

WEATHER BUREAU WAS ON ITS JOB

OFFICIAL SAYS STORMS ON THE GREAT LAKES WAS FORECAST BY HIM

ABSOLVES LOCAL MAN OF BLAME

Loss of Life of Due to Carelessness of Department and Head Denies Charges That Were Made

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—In reply to publish charges that the weather bureau had given inadequate warning to shipping on the Great Lakes of the approach of the last week's terrific storm, resulting in a known loss of 254 lives, and to the announcement of Representative Gordon of Ohio that he would seek an investigation of the matter, the bureau tonight issued a statement declaring that "the storm throughout its course was heralded in as complete a manner as possible."

Full responsibility for the forecasts was taken by the bureau, the local forecaster at Cleveland being absolved from any possible blame. "All forecasts relating to this atmospheric disturbance were sent out from Washington," the statement said.

CHICAGO WINS ON PORTLAND DIAMOND

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 18.—"Fifteen all" is now the score in the barnstorming series between the New York Giants and the Chicago White Sox.

Sam Crawford, the veteran Detroit slugger, occupied the Eddie Collins role in the miniature world's series yesterday. Sam came up in the fifth inning with the bases full, and when James Thorpe, Indian athletic prodigy failed to scoop his line drive into right field, Egan and Rath pattered across the mid-cooked plate and scored the only two runs of the game.

Chicago 2, New York 0. Close to 5000 interested Portland fans and not a few from the outlying cities were on hand for the strife. Rain threatened to mar the big leaguers' visit Monday, but Old Sol was out early Tuesday morning, and while the air was crisp and chilly, the major stars gave an interesting and altogether satisfactory exhibition of the American pastime.

WILL FIGHT ELECTION RETURNS

SALEM, Ore., Nov. 13.—G. A. Smith, and P. E. Schott, of Stayton, late this afternoon filed suit for an injunction against County Judge Bushey and the other members of the county court issuing an order declaring Stayton "dry" as a result of the election of November 4.

AMERICA LANDS FIRST HORSE SHOW PRIZES

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—In the international contest for army charges at the National Horse show held here yesterday, America won the first two places and the fourth, the third going to the Great Britain.

'TIS SAID PARCEL POST AIDS LAW VIOLATORS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—Evasion of the game laws through the agency of the parcel post is now possible, for Postmaster-General Burleson replied to the interrogations of indignant officials of states that congress had placed no restrictions on the department as to accepting game. This construction, the state game wardens fear, will nullify in great measure the state laws framed for the protection of wild life.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE FARMERS' WEEK

December 8 to 13, 1913. This will be a notable event in the educational history of Oregon. Farmers' Co-operation will be the leading topic of a stimulating series of lectures. The week will be crowded with discussions, and demonstrations in everything that makes for the welfare of the farmer and home-maker.

WINTER SHORT COURSE

January 5 to 30, 1914. The College has spared no effort to make this the most complete short course in its history. A very wide range of courses will be offered in General Agriculture, Horticulture, Animal Husbandry, Dairying, Poultry Keeping, Mechanic Arts, Domestic Science and Art, Commerce, Forestry and Music. Numerous lectures and discussions on FARMERS' CO-OPERATION at home and abroad, will be a leading feature. Make this a pleasant and profitable winter outing. No tuition. Accommodations reasonable. Reduced rates on all railroads. For further information address: H. M. TENNANT, Registrar, Corvallis, Oregon. Farmers' Business Courses by Correspondence without tuition. (Adv.)

HAWLEY TO NOMINATE FOR WAR ACADEMIES

SALEM, Ore., Nov. 15.—(Special)—Congressman W. S. Hawley has directed his secretary here to make arrangements for the holding of an examination at Salem on Saturday, November 29, 1913, for the purpose of ascertaining the mental and physical qualifications of young men who may desire to be appointed to the United States Military and Naval Academies.

Mr. Hawley will make his nominations after considering the reports submitted by a competent physician and teacher who will thoroughly and carefully examine the candidates. The candidates must be actual residents of the first congressional district in order to be eligible for appointment by Congressman Hawley and the competitive examination is open to all such eligible candidates between the ages of 17 and 22 years of age when aspirants for appointment to the military academy, and between the ages of 16 and 20 years of age when aspirants for appointment to the naval academy. There being no fund available for the purpose of paying the expense of the competitive examination a small fee will be required of each candidate taking the examination.

