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ROSEBURG TRAIN STRIKES SLEEPER

MAN THOUGHT TO BE ANDERUS HOMEH PERHAPS FATALLY INJURED BY ENGINE

DOZING ON TRACK, HEARD NO BELLS

Injured Pedestrian Rushed to Oregon City Hospital by Surgeons, and But Poor Hope of Recovery Held

A man whose name is probably Anderus Homeh was struck and perhaps fatally injured by Southern Pacific train No. 17 Wednesday afternoon just outside of Canemah and is now in the Oregon City hospital, still unconscious and unable to give an account of himself. He was struck shortly before three o'clock, in view of several people, none of whom realized his danger until too late.

The man was sitting on the end of a tie, asleep. People who noticed him though he was only resting, and that at the approach of the train he would get up from the track. As it was, the approach of the heavy Roseburg train did not disturb the man's slumbers, and in spite of the whistling of the engine, and his efforts to stop in time to avoid hitting the man, the heavy engine struck him on the right shoulder and hurled his body twenty feet away to the side of the right-of-way.

Drs. Hempstead and Norris were summoned from Oregon City, and fractured the speed laws in covering the distance to the scene of the accident. On examination they found that the man had sustained a fracture of the right shoulder, a broken clavicle, three broken ribs, severe contusions of the scalp, concussion of the brain and internal injuries. Whether his skull is fractured or not could not be ascertained at early examinations on account of the wounds on his head, though the surgeons do not believe there is such a fracture. The man was hurriedly brought to the Oregon City hospital for further care.

There were no papers in his pockets by which identifications could be made, but a roll of blankets and tools that lay beside the man on the track was labelled "Western, May 24, 1913, Anderus Homeh, Number 117." From the man's clothes and appearance it is believed he was a contract laborer. His clothes bore the name of a Des Moines, Iowa, clothing firm.

SEEK TO BREAK MILLIONAIRE'S WILL

HACKENSACK, N. J., May 28.—A hearing to set aside the will of John S. Lyle of Tenafly, who died on July 26, leaving an estate of several million dollars, was held in the Orphans' court here today. Mr. Lyle's estate was a member of the firm of Lord & Taylor, New York, was 92 years old. He left the greater part of his fortune to his young wife, Julia Gertrude Lyle. Nephews and nieces to whom he left only small bequests are seeking to have the will set aside on the ground that for a long time prior to his death Mr. Lyle was of unsound mind and incapable of disposing of his vast estate. Undue influence on the part of his wife is also alleged by the contestants.

Wanted! Girls and Women

To operate sewing machines in garment factory.

OREGON CITY WOOLEN MILL

Britton Addition

33 hundredths of an acre, all in cultivation and bearing fruit. Located 500 feet from car line and grocery store. Price \$450, \$45.00 down, balance \$10.00 per month. This will boom in price on account of the Portland, Eugene & Eastern Ry. See

E. P. ELLIOTT & SON today.

OREGON CITY'S LEADING STORES WILL BE CLOSED ALL DAY FRIDAY, MEMORIAL DAY

COUNTY'S CRUISE SHOWING PROFIT

INCREASED TAXES ON NEW ASSESSMENT WILL PAY MORE THAN COMPLETE COST

9000 ACRES GIVE 300 PERCENT GAIN

Preliminary Figures Submitted to Assessor Jack Are Surprising to Even Most Hopeful Boosters of Plan

Returns upon 9,890 acres of timber land in the county, a part of that so far cruised under direction of the county court, have been made to County Assessor Jack, and have been shown to have a valuation of \$314,480. The same property was assessed in 1912 at \$132,975. Thus the county cruise shows an increase of valuation of \$182,105.

The tax levy this year will be the same as last, 15 mills. On this basis the timber land in this section cruised will yield an increase in taxation of \$2,013.68. At the rate the county is paying for the cruise, eight cents an acre, this increase is sufficient to pay for the cruising of 36,421 acres. From these figures County Assessor Jack concludes that the increased assessment this year, and the increase in taxes resulting, will more than pay for the total cost of the cruising.

