Summary.—Nearly half an inch of rain fell in the Willamette valley during the latter part of the week, and greater amounts are reported in the coast counties. Frequent rains also occurred in the eastern sections of the state. The rains west of the Cascades have done an immense amount of good. They will help all growing crops, especially potatoes, corn, oats and late spring wheat. Hops also will be benefited, as well as gardens and pasturage. The grain harvest has been interrupted by the wet weather, and in the coast counties and plateau section some cut hay will be more or less damaged, but these losses are insignificant compared with the great good the rains have done. A sharp frost occurred Wednesday morning in portions of the Willamette valley and in some of the coast counties, but the damage was confined to tender vegetation and it was not serious, notwithstanding the lateness of the season. Fall wheat is filling nicely, the heads being large and the berry plump. Although very little wheat has yet been thrashed, correspondents generally report the yields to be better than expected. In Sherman county some complaint of smut is made, but generally the quality of the wheat is reported above the average. Hops are doing nicely, but it is not expected that the yields will be quite so heavy as last year, on account of the long spell of dry weather. Stock continues in excellent condition, but pasturage is getting short, as is usual at this season of the year, and the milk supply in the dairy herds has decreased slightly during the week. Peaches are ripe and plentiful, but apples have dropped badly during the week, although the prospects still continue favorable for a good crop of apples.

Farmer Died Suddenly.—Henry Knecht, who for a number of years has been in charge of the farm of C. D. Latourette near this city, died very suddenly last Thursday. The deceased was aged 21 years, and is survived by a wife and four young children. Death resulted from brain trouble.

Accidents With Broken Ribs.—Two accidents, each resulting in broken ribs, are reported to have happened in this vicinity last Friday. Wm. Sheehan, a farmer residing near Stone, fell from a wagon at Clackamas, sustaining the fracture of two ribs. The injured man is aged 43 years. While at work in the local woolen mill, where he is employed, John Gillette, of this city, fell the same day and suffered one broken rib.

Bullet Removed From Leg.—Dr. A. E. Sommer last week performed an operation removing from the leg of Carl Horn a 22 calibre rifle bullet that lodged in Horn's limb over a year ago. Young Horn was playing with a companion named Adams when a rifle in the hands of Adams was discharged, the bullet lodging in Horn's right leg just above the knee. The leaden missile caused Horn not the slightest inconvenience, but he concluded to have it removed anyway.

Threatened to Burn Town.—David Wagner, aged 64 years, a native of Pennsylvania and for many years a resident of near Aurora, was committed to the asylum at Salem Tuesday. This is the fifth attack of insanity for Wagner, who was committed to the insane asylum about twenty years ago. For some time the afflicted man has threatened to burn the town of Aurora and other buildings in the vicinity of his home. He was taken to Salem by Sheriff Shaver Tuesday night.

Books Being Examined.—Under the direction of the county court the records of the various departments at the court house are being examined. The work is being done by W. A. Lee, of Portland, who commenced work Tuesday. No one suspects that there is anything irregular in the manner in which the records have been kept during the last four years, and for which period the investigation will cover, but the court is merely following its adopted policy of having the books of every department in the county examined every few years.

To Represent Clackamas County.—Judge Ryan and Mayor Dimick on Tuesday appointed delegates to attend the Oregon Development League at Portland and represent the interests of Clackamas county and Oregon City. Those appointed are among the prominent and representative citizens of the county. Those appointed by Judge Ryan are: Geo. W. Prosser, Oswego; Chas. T. Toose, Wilsonville; Wm. J. Lewellen, Springfield; Chas. T. Howard, Mullino; F. A. Rosenkrans, Canby; T. B. Killin, Needy; A. Mather, Clackamas; J. W. Roots, Boring; J. T. Apperson, Park Place; J. B. Huntington, Estacada. Mayor Dimick named the following: H. E. Cross, C. H. Dye, John J. Cooke, C. D. Latourette and John Adams.

