

# Short Sidehead Stories...

TERSELY-TOLD TALES OF THE WEEK'S DOINGS.

**Death of Philip H. Ross**—Philip H. Ross, aged 52 years, died at home in this city last Saturday morning. The deceased was a native of Darmstadt, Germany, where he was born October 10, 1852. Coming to America when he was 11 years of age, he lived at New York City and engaged in business, moving to Oregon and settling at Oregon City in 1890. The deceased was a Mason and is survived by a wife and six children. The children are Henry P., Lizzie, Martin, Mary, George and Walter. Funeral services were conducted at the Red Men's hall, 11th and Main streets, at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. Rev. P. K. Hammond officiated at the service which was largely attended. Selections were sung by a trio consisting of Mrs. C. Ganong, Miss Harding and H. L. By. Miss Reba Hanson being the accompanist. Miss Harding also sang a "Abide With Me." The solemnity of the city closed from 2 to 4 o'clock during the afternoon of the funeral.

and identified the body as that of his brother who was about 30 years of age and unmarried. It was first thought the body was that of W. A. Kizer, a young Mason county farmer, who resides near Champe. Deceased is the young man who jumped from the suspension bridge into the Willamette river in this city. With the exception of a brother, the deceased had no relatives on the coast. Burial took place in the Catholic cemetery in this city.

**New Pastor for Presbyterians**—Rev. Lambborough, who occupies a parsonage in a Southern Oregon town, has been called to assume the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church of this city. He preached here one evening several months ago and created a favorable impression. The new minister is about 25 years of age and has a family. He is expected to arrive here about the first of February.—Telegram.

**Notice to Creditors.**  
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of the County of Clackamas, State of Oregon, Administratrix of the Estate of Frederick Held, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same properly verified to the undersigned at the office of U'Ben & Schuebel, at Oregon City, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.  
MARY HELD, Administratrix estate of Frederick Held, deceased.  
U'Ben & SCHUEBEL, Attorneys for Administratrix.  
Date of first publication, February 3, 1905.

**Corvallis Took The Game**—The Corvallis Reds defeated Oregon City at basket-ball at the Y. M. C. A. rooms last Friday night by a score of 22 to 14. Interest was good in the first half, but the second part of the contest was one of constant wrangling and while the home team was defeated it must be said that the visiting team had a valuable assistant in the umpire who was a Corvallis man whose decisions were noticeably favorable to the visitors. There was also scheduled for the same evening a match game of indoor basketball between the Portland and Oregon City Y. M. C. A., but the Portland boys failed to put in an appearance and the game was not called.

**Grange Thrives**—The Grange No. 346 met last Sunday at Park Place for the first time in their new and commodious hall for the purpose of having a good time generally and for the installation of their newly elected officers, which consisted of C. P. Carter, pastor; Mrs. Mary Ingram, overseer; S. A. M. Heaton, secretary; E. J. Nes, steward; W. W. Smith, assistant; and Mrs. B. Keel, assistant; William Hayton, chaplain; J. Apperson, treasurer; Elfr Morris, secretary; L. W. Ingram, gate keeper. The members of the Grange spread the table with rich viands a few minutes after the noon hour when man soon demonstrates his fallings and domestic gratitude. Seventeen new members will be called, increasing their list to 111 members.

**Walter F. Mundhenke, through his attorneys U'Ben & Schuebel, has filed an appeal in the supreme court in his damage suit against the Oregon City Manufacturing Company.** While working in the defendant company's woolen mill in this city a year ago, Mundhenke sustained the loss of a finger and sued for \$5000 damages. A jury in the circuit court awarded him a verdict for \$100 from which the appeal is taken.

**Mayor Sommer Thrown Out**—That he was not thrown out of office, but rather he was quite unceremoniously spilled out of his buggy last Friday night and fortunately escaped serious injury. Dr. Sommer had been

called to Beaver Creek and on his return the horse shied, throwing the buggy over a six-foot embankment. In the darkness, Dr. Sommer was caught beneath the vehicle and was painfully bruised. The horse, after breaking the buggy into pieces, was caught by his driver, who secured another buggy from a near-by farmer, and having made the call, returned to this city without further incident. The mishap occurred on the Doctor's birthday and while his many friends wish him many more happy returns of the day, they are willing to omit the accident herein mentioned.

**Men Responded to Alarm**—The bursting of a 3/4 inch pipe that feeds the furnaces at the W. P. & P. Company's mill with oil, was the occasion Saturday afternoon for considerable excitement following the sounding of the alarm. Within a very few seconds each circuit court Wednesday, left last week in case of fire, the apparatus for fighting fire was in operation throughout the mill but their services were not required. The adjustment of a faucet above the break in the pipe shut off the supply and all danger was removed. The incident, however, served to demonstrate the facilities for fighting fire at the mills, besides showing the remarkable promptness with which the men respond to a fire alarm.