The timber included in the 9,890 acres upon which these figures are based is merely average, and does not include the "record" timber of the county, where the increase in valuation has run, in some sections, as high as 500 percent.

From the results so far obtained and tabulated, county officials are much elated; and declare that the cruise is more than proving its worth. It is believed that the final figures of the cruise will be sufficient to still all complaint that has been made in regard to the cruise; and that it will also reveal the resources of the county on an entirely new scale. The cruise will be the first adequate accounting of Clackamas county timber, and will also show comprehensively the exact condition of the vast stretches of almost unexplored territory in the heart of the district.

MAN DASHES INTO AUTO; BREAKS LEG

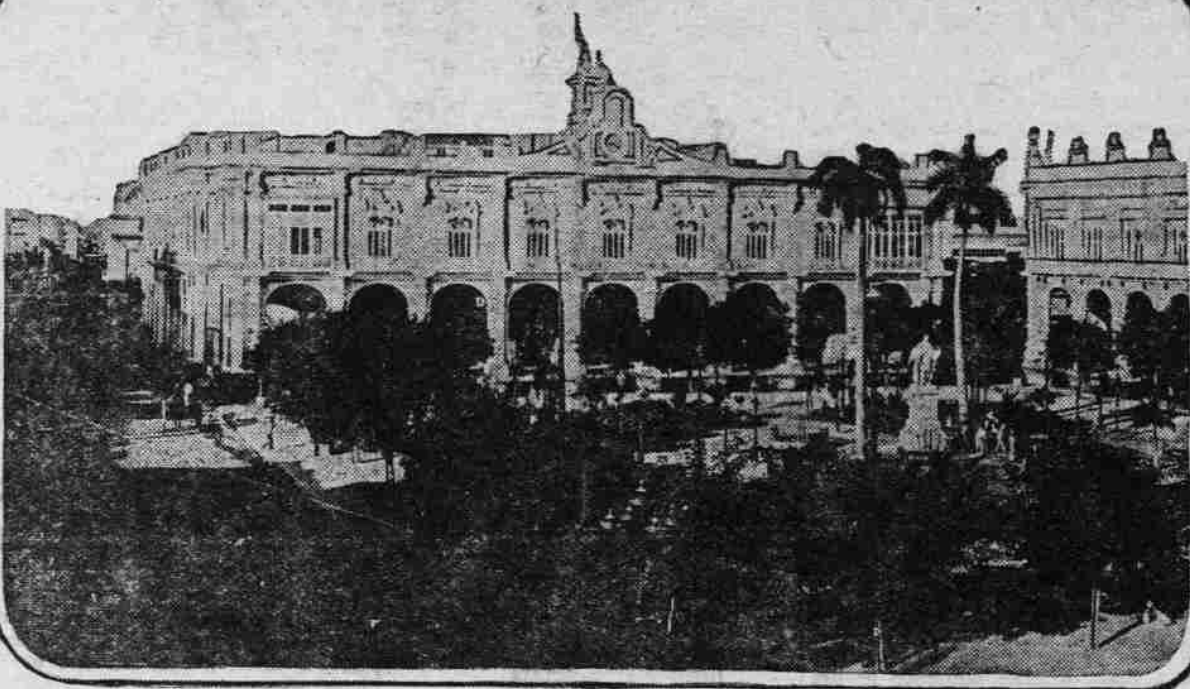
Hastening across the street to procure change for some gasoline he had just sold, Edward Hughes, an employee of the Pacific Highway Garage, ran into the automobile being driven by Dr. M. C. Strickland Wednesday afternoon, and falling under the machine sustained a broken leg. Dr. Strickland at once took the man to his office where he reset the limb, and later will remove him to the Oregon City hospital for further care. Hughes says that the physician was in no way to blame for the accident, and that he had neglected to look ahead to see if the street was clear before leaving the curb.

