

MORNING ENTERPRISE

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.
Oregon City—Fair Sunday;
westerly winds.
Oregon—Sunday, fair; west-
erly winds.

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RACING CAR JUMPS TRACK, KILLING 9

FOURTEEN OTHERS ARE INJURED AS AUTO PLOWS INTO CROWD AT SYRACUSE.

PRESIDENT JUST MISSES ACCIDENT

Lee Oldfield Driver of Machine Going Seventy-five Miles an Hour That Crashes Through Board Fence.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 16.—Nine persons were killed and fourteen injured, some of them seriously, as a result of an accident in the closing miles of a 150-mile race at the State Fair track today, when a Knox racing car, driven by Lee Oldfield, leaped from the track, crashed through the fences surrounding it, and plumed into the throng that lined the side of the speedway.

Six of the nine persons were killed outright, and three were so badly injured that they died on the way to the hospital.

The dead are: Fred J. Arnold, Syracuse, N. Y.; Charles Hamill, Hammond, N. Y.; Charles Ballantine, Syracuse; James C. Coln, Alexandria, N. Y.; Fayette Funk, Parleyville, N. Y.; Leo Halpin, Syracuse; two unidentified men and an unidentified boy.

The identified injured are: Lee Oldfield, driver of the car that left the track; William Sharkey, Harry Bradley, Charles Dolly and Miss Anna Youker, all of Syracuse. It is believed several of the injured cannot live.

The accident came as the fatal termination of a day that undoubtedly was the biggest the State Fair has ever known in point of attendance and attractions.

The honored guest of the day was President Taft. It was but a short time after he had left the grounds that the tragedy occurred. Just before he departed, President Taft took a short ride in an automobile on the track, which was wet to keep the dust from the President and his party.

This caused competitors in the 50-mile race to protest. When the race was called Ralph DePalma and Bob Burman, who had been driving in previous races, refused to go on because of the condition of the track saying the water made it too dangerous.

There was some delay, in which the track was dried somewhat. The race was called and DePalma and Burman both were entrants, along with Oldfield and six others.

The accident occurred in the 43rd mile. DePalma was leading by a lap with Oldfield trailing him. Their big cars traveling, it is estimated, at 75 miles an hour, were running side by side, and they shot past the stand.

As they took the turn there was a report. The car driven by Oldfield leaped into the air. Then it swerved to the outer side and crashed through the fence. The crippled machine, beyond the control of the driver, plowed through hundreds of persons lined along the fence.

ERIE, Pa., Sept. 16.—President Taft ended the first of his forty-six days of speech-making with an address in the auditorium here tonight.

Mr. Taft reserved his most important utterance of the day for the speech here, when he outlined a plan by which he hopes to wipe out objections in the United States Senate to the recently negotiated treaties of arbitration with Great Britain and France.

TODAY
DON KAMON'S DAUGHTER,
(A tale of Southern California)
THAT CITY FELLOW,
THE QUESTION MARK
THE GRAND

THEY WON'T RUN!

The collars in the very stylish MANHATTAN shirts are showing this season are just like the messenger boy—they won't run.

We are showing a very large variety of the Manhattan shirts and you know there is none better.

As a reminder you don't want to fail to look over our splendid showing of L System and Clothcraft Suits and Overcoats at

\$12.50 to \$35

Price Brothers
EXCLUSIVE CLOTHIERS
Not Like Others,
6th and Main Sts.

THE OUTLET

PERPETRATED BY WALT McDUGALL

A RESTAURANT SIGNAL CODE.

A. Bockhyster of Vienna has devised a code of signals for diners that fills a long felt want. I am taking from his valuable book a few illustrations that show exactly how his scheme works. It is an idea that will save every frequenter of cafes and restaurants a lot of worry and the best of it all is that it is an international code which is as easily understood in Timbuctoo or Vladivostok as in Coney Island or Canton. By this code one can order anything from cocktails to butterflies' elbow on toast and make his wants known even while a Hungarian string band of forty pieces is playing Gzyznsky-skwowzich's Divorce Waltz or while a famous after-dinner orator is speaking. Hurry-up lunchers will find the book a great and precious boon, believe me. Sale at This Office.

Copies For

THERE'S A FLY IN THE SOUP!
THIS IS MY WIFE.
BRING THE CHECK.

SEND A WAITER.
TWO BEERS.
BIRDNEST SOUP OR ONE SOFT-BOILED EGG.
MORE BREAD.
ONE WIENER SCHNITZEL.
SEAT THE BLOND.

EDITORIAL PIFFLE.