**Horn Transfers Property**—Chas. F. Horn, who was denied a divorce from his wife, Mary Horn, in the circuit court Wednesday, left last night for California where he will reside. Before going, Horn sold and transferred to E. W. Hornshub all of his real estate both in Clackamas and Douglas counties for a consideration of \$4000. The new owner of the property, who takes possession subject to a dower interest of Mrs. Horn's, has served notice on Mrs. Horn and children to vacate the premises they now occupy in this city, the property being included in the transfer made to him by Horn. The Horns were intermarried in 1875 and their separation is the culmination of years of incessant unpleasantness.—Sunday's Oregonian.

**Stickney Wins on Appeal**—W. H. Young, respondent, against H. G. Stickney, appellant. Appeal from Clackamas county. T. A. McBride, judge, reversed and remanded. Opinion by Justice Moore. This is an action to recover for services rendered; also damages for alleged breach of contract. The jury of the lower court rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiff. Decision by State Supreme Court Monday.

**For More Carriers**—Under instructions from Washington, Postmaster Randall held another examination of applicants for appointment as rural mail carriers, to supply routes operating out of Oregon City. The examination was held Saturday. It is believed to have been ordered for the purpose of providing a carrier for the Springwater route. Two previous examinations called for the same purpose failed to secure an applicant who would accept the appointment as carrier of this route.

**There Was Conflicting Testimony**—Justice Stimp dismissed the charge against David Knoland, of this city, who was charged with the abduction of Belle Neyer, a young woman of the Molalla neighborhood. The preliminary examination of the case occupied four days. There was much conflicting testimony at the trial which was favorable to the defendant. The Neyer girl is the young woman who left her home at Molalla on the eve of her marriage to a neighbor's son just before Christmas. Coming to this city she joined Knoland whom she accompanied to Portland where took place the events on which she based her criminal charge against her companion.

## WILL BE NO CONVENTION.

**Both Houses Oppose Amending Constitution as Proposed.**  
A special dispatch to the Oregonian from Salem, under date of January 31, says:

"That the Legislature will not pass the bill for the constitutional convention was evident in the Capitol today. A poll of both houses shows a majority against the bill in each. This morning the House of Representatives rejected a concurrent resolution of the Senate for a joint assembly tomorrow for discussion of the convention proposal, thus demonstrating plainly the opposition of the lower body to the bill.  
In the Senate 15 of its total 30 votes are needed to pass any bill, in the House 31 of the 59. This virtually means that 15 noes in the Senate can defeat any bill and 29 noes in the House. Fifteen members of the upper chamber oppose the convention bill, 11 support it, 3 are in doubt, and 1 is absent. In the House 25 oppose the measure, 12 support it, and 12 are in doubt.

Most of the legislators believe that the constitution needs changing in numerous particulars, but the ruling opinion among them is that if the people desire a convention or wish to make alter-

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ations themselves they can do so under the initiative. In order to elect delegates next June, the bill would need an emergency clause in order to make it operative in time for nomination, but the opinion of the legislators is that there is no demand for haste in the making of a convention. The Legislature may submit the question of calling a convention to the electors in the general election of June, 1905, and the bill to that end may carry the \$50,000 appropriation, but the members wish the people to share the responsibility of enacting the bill.  
Besides the \$50,000 appropriation, one of the chief grounds of objection to the bill is the provision which gives the appointment of 20 of the convention delegates to the Supreme Court. This bill strengthened the bill in some quarters, but weakened it in many more. The opinion of the legislators is that 99 delegates would be too many, and that, whatever the number, they should be elected by the people.  
Of the Clackamas county delegation, Senator Brownell, author of the bill, and Representative Bramhall were lined up for the holding of the convention, while Representative Huntley and Jagger opposed the measure.

**Senate Puts Bill to Sleep.**  
In the Senate Wednesday afternoon, the bill for the proposed Constitutional Convention was defeated by a vote of 12 ayes, 14 noes, 3 absent.

## SEND IN A PROTEST.

**Oregon City People Oppose Constitutional Convention.**

Attorneys W. S. U'Ben and F. G. Eby completed the circulation of a petition among the business and professional men of this city declaring against the proposed Constitutional Convention provided for in Senator Brownell's bill.  
More than one hundred signatures were obtained to the petition which is addressed to the members of the Clackamas county delegation and the members of the state legislature. The petition was forwarded to Salem Tuesday night.

The petitioners oppose the convening of a Constitutional Convention for the alleged reason that the relief sought to be gained can be secured under the provisions of the Initiative and Referendum at considerable less expense to the people.

## A REMARKABLE LIQUID LAXATIVE.

**Huntley Bros. Co. Say the Ideal Laxative For Children and Women is Laxakola.**

Laxakola has been sold only a short time in Oregon City—but those who have tried it say it acts more promptly and more effectively than anything they ever used before.