The accident occurred on Main street, just below Eleventh; as was witnessed by many people. Dr. Strickland was returning from Gladstone, where he had been on a professional call. An auto was standing at the curb in front of the garage, having just taken on some gasoline. Just as Dr. Strickland came along an interurban train passed down the center of the street, and in order to pass between this and the standing auto, the doctor slowed down to walking speed. It was while he was thus steering the auto carefully along that Hughes rushed in front of the physician. There was no room for the physician to turn out, and though he applied his emergency brake at once, the garage man dashed into the heavy machine full tilt. Hughes is reported to be getting along comfortably, and it is expected that he will soon be again at his work.

MILWAUKIE BOY DIES OF EXPLOSION HURTS

PORTLAND, Ore., May 28.—Roy Marsh, the 8-year-old son of L. H. Marsh, who was injured in an explosion of dynamite caps at his home in Milwaukie Tuesday, died in St. Vincent's hospital this morning.

New Administration In Little Island Republic of Cuba Will Have Many Serious Problems to Solve.



Serious and perplexing problems will confront General Mario G. Menocal and Enrique Jose Varona, new president and vice president, respectively, of the Cuban republic. Government in the little island nation is in a formative and unstable state, and strong men, who can assert leadership, are needed. The general belief is that such men have been chosen to guide the Cuban ship of state. In this illustration are shown President Menocal to the left and Vice President Varona to the right, with a picture of the governor general's palace, now the Cuban White House, below.

COUNCIL SESSION HEARS NEW LAW

Delegates from the Woman's club presented to the city council Wednesday evening their draft of the proposed ordinance providing for the appointment of a market inspector. According to the terms of the new law, it shall be the duty of the inspector to see that all markets and stores are kept in a clean and sanitary condition, that they be thoroughly cleaned not less than once a week, and that they be whitewashed, if it is deemed necessary, every three months.

The proposed measure also provides that all pastry shall be wrapped in paraffine paper, and that this wrapping shall not be broken until the pastry or bread is delivered. All stores that sell ice are to keep this line of food on ice, enclosed so that flies or dirt cannot contaminate it. Display cases are to be of glass, and all markets are to be equipped with screen doors. No person suffering from tuberculosis is to be allowed to be an employee of any establishment where foods are sold or manufactured.

Under the provisions of the ordinance dairies are to be cleaned twice a day, and certain standards are to be maintained as to construction and the quality of products. Provisions are also contained for the keeping of vegetables and other market stuffs free from dirt. Action on the ordinance will be taken at a later meeting. A new garbage can ordinance, to take the place of one defeated recently, was also introduced. It provides that all garbage shall be kept in a tight receptacle, which shall be emptied at least once each week.

Plans for changing the grade of High street, between Third and First streets, were allowed. Application of Anton Kirschner for a liquor license at 207 Eighth street was referred to the license committee, as were the applications of Davis & Lovin and Reckner & Cole for the refunding of \$110.25 for the unexpired part of their license fees, following the revocation of their licenses. Claus Krohn asked permission to transfer his saloon from Seventh street and Railroad avenue to the building formerly occupied by D. M. Klemens, on Main street, between Fourth and Fifth.

The street committee was empowered to enter into a contract with the Oregon Road Oiling company for oiling of the city streets at a rate of \$40 per mile. A bid of the Pacific Road Oiling company for \$48.75 per mile, was turned down.

A communication from the Game-well Fire Alarm company, asking that they be permitted to continue work of installing apparatus, and that the city pay them \$1,200 or \$1,500 an ac-

ARCHBISHOP CHRISTIE HAS 65TH BIRTHDAY

Most Rev. Alexander Christie, Catholic archbishop of the diocese of Oregon City, was 65 years old Wednesday, and many messages of congratulation were sent to the noted prelate. Archbishop Christie was a visitor in Oregon City this week, speaking at the memorial services of the Grand Army of the Republic, and at that time it was noted that he seemed to be in the best of health, and was carrying his years well.

