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SHERIFF MAKES BIG TAX HAUL

MONEY POURS INTO OFFICE AS LAST DAY OF PERIOD DRAWS NEAR

GETS THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS

Record For Season is Made Although One Day More Remains and Receipts May Be More Than Saturday's

Thirty thousands dollars in taxes were received by Sheriff E. T. Mass in Saturday's collections. As the time for the collection draws to a close, the sheriff has been swamped with the money that has poured in to his office.

Saturday was the record day for this season of the year. The taxes came in in large numbers from all parts of the county and the clerks in the office were busy through the day issuing the receipts for the money that was taken in over the counter.

Though the list does not close until Monday night, the property owners have figured that October 1 was the last day and have been bringing in their contributions to the county expenses. After Monday, the taxes that are not then paid will be placed on the county delinquent list.

It is probable that Monday will be the biggest day of the season as it will mean the last chance to escape the delinquent roll. Taxpayers from all parts of the county will then make a rush for the sheriff's office with their taxes and the clerks will be busier than ever making our receipts.

BOOSTERS BELIEVE IN UNITED DISPLAYS

Both B. T. McBain and L. Adams, members of the publicity committee of the Commercial club are enthusiastic over the proposal to unite the display of eight of the counties of the state when the exhibits are sent to the Panama-Pacific exposition.

They believe that this state and the counties that are involved will all receive better and more pulling advertising if the work is done under the supervision of one committee and a large display is sent rather than several smaller ones.

The publicity men of the several counties will meet from time to time to lay plans for the display and will have an exhibit ready for the exposition that will be of beneficial influence in the campaign for more home-headers in the state.

Tiny Tot Pilfers Picture to Place Under Her Pillow

Little Viola, aged 10, saw Kenneth, aged 12, and loved him. It was a case of dropping head over heels into it at almost first sight. She knew Kenneth, of course, and he lived but a few doors on the other side of the street from her, but she wanted to see his face all of the time.

It happened that Kenneth had an older sister. The sister had a picture of the boy sweetheart and the girl wanted it. Of course, she didn't want to ask for it, but one day she visited that older sister of the boy she loved. After hunting all over the house, she saw the face for which she had been looking and while the woman was busy with her household duties, the golden haired girl just took it.

Some time later, the boy's sister discovered that the picture was missing. She was mystified but diligent search failed to reveal it. But the girl, too, had a sister and one day she found under the little tot's pillow the missing photo. Every night she had placed it there just before she went to bed and always took it out the next morning to put it safely away in a hiding place that she had invented for it.

COUNTY TEACHERS IN FIRST MEETING

The Clackamas County School Masters' club held the first meeting of the year Saturday night at the Presbyterian church. The ladies of the church served supper to the teachers in the parlors.

Twenty principals and superintendents of the county were present to whom Frank Riggler, former superintendent of the Portland schools, explained his book on "Methods of Primary Arithmetic." He was the chief speaker of the evening and talked along school lines and methods of modern education.

The next meeting will be held at Wichita six weeks from the first session. There are about 25 members in the club, most of whom make it a point to attend almost every session of the organization.

Some women are self-made, but most of them are remedied by dress-makers. It is better for a girl to be given in marriage than it is for a man to be sold. When a man calls his wife "dear" in public it sounds like an insult.



CHARLOTTE MARTIN
Four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Martin, born in Tacoma, March 15, 1909.

PREACHER BEGINS NEW YEAR'S WORK

After attending the annual conference at Eugene, Dr. T. B. Ford, pastor of the Methodist church has been returned to his charge here and begins another 12 months of service today.

He will attend the Sunday school services at 9:45 o'clock this morning and preach at 11 o'clock. There will be a special rally of the young people of the congregation at 5:30 o'clock Sunday night, the evening service of the church beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

WEST'S LAWYERS DECLARE NO STATUTES WERE BROKEN

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 4.—Declaring there was no violation of law or misappropriation of funds by the members of the state board, Attorneys Claude McCulloch and John McNary, representing Governor West, Secretary of State Olcott and State Treasurer Kay, today vigorously attacked the complaint filed by Attorney General Crawford on behalf of the state to recover practically \$16,000 alleged to have been unlawfully expended from the penitentiary, "revolving fund."

The case was argued before Judge Percy Kelly on a demurrer filed by the defendants alleging that there are not sufficient facts in the complaint to constitute a cause of action. Judge Kelly took the case under advisement.

The evening argument was made by McCulloch, who pointed out the difference between the funds derived from the institution and the funds raised by taxation. He said the more an institution earned the better for the institution, and that it had been the custom to expend these earnings to carry on industries at the institution and for the betterment of the institution.

