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OREGON CITY, OREGON, THURSDAY, JUNE 22, 1911.

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BANDIT CORNERED, FIRES ON POSSE

MAILCARRIER KIDNAPED, FORCED TO DRIVE HIGHWAY.
MAN TO WOODS.

DESPERADO IS ESCAPED CONVICT

Deputy Sheriffs in Two Autos Pursue Fugitive Through Parts Of Two Counties.

CARVALLIS, Ore., June 21.—(Special)—Deputy sheriffs in automobiles tonight caught up with the desperado who kidnapped Rural Mailcarrier Huber at Monmouth this afternoon.

A dozen shots were fired by the outlaw, but none hit the officers, who did not fire back, for fear of hitting Huber. The fugitive then abandoned the buggy and is now hiding in the timber.

There seems no doubt from the latest descriptions that the outlaw is Jess Hall, the escaped convict.

Mailcarrier Is Kidnapped.

The mailcarrier was kidnapped just outside of Monmouth at 5 o'clock this evening. With the kidnapped man still captive and compelled to drive the team, the desperado hurried southwest toward the foothill of the Coast mountains.

The fugitive, who is believed to be the same man who held up Guy Mah in Corvallis last night, made his desperate coup when T. A. Nott, the town marshal, O. A. Wolverton, postmaster, and Huber drove after him in Huber's wagon as he was leaving town and attempted to put him under arrest. When they overtook him at a brickyard, a mile out of town, he suddenly drew a gun and covered the trio. Directing Wolverton and Nott to get out of the vehicle and go back to town, he ordered Huber, on pain of instant death, to remain in his seat and drive.

Man Held Up on Way.

Then leaping into the seat beside the frightened mailcarrier, he whipped the horses into a gallop and dashed off down the road.

On the way the criminal stopped in his flight long enough to hold up G. T. Booth. This robbery took place two miles south of Bridgeport, according to advices just received. Booth was compelled to give up \$18 in coin, his watch, and a handkerchief. Ordering his victim to stand where he was or get shot, the desperado keeping him covered as long as he was in sight, made Huber drive ahead as fast as the horses could go.

Sheriff Grant, of Polk County, and Constable Moran, of Dallas, with one posse of 12 men, and Sheriff Gelagly, of Corvallis, with another posse, heavily armed and well mounted, hurried to intercept the outlaw before he could reach the mountains.

Wanted Carrier For Hostage.

It is believed that he will endeavor to hold Huber as a hostage, and that if surrounded he will use his prisoner to shield himself from the bullets of the posse. Huber has a wife and family living in Monmouth.

In his flight, the outlaw passed through one county and into another, for Monmouth, where he captured the mailcarrier and his wagon, is in Polk, and King's Valley, where he was last reported, is in Benton county.

WOOL BILL CAUSES CRISIS IN SENATE

WASHINGTON, June 21.—The injection of the Democratic wool revision bill into the Senate today drove the insurgent Republicans of that body into an open coalition with the Democrats in a demand for a general revision of the tariff and brought about threatened crisis in the finance committee in control of the Senate.

At the end of a bitter fight the resolution by Senator Gore, requesting the finance committee to report back the wool bill before July 10, was adopted by a vote of 39 to 18.

Senator Bourne, Chamberlain, Borah, Jones and Poindexter voted to take up the wool bill with the understanding that when it comes before the Senate it will be used as the basis for a general revision of the Payne-Aldrich law.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Oregon City—Showers Thursday, probably fair; southwest to northwest winds.

Oregon—Thursday, fair west, showers east portion, variable winds, becoming northwesterly.

COME AND SEE

My eight 5-acre tracts of rich level land 3-4 miles from Oregon City limits. Fronts on Molalla road and is on the electric line being built from Oregon City to Silverton. I will sell you either tract for \$700 and give terms. I own this land and know the value of land. This is the best bargain to be had in Clackamas County. I have a fine 60-acre tract on fine road 8 miles from Oregon City, 5 miles from Canby. Will trade for city property anywhere from Oregon City to Portland. Give me a deal or you will always wish you had. Call Room 11 Stevens Bldg. or write.

Cyrus Powell
OREGON CITY.

Box 308.

THE SPIRIT OF THE TIMES.



BABY FATALLY HURT PURSUING LITTLE DOG

MARTHA MARIA JAQUES CRUSHED BY WAGON DOESN'T REGAIN CONSCIOUSNESS.