It is suggested that all young men desiring to take this examination write to Ronald S. Glover, Secretary of Congressman Hawley, Salem, Ore., for further information. The entrance requirements to the academies are very strict and for this reason a very thorough examination will be made of the candidates who enter the competitive examination. Candidates must be strong and well balanced physically and it is suggested that candidates living at a distance from Salem be assured of this by an examination of a physician before making the trip to Salem. To determine their mental qualifications they will be examined on reading and writing, spelling, punctuation, grammar, geography, history, algebra and geometry. A principal and two alternates will be nominated by Mr. Hawley to take the entrance examinations to each academy and it is expected a score or more will contest for these nominations.

ASKS HIS MOTHER TO FORGIVE HIM

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even in his letter as nervous breakdown. He claims that his departure from this city is as strange to him as it must have been to his friends. Asks Forgiveness. In the letter he asked his mother for forgiveness, explaining the condition in which he left Oregon City and expressing his sorrow for the trouble he must have caused. Mrs. Williams is ready to receive him and is expecting his return some time in the near future.

Upon receiving the letter, an answer was sent, Australia in which Williams was told of the death of his baby boy. A brief reply to this letter has been received by Mrs. Williams and her son tells of his intention of returning to this country as soon as possible.

Mr. Williams was one of the best known and most popular young men in Clackamas county. His father, Eli Williams, was a pioneer and lived in Estacada for many years. He later moved to Oregon City where he was county assessor for two terms.

The son was educated in Oregon City schools and several years ago he secured a place as deputy in the recorder's office. In 1910 he was elected county recorder. The day before his disappearance, he filed his petition as candidate for the republican nomination for re-election and confided to a friend that he expected to hold the office for another term.

Mr. Williams was an Elk, a Mason, a Knight of Pythias, and a member of several other organizations. He was a member of the commercial club and always took a deep interest in the welfare of the city. During her husband's absence, Mrs. Williams has been employed in the recorder's office as deputy.

FIRWOOD FARMER TAKES TWO LIVES

(Continued from page 1) ty clerk and told that officer of his intention of petitioning the court. The county clerk prepared the necessary papers but McCabe changed his mind in the last minute and would not sign the document. The couple were in the county seat again Wednesday and it is known that the man had not yet given up hope of placing his wife in the asylum. They were here the greater part of the day, not starting home until the afternoon was almost past.

The elder McCabe is prostrated by the tragedy. They have both their grandchildren now with them and will make a home for them. The bodies of the dead are at the home of the elder McCabe, from which the double funeral tomorrow will take place. Besides his mother and father, T. F. McCabe leaves a brother, W. L. McCabe, a sawmill man, living near Forest Grove. Mrs. McCabe is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kuhn, who live near Sandy, one brother and four sisters.

MILWAUKIE POSTMASTER NAMED YESTERDAY

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—The name of Bernard L. Hagemann was sent to the senate today, as postmaster of Milwaukee, Oregon. Do You Fear Consumption? No matter how chronic your cough or how severe your throat or lung ailment is, Dr. King's New Discovery will surely help you; it may save your life. Stillman Green, of Malheur, Col. writes: "Two doctors said I had consumption and could not live two years. I used Dr. King's New Discovery and am alive and well." Your money refunded if it fails to benefit you. The best home remedy for coughs, colds, throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed by Hattie Bros. Co., Oregon City, Hubbard and Canby. (Adv.)

FRUIT GROWERS TO ORGANIZE

BELIEVE THEY CAN BEST GET UNIFORMITY OF PRODUCT THAT WAY

FIRST MEETING FRIDAY MORNING

Call Has Been Sent Out to All of the Producers of the County to Gather at Willamette Hall to Talk

Organization of the fruit growers of the county in the effort to better systematize the grading and packing of the fruit product and gain the best market price for the producers is now under way.

The first meeting will be held at Willamette hall Friday morning, J. G. Bance, an expert fruit packer, will address the growers of the county on the entire fruit business in all of its phases and will discuss the questions of spraying, packing, grading and marketing of the product.

The following notice has been sent out by E. C. Dye, one of the workers for the central organization for the growers:

Call is issued. "The fruit growers' organizations of Hood River, Payette Valley, Idaho, Spokane and Wenatchee, and many other places in the northwest, have made their business a very profitable one. The producing class gets its fair share of its work. The result shows up in better homes, more money, automobiles, good roads, and a higher standard of living.