SANDY FAIR DRAWS TO GLORIOUS CLOSE

The last day of the second annual fair at Sandy opened with record crowds attending.

The first event of the day was the awarding of the prizes in Shelby's hall at 10 o'clock. Then came a literary and musical program. The afternoon was taken up by horse and foot races, while in the evening there was an all night dance.

Those present are all satisfied that this is the most successful fair ever held in this district and plans are already being made for a fair for next year that will be even bigger and better than this one.

WEATHERFORD TRIES TO GET PARDON FOR TAYLOR

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 4.—Attorney M. V. Weatherford of Albany was here today and said that within a few days a petition for the pardon of John Taylor, serving a life sentence in the penitentiary for the killing of A. H. Perry in Harney county, will be presented to Governor West. Taylor's sentence to life imprisonment, Attorney Weatherford said that the petition for a pardon was signed by many citizens of California, where Taylor formerly lived, including the circuit judge, and by the sheriff of Harney county.

BAPTISTS NAME NEW LIST OF OFFICERS

The First Baptist church of Oregon City held its annual business meeting Friday evening. Satisfactory reports from the various departments were read, showing the progress for the year.

The following officers were elected and committees named: Deacon, Francis Welch, to succeed himself; trustee, J. D. Renner; clerk, Mrs. C. A. Nash; assistant clerk, Mrs. F. A. Olmsted; treasurer, J. W. Loder; assistant treasurer, Leo S. Burdon; treasurer of benevolences, F. A. Olmsted; Sunday school superintendent, H. E. Cross; assistant superintendent, Leo S. Burdon; West Oregon City superintendent, Miss Bailey; Choir Leader, Mrs. L. M. Olmsted.

Some women are so self-conscious that they tremble every time anybody happens to mention art.

Oldest Daughters of Czar of Russia Are Among The Interesting Young People of World's Royalty.



These two young women, hardly out of girlhood, are among the world's interesting young people. All Europe wonders what prank of fate Dan Cupid is going to play upon them. They are the Grand Duchess Olga, aged eighteen, eldest daughter of the czar and zarina of Russia, and the Grand Duchess Tatiana, aged sixteen, the second eldest daughter. Rumor has had Princess Olga engaged more than once, but nothing authentic was ever announced until the recent report gained wide credence that she would be engaged to Prince Charles of Roumania.

SHRINERS MASS AT THE STATE FAIR IN SALEM

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 4.—The largest bunch of Shriners ever in Salem is here today attending the state fair in Shriners' Day, and a beautiful one it is. About 500 of the nobles, accompanied by the Al Kader band and the Arab patrol, arrived at 10:50 o'clock in a special train from Portland. Scores of others came from other towns.

The Portland crowd was met at the Oregon Electric depot by several hundred local Shriners, the "Cherrians," and the McElroy band of Portland, engaged here for fair week. Automobiles were waiting for the visiting ladies. A procession was formed, led by the McElroy band, next came the Cherrians, the A. Kader band, the Arab Patrol, the Portland Shriners, the Salem Shriners and the automobiles with the ladies.

WINTER'S APPROACH MAKES CHANGE OF TIME NECESSARY

The approach of the winter season has forced several of the churches to make changes in the hours of their Sunday services.

During the next few months, the First Congregational church will have its Sunday school at 10 o'clock instead of 9:30 o'clock and the morning service at 11 o'clock instead of 10:40 o'clock.

The subject of the sermon this morning will be "Are the Ten Commandments Up-to-Date?"

REVIVAL OPENS

Revival services will be held at the church of the United Brethren every evening this week. Rev. A. J. Ware of Albion, Wash. will assist and special preparations have been made for these meetings.

OFFICIALS DENY ALL REPORTS OF CHANGE

Representatives of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company vehemently deny that they had harbored any untoward designs to change the routing of the Oregon City cars so that they would not stop on Washington street but would wander off to Third and Yamhill in Portland.

The assertion that they have gone to the expense of building a depot for the long distance lines and that they propose to keep those lines running into that point. On the other hand, it is possible that a change will be made in the lines carrying five-cent fares for the congestion around that place is too great and is growing worse all of the time. It is estimated that 120 cars pass over the Burnside, 106 over the Morrison street, 69 over the steel, and 95 over the Broadway bridges during the rush hours and that they all dump their passengers in about the same places.

The Oregon City line, however, will not be effected by any change that may be made in the system it is said.