Martha Marie Jaques, three years old, died early Thursday of injuries received by being run over by a wagon while visiting with her mother in Gladstone. The little girl and her mother had just returned from Pennsylvania, and had gone to Gladstone to visit the family of Arthur H. Downing. The mother had dress suit cases in both hands, and the little girl walked behind her.

A little dog attracted Martha, and before her mother could set down the bags and go to her, the child had run in front of a wagon loaded with gravel. The driver tried to stop the horses, but did so too late. A front wheel ran over the child's breast. She was unconscious when taken to the hospital. An examination showed that the injury was a fatal one. She did not regain consciousness. Coroner Fox made an examination and decided that death was accidental.

MRS. TABOR FINDS GOLD IN CHICKS' CRAW

CLYDE HUNTELY SO ENCOURAGED HE MAY PROSPECT FOR PRECIOUS METAL.

Mrs. Ralph Miller, of this city, received a letter Wednesday from her mother Mrs. R. H. Tabor, of Sylvan Park Inn, Cannon Beach, giving the information that gold nuggets as large as grains of wheat had been found in the craws of two chickens which were killed there a day or two ago. The fowls evidently had scratched the gold from the earth while looking for insects. Mr. Tabor is an expert mining man, and declares that the gold is of the finest quality. Clyde Huntley, of this city, has property near that of Mrs. Tabor, and he may prospect for gold. Enough of the precious metal has been found to lead to the belief that at a little lower depth it will be discovered in paying quantities. Mrs. Tabor is a resident of this summer.

WIFE, SUING, SAYS HUSBAND STRUCK HER

FANNIE SPARKS ALLEGES CRUEL TREATMENT—T. O. HAGUE SEEKS DIVORCE.

Fannie Sparks has filed a suit against J. F. Sparks to whom she was married at Brigham, Utah, February 9, 1905. The plaintiff says her husband has treated her cruelly. She asserts that he is addicted to the use of alcoholic liquors and often came home drunk, and would swear and call her vile names. She further alleges he would find fault with everything she did and finally she was forced to go to her parents to seek shelter. Later, the avers, he promised to be kind to her, and she returned to him, but he commenced to treat her cruelly again, and knocked her down. She again left him. There is one child, Alice, aged five years, for whom the plaintiff asks custody of and also asks to be permitted to resume her maiden name, Fannie Jepperson. H. W. Strong represents Mrs. Sparks.

T. O. Hague has filed suit against Anna E. Hague, to whom he was married on November 19, 1868, in Queen's County, New York. Mr. Hague says he has been a dutiful and faithful husband, and has provided his wife with a suitable home. Prior to August 13, 1893, she became tired of him, he says, and left. He is represented by M. J. MacMahon.

License issued to couple.

Anna Mary Hartman and George Edward Driscoll, of Portland, were granted a marriage license on Wednesday by County Clerk Melvey.

AUTO SPEEDER'S FINE MAN ELECTROCUTED PAID BY MINISTER AT TOP OF POLE

PORLAND MAN TO HAVE HEARING TODAY—ERICKSON TOO ILL FOR TRIAL.

The authorities of Oregon City are determined that automobile speeding shall be stopped. August Erickson, who keeps a tavern about a mile from the city on the Clackamas River, will have a hearing for speeding as soon as he is able to appear in court. He telephoned to Chief of Police Shaw Wednesday that he was too ill to appear. The chief on Wednesday halted a taxicab, which was going through the city at a rapid rate of speed. The driver, Will Sherman, was fined \$10 by Recorder Stipp, which was paid by a minister, who was a member of the party in the machine. Sherman at first insisted that he had not violated the law, but the minister said he was in a hurry to get to Portland and wanted the hearing over as soon as possible.

An automobile going at a rate of about forty miles an hour passed through Main street late Tuesday night. Chief Shaw obtained the number, which was 6218, and found that the machine belonged to Ralph Ackley, who has offices in the Corbett building, Portland. Ackley, when called up over the telephone, admitted that the number was that of his car, but hesitated about admitting he was in the machine when it passed through this city. He finally agreed to come here at 4 o'clock this afternoon for a hearing.

LOCAL PIONEERS ATTEND BIG REUNION

MAN WHO CAME IN 1843 TELLS OF CLIMBING OREGON CITY BLUFFS.

Among the Oregon City pioneers, who attended the annual reunion in Portland were Mr. and Mrs. George A. Harding, Mr. and Mrs. David Caulfield, G. R. H. Miller, Mrs. J. W. Norris and Mrs. McCarter. Many from the county also attended. All had a delightful time meeting old friends and talking about the early days in the state. One of the most interesting persons at the reunion to the Oregon City delegates was John McHale, who wore a badge marking him as an arrival in 1843. He is seventy-three years old, but has the strength and enthusiasm of a youth.