Don't recall the judges. Nix. But for the love of Mike recall the lawyers and while we are at it, the hook for a whole lot of so-called actors. What? The ratio of one divorce to every ten marriages doesn't prove marriage to be a failure, believe me, only that a lot of people can afford to get divorced. The ratio of cost is about the same, it seems. It costs ten bones to get married but a serviceable divorce can't be procured under one hundred even if the attorney is your own brother-in-law.

LOST.
Diamond-mounted comb belonging to a lady at Hotel Rotz with tortoise-shell back and teeth.

AGENUINE MOTOR ENTHUSIAST!

FRANK BARKER'S GARAGE

WELL, ANYWAY IT WAS A PIKEHARD THAT HIT ME AND NO CHEAP CAR!

THE WAGES OF SIN IS A VAUDEVILLE ENGAGEMENT.

SHAM BATTLE PLANNED FOR BIG COUNTY FAIR

That the crowd will be well entertained Oregon City Day at the big County Fair at Canby is an assured fact. Company G. O. N. G., will compete in a sham battle with the company from Woodburn. This will be a good imitation of a real battle and the people of this county should avail themselves of the opportunity to see this exhibition. These two military companies are considered the best drilled and trained men in the state and the military manipulations will be very interesting.

HATCHERY PLANNED FOR KLAMATH FALLS

Henry O'Malley, of the United States Board of Fisheries, has gone to Klamath Falls to look for a site for a government hatchery. He will confer with Charles F. Stone, State Fish and Game Commissioner, who has located a hatchery for the state at Klamath Falls. That section of the state is noted for its fish, especially rainbow trout, and it is the intention of Mr. O'Malley to see that all the creeks and other streams are stocked with the best fish. It is planned to equip the state hatchery at Klamath Falls as soon as possible, and the one to be located there by the government will be pushed to completion.

MARION MONEY GIVEN FAREWELL PARTY

The U-Go-I-Go Club gave a theatre party and luncheon Saturday evening in honor of Miss Marion Money, daughter of W. R. Money, who will leave this week for Forest Grove, to attend the Pacific University. The entertainment was in the nature of a farewell party, for Miss Money's parents have moved to Powell River, B. C., and when she finishes school she will join them there. The girls met at the home of W. A. Huntley and went from there to the Grand Theatre after which they went to The Falls for luncheon. The tables were beautifully decorated and the dainty place cards were painted by Miss Florence White. Mrs. W. A. White was the chaperone. The party was composed of Misses Erna Peterson, Madge Brightbill, Bess Warner, Florence White, Florence Grace, Louise Walker, Louise Huntley, Marion Money, Morietta Hickman, Alice Gottling, Margaret Brown and Evelyn Harding.

CHAMBERLAIN PICKS WILSON FOR PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—(Special.)—"Wilson is the man," said Senator Chamberlain, speaking of the presidential situation. "At least he is my man, and I hear from most competent authority in Oregon that Woodrow Wilson may count on three-fourths of the votes of the state. The same sentiment, I believe, prevails in most Western states. Also in the East and South.

SCHOOL EXHIBIT AIDS IN WINNING PRIZE

That the Oregon City school exhibit had much to do with Clackamas county winning second prize at the State Fair was the declaration made Saturday by A. O. Freil, principal of the Barclay school, who was in charge of the display. Mr. Freil says the exhibit was one of the chief attractions at the fair, and the booth was crowded all the time. The other school exhibits were so inferior to the one sent from this city that it would be impossible to compare them. Mr. Freil says that Benton county, which won first prize, had a much larger space in which to display its exhibit than Clackamas county and that this had something to do with it taking the honor. However, Mr. Freil admits that some of the fruit and vegetables in the Benton booths were superior to some furnished by Clackamas county.

WINNIPEG, MAN, SEPT. 16.—(Special.)

The desperado who attacked Miss Gladys Price, the Riverview, Man., school teacher, was captured this morning at Hannah, N. D., and confessed. His identity has not yet been established.

50 Colored Views Illustrated Life AMONG THE CANNIBALS OF THE South Seas

M. E. Church
7:45 P. M.

SINGLE TAXERS TO MAKE COURT FIGHT

REFUSAL OF PETITION OPENS WAY FOR INTERPRETATION OF LAWS.

U'REN IS CONFIDENT OF VICTORY

Suit Will Be Filed in Ten Days And Decision of Supreme Court is Expected This Fall.

W. S. U'ren declared Saturday that the decision of Attorney-General Crawford in which he instructed the Secretary of State not to receive the single tax petition from Clackamas county, was what the advocates of the measure desired.