Enterprise classified ads pay.

TO-NIGHT!

At 7 o'Clock Sharp
The STAR
Presents

The Frank Rich Co.

In the Musical Comedy Success
"The Girl in the Cabaret"

NO MATINEE TODAY

General Admission
25c

TO-NIGHT!

TEDDY TEMPERATE SAY HIS FRIENDS

MARUETTE, Mich., May 28.—Men who have been associated with Col. Roosevelt in public and private life who met him on the Nile when he returned from the African hunting trip, and a newspaperman who accompanied him on his various political campaigns testified today in Colonel Theodore Roosevelt's libel suit against George A. Newett, a newspaper owner of Ishpeming, Mich., that the ex-president not only was not a drunkard, but that he was notably and extremely temperate in the use of intoxicants.

It would have been impossible, the witnesses said, for Colonel Roosevelt ever to have been under the influence of liquor without the fact becoming known to his associates. It would have been equally impossible, they testified, for him to have drunk liquor with any regularity without the smell of it being apparent on his breath to the friends who testified.

RIVER EXCURSION IN GREAT FAVOR

Judging from the rush that has been made for tickets, every member of the Oregon City Commercial club is desirous of taking his family with him on the special excursion that will be run to Portland on the first day of the Rose Festival. The Commercial club has chartered two steamers for the trip, and accommodations have been limited to 100 people on each vessel. Reservations for tickets are going rapidly, and more than half of the allotments have already been made.

As the affair is distinctly a Commercial club feature, only members and their families can avail themselves of the trip. The vessels will leave Oregon City promptly at eight in the morning, and will take part in the water parade to welcome Rex Oregonus. Return to Oregon City will be made in the afternoon. Coffee and sandwiches will be served on the boats, and it is believed that nothing can occur to mar the pleasure of those who are fortunate enough to obtain tickets before the supply is exhausted.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE Standings	
Los Angeles	574
Oakland	547
Venice	519
Portland	460
Sacramento	447
San Francisco	446

AT THE GRAND TODAY THE CRAZY PROSPECTOR

A crazy prospector living with his daughter, accidentally discovers gold. He enthralls over it and immediately goes to the town saloon. His daughter, is informed by her half-witted father that he has told the men of the location and that they have already departed for the hidden treasure. Broncho Billy enters the saloon and Harriet implores him to keep the men from staking out the property. Driving his stage coach at dare-devil speed, he finally reaches a high spot in the road. Harriet unhitches one of the horses and rides to the claim agent's office, her name is filed on the state's books for the property. With the certificate, she dashes madly to the gold pit, where she stakes out her claim. In the meantime, the men arrive on horseback and are prevented from passing the coach, which takes up the whole road. Broncho Billy saves the claim for the crazy prospector.

Japan, the Industrious

The tourist is conducted to many interesting places in picturesque Japan. At Kobe we see the Upper Falls of Nunobiki, from which a celebrated mineral water is piped. Proceeding along the waterfront we visit the customs house, the hotels, banks and consulates and arrive at the harbor. In Motomachi, the principal street is Kobe, we notice a novel method of advertising a flower show—and the flowers of Japan are world-famous. In Kyoto the odd canals intersect the city in all directions and a trip along the Biwa Canal enables the tourist to form some conception of this picturesque country.

The One Hundred Dollar Elopement

A silly, wilful school-girl becomes violently smitten with a worthless young chap and is about to elope with him. The principal of the school telegraphs her father who, after buying off the ardent suitor, surprises his daughter by appearing in his place at the appointed hour.

"Cinders"

The love of a poor furnace man for a little girl causes him to sell his dog, his most priceless possession, in order to buy her some flowers when she is ill. The child gets back her long-lost father while the furnace man has his dog restored to him in an unexpected manner.

In Observance of Memorial Day

Our Store will be

Closed all Day Friday, May 30

You will aid us materially in causing the day to be universally observed by doing your shopping Thursday

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