"My father," he said, "was the first man to break the sagebrush over the plains in the Oregon country. I was but five years old when he came from Missouri. My father was the first to take an ox team over the bluffs at Oregon City. On the way over when food was gone we soaked the hair off the horsehide and ate the hide.

McLOUGHLIN MEETING TONIGHT.

Directors of Memorial Association to be Elected.

The annual meeting of the McLoughlin Memorial Association will be held tonight to elect directors. The association has accomplished a great deal in restoring the home of the founder of Oregon City and obtaining money from the state with which to maintain it. Tonight's meeting will be the most important field for sometime and all members are requested to attend.

BROTHERHOOD HOLDS MEETING

Refreshments Served and Fine Program is Rendered.

The Fraternal Brotherhood of Americans held a social meeting at Knapp Hall Friday evening. There were 125 present. An excellent program was given, which was in charge of Charles Rehnen. Refreshments were served.

The following numbers were given:

Song, "My Country, 'Tis of Thee."

audience; cornet solo, Mr. Rehnen;

song, H. Kennedy; violin solo, Mr.

Douglas; recitation, Mr. Snodgrass;

song, Elmer King; piano solo, John Flanagan; song, Miss Annie Robinson;

recitation, Sammy McLarty;

piano duet, Miss Elo Huitt; Miss Dorothy Latourette; song, William Kennedy; zither solo, Gandy; solo, Miss Meyers; piano and solo, Earl Smith;

and Arch Long; addresses by Mr.

O'Malley, of Portland, state manager;

Bert Barnes and H. W. Strebis. After

the program dancing was indulged in until a late hour.

To Celebrate at Fair Grounds.

At a meeting of the Clackamas County Fair Association, held in this city, it was decided to give to W. H. Bair, one of the prominent commission merchants of Canby, the privilege of the use of the fair grounds on July 1.

The upper floor of the big auditorium will be used for dancing in the evening. The Canby band will furnish

the music.

If you will consider that the rim of

the balance wheel travels over fifteen

miles a day, you will not clean your

watch a speck of oil and cleaning

once a year. It will increase the

life and accuracy of your watch.

Leave your watch with us to-day.

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watch a speck of oil and cleaning

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Miss Rambo's Funeral Today.

The funeral service over the re-

mains of Miss May H. Rambo, who

died on Tuesday morning, will be held

at 10 o'clock from the residence of

Mr. and Mrs. William Rambo,

corner Sixth and John Adams

street, Rev. J. R. Landsborough officiating. The interment will be in

the Mountain View cemetery.

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CHAUTAUQUA TO BE BEST EVER HELD

MANAGEMENT OF WILLAMETTE ASSEMBLY GETS FINEST TALENT OBTAINABLE.

STARTS WITH CELEBRATION JULY 4

Senator Borah, Dr. Aked, Governor Yates, Governor Hanley and Many Others Engaged to Lecture.

PROVOOST BABIN.

Lieutenant Commander in Navy Detailed on Inspection Duty.

SEARCH FOR SLAYER TO CONTINUE

SHERIFF MASS RETURNS FOR REST AFTER HUNTING MAN TWO DAYS.

Woman Living Near Ardenwald Sees Stranger Thought to be Assailant of Milk-man Obrist.

Sheriff Mass returned to Oregon City last night after a two days' search for the suspect in the Hill tragedy seen near the mouth of Bull Run. The man attracted attention by his suspicious actions and his inquiry for the Barlow trail into Eastern Oregon.

"We found that the man backtracked," said the sheriff. "The hunt will be continued for him today. Persons living in the neighborhood of where the man was seen are also searching for him.

"There is no intention to give up the search for the slayer of the Hills. Although he got a good start we still have hopes of capturing him.

Sheriff Returned for Rest.

Sheriff Mass shows the effect of his long search. He hunted all Tuesday night for the Bull Run suspect and returned home last night to get necessary rest.

The man failed to reach Aschoff's, which is on the road he would have taken if he followed his original intention to strike out for the eastern side of the Cascades. The pass over the mountains that he would have had to tackle to follow the Barlow trail is rough and difficult and worn out, as the man was with his long tramp, it is not thought possible he could have continued over it.

Inquiries made by telephone from Sheriff Stevens' office did not result in finding anyone living along the route the man took who had seen him Monday evening.

"Wild Man" is seen.

A report is received from a woman living near Ardenwald, that a man answering the description of the "wild man" seen in the woods near Ardenwald and the one who attacked Obrist