SPECIAL SESSION FOR ROAD LAWS EXPECTED

PORTLAND, Sept. 16.—(Special.)—A special session of the Legislature to enact good roads bills has been recommended by Governor West's commission, named some time ago to outline needed laws on this subject. The commission, representative of all parts of the state, has just met in Portland and determined what is needed in the way of good roads laws. The matter was declared to be so urgent that a special session is necessary.

CANBY DRENCHED; TREE IS SHIVERED

The streets of Canby were inundated by rain which accompanied a thunder storm Saturday morning. The rain fell in torrents for more than three hours, and was the heaviest downpour the city has had for several years. Coroner Wilson, who was in Canby on business, says the streets were flooded, and the water was an inch or more deep on the sidewalks at one time. A big tree near Adkins sawmill was shivered by a lightning stroke, and the thunder at times was almost deafening. Only a slight damage to crops is reported.

SCHOOLS TO OPEN HERE TOMORROW

SUPT. TOOZE DECLARES NEW RECORD WILL BE SET FOR ATTENDANCE.

HIGH SCHOOL STARTS WEDNESDAY

Teachers Hold Meeting And Arrange For Work—Entrance Examination Questions To Be Prepared.

The Oregon City grade schools will open at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. Superintendent Tooze said last night that everything was in readiness for the opening, and that the indications were for the largest attendance in the history of the schools. The high school will open Wednesday morning.

WIFE FREES MAN SHE SAID THREATENED HER

Pleas of his wife, who had been instrumental in having him arrested, won J. C. Saulsbury his freedom in Justice of the Peace Samson's court Saturday. After Saulsbury had been arrested by Policeman Green on a charge of drunkenness his wife swore to a complaint that he had threatened to kill her. She said that he carried a knife concealed in his sleeve. After Mrs. Saulsbury had withdrawn her charge she asked that her husband be freed, but Mr. Samson declined to do this until the costs had been paid. The money was furnished by a friend, and the justice, upon releasing Saulsbury gave him a good lecture, and informed him that he would be dealt with severely if he became intoxicated again.

BABIES FELL FROM BLUFF INTO CREEK

Coroner Wilson, who went to Canby Saturday to investigate the deaths of Harold and Frank Helvey, the little sons of George Helvey, who wandered from home and were drowned in Milk Creek, said that he was confident the children died at the same time.

U. S. TO RAISE HORSES HERE FOR CAVALRY

The United States Saturday bought thirty-five acres from John M. Poor to be used in connection with the life range for the soldiers near Clackamas. It is said that the government plans raising horses for use by the cavalry at the range, and it also is probable that an artillery range will be established. The government has had trouble for years in obtaining the right kind of horses for cavalry use, and has decided to raise horses in several sections.

CITY CHARGES \$100 FOR CANAL ROUTE

MONEY TO BE USED IN PREPARING ABSTRACT TO GIVE TO GOVERNMENT.

SPECIAL MEETING HELD BY COUNCIL

Moffatt & Parker Paid \$2,727.07 For Work on Sixth Street And \$67.50 From General Fund.

The City Council, at a special meeting Saturday adopted a resolution offering to sell the portion of the right-of-way owned by the city for the canal and locks around the Falls of the Willamette to the government for \$100. J. F. McIndoe, Major, United States Engineer, had written to Mayor Brownell asking what the city would charge for the right of way.

As a result of the action of the Council Recorder Stupp wrote to Mayor McIndoe as follows:

"In reply to your communication to the Mayor of Oregon City of September 13 relating to the purchase of right-of-way for the canal and locks at Oregon City, I am instructed by the City Council of Oregon City to say:

"That Oregon City is willing to sell such portion of a right-of-way for said locks as you may need and of land which Oregon City owns or controls for \$100, and furnish the abstract and such description as you may desire. This price, they estimate, will just about pay for the abstract and other details you will need.

"This offer will hold good for six months from October 1, 1911, or until the receipt by you of the necessary papers from Oregon City and for six months following said date."

The Council ordered the payment of \$2,727.07 for work on Sixth street and \$67.50 out of the general fund.

Couple Granted License. Joseph Sivick and Francis Kremi, of New Era, were granted a license to marry Saturday.

NO RAISE IN PRICES

Special Feature of This Week Starting Tomorrow, Monday



P. A. Merriam
Chief Electrician U. S. Navy, will lecture on

"The Crime of the Atlantic Battleship Fleet"

AROUND THE WORLD.
His Lecture and Shows will be Different Each Day

THE GRAND

NOTE—Last show afterwards will start at 4:30 in order that the school children may have a chance to hear him.