To Break the Record.—Members of the Maritime Exchange learned today with much interest that the Great Northern Railroad company intended to despatch its mammoth steamer Minnesota on a voyage from the Atlantic to the Pacific in an effort to eclipse all steaming records, particularly that of the battleship Oregon, says a Chicago paper. The Minnesota is one of the two largest merchant steamers ever built in America, and is intended for the James J. Hill Orient trade. She is still at New London, where, with her sister boat, the Dakota, she was built. The Minnesota is applying the finishing touches for her long voyage of 14,000 miles, and will leave the latter part of this month. When the Oregon made her historic trip from the Pacific to the Atlantic it was thought that even if she succeeded in dodging the Spanish warships, the voyage would take about seventy-five days. She made the journey from San Francisco to Key West in sixty-eight days, but made calls at Valparaiso, Rio Janeiro, Bahia, Para and Barbadoes for coal. Adding about two days for the run from Key West to Newport News, the time which the Minnesota has to beat is seventy days.

Report Lacks Confirmation.—There was a rumor current Monday morning to the effect that during the afternoon of the preceding day the tonorial artists of Oregon City had been defeated at a game of base ball at Canemah Park by nine determined professional brothers of Portland. Diligent inquiry from among the members of the profession in this city was unrewarded so far as having the report confirmed. In fact, the Oregon City barbers stoutly maintain that there was not played a game of ball in this city Sunday. Judging from the score as reported—17 to 4 in favor of the Portland visitors—it is quite apparent that the home men did not take a very active participation in the alleged contest. While the reporter was unable to gather any definite information concerning the game from the Oregon City barbers, he will tell something of the game as he was told by a spectator, C. Buckles and a man named Ross constituted the battery for the home nine. They acted their parts well, but their "support was miserable." Pat Johnson at first had the situation well in hand, while Stratton at second monopolized the attention of the ladies. Ed Reckner was as efficient at third as he is capable of making a lemonade. Red Williams, at short stop, got the game confused with keno, but fielded the position as well as a man of his limited stature could be expected to do. The fielders, Redhoff, Zelinsky and Ralph Johnson, could have done better work had the management supplied each with a laundry basket at the beginning of the game. But with the aid of an army of small boys these knights of the razor managed to locate the balls. All in all the game was intensely interesting, but the Portland men were too speedy for the local team. Occasionally one of the Oregon City men would get to first, but invariably he failed to reach the "next." The sporting editor of "Judge" annexed the official score book and the Enterprise is unable to give the detailed report of

the game that is desired. The ball game was held in connection with the annual picnic of the barbers of Portland. In the evening a dance was given under their auspices at the park pavilion.

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For State Papers.
Commencing Wednesday, August 10, at nine o'clock A. M., and continuing until Saturday, August 13, at four o'clock P. M.
Wednesday—Penmanship, history, spelling, algebra, reading, school-law.
Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, book keeping, physics, civil government.
Friday—Physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition, physical geography.
Saturday—Botany, plane geometry, general history, English literature, psychology.
For County Papers.
Commencing Wednesday, August 10, at nine o'clock A. M., and continuing until Friday, August 12, at four o'clock P. M.
First, Second and Third Grade Certificates.
Wednesday—Penmanship, history, orthography, reading.
Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, physiology.
Friday—Geography, mental arithmetic, school law, civil government.
Primary Certificates.
Wednesday—Penmanship, orthography, reading, arithmetic.
Thursday—Art of questioning, theory of teaching, methods, physiology.
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J. C. ZINSER,
Superintendent.
Oregon City, July 11, 1904.

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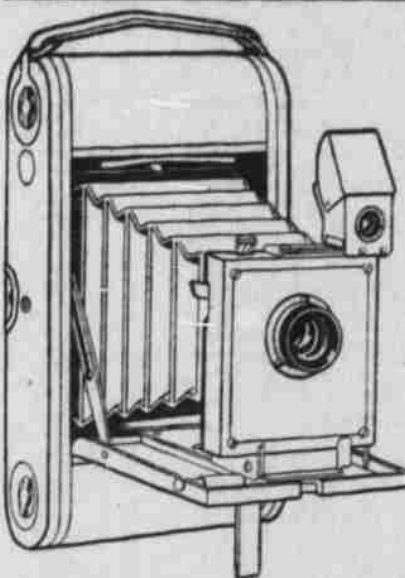
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