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The effects of Laxakola on the complexion is remarkable. One lady in Oregon City suffering with a sluggish liver, thin, impure blood, and a muddy, cloudy complexion, says Laxakola is worth \$10 a bottle. By its beneficial action on the liver and the bile pigments Laxakola has worked wonders in her case and her skin is now so clear and velvety her friends are complimenting her on her improved appearance.  
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## MORE INDICTMENTS FOUND.

**Federal Grand Jury Indicts Mitchell and Brownell.**

The Federal grand jury has spoken for the second time in as many days and this time two new and distinctly important indictments have been returned, one against Senator Mitchell charging him with violating section 1782 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, which provides that no one holding the office of Senator shall receive any compensation whatsoever for any work done to further matters relating to the work of the Government in any department; the other against State Senator George C. Brownell alleging that he is guilty of subornation of perjury in having induced Fred Slevens and John A. Howland, two axemen formerly in the employ of Surveyor-General Henry Meldrum, to swear falsely before the grand jury in regard to the work done by Brownell as a notary while making affidavits in connection with the work of the Surveyor-General's office, all of which is in violation of section 1293 of the Revised Statutes.—Thursday's Oregonian.

## A Touching Story.

is the saving from death, of the baby girl of Geo. A. Eyer, Cumberland, Md. He writes: "At the age of 11 months, our little girl was in declining health, with serious throat trouble, and two physicians gave her up. We were almost in despair, when we resolved to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. The first bottle gave relief; after taking four bottles she was cured, and is now in perfect health." Never fails to relieve and cure a cough or cold. At Howell & Jones drug store; 50c and \$1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottles free.

## To Carpenters and Contractors.

Bids will be received for the erection of one dwelling house on 8th street, Oregon City. Plans and specifications can be seen at office of A. Mihalst, plumber. Bids will be open until the 9th of February, 1905. I reserve the right to reject any and all bids.  
Address all bids and communications to:  
GEO. RANDALL,  
Oregon City, Ore.

## Forest Reserve Scrip.

Bids will be received for the quickest, safest and most economical method of acquiring government land; which is becoming more scarce and valuable every day. No residence or final proof is required. If you want either timber or agricultural land it will pay you to investigate this. For information address, V. R. Hyde, Oregon City, Oregon, Jan. 5.

## Winter Rates to Yaquina Bay.

In order to accommodate the many people who wish to make a winter trip to Yaquina Bay, the Southern Pacific Co. will sell, on Wednesdays and Saturdays of each week, until March 31, 1905, round trip tickets at low rates, to Yaquina and return, limited to sixty days from date of sale. Those who desire to take advantage of this rate should apply to nearest Southern Pacific agent for tickets.



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# Women in Our Hospitals

Appalling Increase in the Number of Operations Performed Each Year—How Women May Avoid Them.



Going through the hospitals in our large cities one is surprised to find such a large proportion of the patients lying on those snow-white beds women and girls, who are either awaiting recovery from serious operations.

Why should this be the case? Simply because they have neglected themselves. Ovarian and womb troubles are certainly on the increase among women of this country—they creep upon them unawares, but every one of those patients in the hospital beds had plenty of warning in that bearing-down feeling, pain at left or right of the womb, nervous exhaustion, pain in the small of the back, leucorrhoea, dizziness, flatulency, displacements of the womb or irregularities. All of these symptoms are indications of an unhealthy condition of the ovaries or womb, and if not heeded the penalty to be paid by a dangerous operation.

When these symptoms manifest themselves, do not drag along until you are obliged to go to the hospital and submit to an operation—but remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has saved thousands of women from surgical operations.

When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhoea, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating (or flatulency), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervous-

ness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy.

The following letters cannot fail to bring hope to despairing women.

Mrs. Fred Seydel, 412 N. 54th Street, West Philadelphia, Pa., writes:  
Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—  
"I was in a very serious condition when I wrote to you for advice. I had a serious womb and ovarian trouble and I could not carry a child to maturity, and was advised that an operation was my only hope of recovery. I could not bear to think of going to the hospital, so wrote you for advice. I did as you instructed me and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; and I am not only a well woman to-day, but have a beautiful baby girl six months old. I advise all sick and suffering women to write you for advice, as you have done so much for me."

Miss Ruby Mushrush, of East Chicago, Ind., writes:  
Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—  
"I have been a great sufferer with irregular menstruation and ovarian trouble, and about three months ago the doctor, after using the X-Ray on me, said I had an abscess on the ovaries and would have to have an operation. My mother wanted me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as a last resort, and it not only saved me from an operation but made me entirely well."

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles. Refuse to buy any other medicine, for you need the best.

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