"It is now possible for the growers of Clackamas county to get into the swim. The head organization will take our stuff this year, even though we are not organized at all.

"But our products must be graded and packed according to the rules of the big association, a copy of which will be given each person on application. Also the company respects the packing and the fruit.

"Every fruit and potato grower is urged to come, Friday, November 21, at 10 o'clock a. m. to Willamette hall, Oregon City, Oregon, where and when the matter of sending our fruit and potatoes, the matter of an organization locally to handle this business, and the matter of grading, packing and shipping, will be taken up.

"Do not fail to come, no matter what the weather may be, or how backward you may feel. This is a question of money to pay off that mortgage, and buy that automobile. Come and let us have your idea.

"The farmers' concern that we are dealing with puts more money into the bank at Spokane than Jim Hill's railroad does.

QUAILS ARE ABUNDANT

EASTERN CLACKAMAS SAID TO HAVE MANY BIRDS

Reports have reached the county seat that Bob White quail are becoming abundant in the upper part of the county. A large number of Oregon City hunters have made the trip this fall and a great majority came back with full bags.

This bird is able to adapt itself to its surroundings better than most game birds and thrives in almost any community. It is thought that by next season quail hunting will be better in eastern Clackamas than in most sections of the valley. The bird not only is able to adapt itself but is a great economic value to any community as it is sure death to many farm pests.

The farming communities around Eagle Creek, Ferrisville, Estacada, Springfield, and Garfield have seen the greatest increase in the past year.

Safest Laxative for Women.

Nearly every woman needs a good laxative. Dr. King's New Life Pills are good because they are prompt, safe, and do not cause pain. Mrs. M. C. Dunlap, of Leadville, Tenn., says: "Dr. King's New Life Pills helped my troubles greatly." Price 50c. Recommended by Hurdley Bros. Co., Oregon City, Hubbard and Canby. (Adv.)

Changing Lead to Gold.

Professor Soddy makes the assertion boldly that it is only a question of application to change lead into gold. He says that while now we can only work with electricity at 100,000 volts it is only a matter of perfecting the method to be able to work at ten times that voltage when the baser metals can be changed into the more precious. In other words, electricity, when brought to its highest efficiency and application, is the real philosopher's stone for which the alchemists of the middle ages searched so long.—New York World.

New One on Him.

Politics was at the boiling point in the negro ward, and the lemon colored henchman undertook to stir his superior knowledge in the argument with the ebullient brother. "Yes, suh," he declared, speaking of a candidate, "he just a neophyte in politics, just a neophyte."

A Nervous Woman Finds Relief After Many Years

Women who suffer from extreme nervousness, often endure much suffering before finding any relief. Mrs. Daniel Kintner, of Defiance, O., had such an experience, regarding which she says:



MRS. DAN KINTNER, 1802 Pleasant St., Defiance, O.

"I had stomach trouble when I was eighteen years old that broke down my health, and for years I suffered with nervousness, headache, indigestion, and nervous spasms. I had I would have them three or four times a week. After trying nearly every remedy recommended, I began taking Dr. Miles' Nervine, and I must say it helped me wonderfully. I have had no severe nervousness for several years."

Many remedies are recommended for diseases of the nervous system that fail to produce results because they do not reach the seat of the trouble. Dr. Miles' Nervine has proven its value in such cases so many times that it is unnecessary to make claims for it. You can prove its merits for yourself by getting a bottle of your druggist, who will return the price if you receive no benefit.

MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind. (Adv.)

COUNTY COURT

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A. P. Todd 6.00
M. C. Young 9.29
S. B. Seely 6.00
H. D. Aden 6.00
Sherman Seely 6.00
A. W. Camehl 6.00
W. F. Young 6.00
Scott Carter 9.20
Guy Dibble 6.00
Frank Gray 6.00
G. M. Groshong 12.49
A. M. Groshong 6.00
P. M. Boyles 6.00
A. J. Rometsch 6.00
R. W. McLoran 3.00
F. S. Guttridge 6.00
Frank Millard 10.00
W. W. Tucker 6.00
J. A. Reid 6.00
S. N. Kilgore 6.00
J. W. Marrs 6.00
Joseph Guttridge 6.00
School District No. 34 5.00
C. F. Zinser 6.00
Louis Koeh 6.00
A. H. Schmidt 6.00
J. A. Stoll, Jr. 4.60
W. A. Ulrich 6.00
George W. Johnson 6.00
E. E. Oehlshaeger 9.00
L. J. Kruse 6.00
Wm. Schatz 8.00
G. F. Aden 6.00
M. C. Baker 6.00
Z. Ellingsen 6.00
Roy Thompson 8.50
W. L. White 9.29
Sidney Graham 6.00
M. D. Say 6.00
M. N. Crissell 6.00
J. H. Miles 6.00
Ida Graham 6.00
W. C. Kinyon 6.00
School Dist. No. 60 1.50
J. M. Hayden 5.00
Aug Hubert 5.00
C. C. Miller 5.00
A. M. Kirchem 5.00
Geo. A. Armstrong 7.40
L. S. Tenny 6.00
Louis Funk 6.00
School Dist. No. 14 2.50
D. F. Horton 3.00
D. C. Howell 3.00
A. J. Hobbie 3.00
J. W. Draper 3.00
W. C. Hughes 3.00
P. J. Winkel 3.00
S. N. Tanzer 3.00
W. A. Rakel 3.00
J. J. Winkel 3.00
Geo. J. Hall 3.00
J. W. Moffatt 3.00
M. E. Clancy 3.00
John T. May 6.00
City of West Linn 5.00
Wm. Dale 3.00
L. P. Barnes 3.00
W. H. Critser 3.00
R. A. Junkin 3.00
Blake Bowland 3.00
J. D. Ream 3.00
H. T. Shipley 3.00
J. A. Rtam 3.00
G. L. Snidow 3.00
Ernest Le May 3.00
Charles A. Andrus 3.00
E. A. Leighton 3.00
J. C. Edmonds 6.00
H. Leisman 2.00
Printing and Advertising
Oregon City Enterprise 112.20
Oregon City Courier 134.10
Wild Animal Bounty
August H. Rakel 1.50
Juvenile Court
D. E. Front 6.00
Minda E. Church 5.00
State Fair
W. E. Niles 43.50
Wm. Johnston 2.50
O. E. Freytag 50.55
J. H. Rhodarmel 3.75
L. A. Nobel 1.00
Welch Estate 5.00
Oregon Commission Co. 1.50
Oregon City Courier 1.75
John Straight 21.00
Fred J. Meyer 21.00
Williams Bros. 4.00
H. W. & M. L. Meyers 12.35
E. P. Carter 72.45
L. Adams 3.50
A. N. Merrick 50
M. McMonigal 1.00
F. F. Fisher 1.50

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Weak Sickly Ailing Women

What more can we do to convince you that you positively can find perfect health and relief from your suffering by using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound? All the world knows of the wonderful cures which have been made by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, yet some women do not yet realize that all that is claimed for it is true.

If suffering women could be made to believe that this grand old medicine will do all that is claimed for it, how quickly their suffering would end!

We have published in the newspapers of the United States more genuine testimonial letters than have ever been published in the interest of any other medicine for women in the world—and every year we publish many new testimonials, all genuine and true.

Read What These Women Say!

Bluffton, Ohio.—"I wish to thank you for the good I derived from Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound sometime ago. I suffered each month such agony that I could scarcely endure, and after taking three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was entirely cured. "Then I had an attack of organic inflammation and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I am cured. I thank you for what your remedies have done for me and should anything bother me again, I shall use it again, for I have great faith in your remedies. You may use my testimonial and welcome. I tell every one what your remedies have done for me."—Mrs. RUONA WINGATE, Box 395, Bluffton, Ohio.

Pentwater, Mich.—"A year ago I was very weak and the doctor said I had a serious displacement. I had backache and bearing down pains so bad that I could not sit in a chair or walk across the floor and I was in severe pain all the time. I felt discouraged as I had taken everything I could think of and was no better. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and now I am strong and healthy."—Mrs. ALICE DABLING, R. F. D. No. 2, Box 7, Pentwater, Mich.

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No one sick with woman's ailments does justice to herself if she does not try this famous medicine made from roots and herbs. It has restored so many suffering women to health.

Write to LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. (CONFIDENTIAL) LYNN, MASS., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

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