VETERANS CHAT OVER WAR TIMES

The largest crowd of veterans that Meade Post No. 2, has had in several months attended the monthly meeting of the organization in Willamette Hall Saturday afternoon. The old soldiers listened to addresses on various phases of the war between the states and talked over old times together.

The speakers of the afternoon were, Comrades Etson, Grant, Clyde, Tufts, and Roman.

COLONEL GETS SORE OVER BRIGHT NEWSPAPER WORK

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Theodore Roosevelt sailed for South America today in a towering rage. He spoke last night at a Progressive banquet, and portions of his address which he had decided at the last moment to withhold, got into the newspapers.

In them the ex-president admitted that there would have been no Panama canal if he and his advisers had not "taken Panama." And he bitterly criticized the Wilson administration's Mexican policy, saying the proper course would have been "my method as exemplified in Hayti."

The address had been delivered before the colonel discovered that it had been printed expurgated in the newspapers, just as it was given in advance for publication.

VETERAN DOES NOT FEEL AGE

IS HAILE AND HEARTY AT HIS NINETY-FOURTH BIRTHDAY AND HAS GARDEN

CELEBRATE THEIR ANNIVERSARY

Meldrum Home Has Gathering of Friends Who Remember the Marriage Date—Woman's Club to Meet

(By Meta Finley Thayer)
A reception was given yesterday afternoon and evening by Mrs. A. P. Parker, of Gladstone, in honor of the ninety-fourth birthday of her father, J. I. Burgess.

Mrs. Parker was assisted by her sister, Mrs. Whitcomb, of Minneapolis who is returning from a trip around the world.

Mr. Burgess is very active and enjoys splendid health. Last year he made a trip to Minneapolis alone, and this summer planted and tended an extensive garden. Doctor Milliken, who attended the reception, made the statement that during his pastorate Mr. Burgess had missed but one Sunday service, and that was during Chautauqua.

The hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. George Ostrom of Meldrum, was the scene of a merry gathering Friday evening when about forty friends called to help celebrate the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of the host and hostess. Their attractive home was decorated with autumn flowers and bright foliage. Nine tables of 500 were played.

Mr. and Mrs. Ostrom were assisted in receiving their guests by Mrs. Le Clair, mother of the hostess, and their son and daughter, Lorraine and LeClair Ostrom.

A feature of the evening was a mock ceremony, performed by a life-long friend of the couple, the ring service being used.

For the pleasure of Miss Hardy, their house guest, Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Latourette, gave a dancing party Thursday evening for a large number of Portland friends. The family home on High street was brilliantly decorated for the occasion. Miss Hardy has made many friends during her visit in the West and has been entertained extensively.

Mrs. E. A. Sommer spent Friday in Oregon City with Dr. and Mrs. Coffin, of New York, who are occupying the beautiful home of Dr. and Mrs. Sommer temporarily. As soon as they succeed in finding a suitable home in Portland, Dr. and Mrs. Coffin expect to move to that city.

Miss Irene McCown, a former resident of Oregon City was visiting friends here on Thursday.

The Woman's club will hold its first meeting this season on Thursday afternoon at the home of the acting president, Mrs. Duncan M. Shanks in West Linn. This is to be known as "Willamette Valley Booster Day." Plans will be formulated for the winter, and the business meeting will be followed by a social hour. Mrs. Shanks will be assisted by the calendar committee of the club.

Friends of Mrs. E. Kenneth Stanton will be pleased to hear that she is recovering from her recent illness.

TWO WIVES TELL OF HUSBANDS' CRUELTY

On the anniversary of her marriage, Leona M. Hutchins brought suit for divorce in the circuit court against her husband, George H. Hutchins on the ground of cruelty and inhuman treatment. The complaint recites incidents that the wife claims caused her great mental anguish and that made her domestic life unbearable.

The marriage ceremony was performed at Prineville, Oregon, October 4, 1911.

The same charge was filed by Pauline D. Gannon against Edward M. Gannon in the circuit court as the basis for the divorce action that was brought Saturday. The marriage took place at San Diego, Cal., April 15, 1912.

BEAVERS LOSE

Oakland 7, Portland 4.
San Francisco 7, Sacramento 1.
Venice 4, Los Angeles 1.

Coast League Standings
W. L. P. C.
Portland 99 74 572
San Francisco 98 89 524
Sacramento 91 86 514
San Francisco 81 94 492
Los Angeles 87 97 473
Oakland 81 107 431

An optimist is a man who lays up a little sunshine for a rainy day.

RUTTY ROADS TO BE REPAIRED

WORK SOON TO START ON THE PACIFIC HIGHWAY TO THE CANBY CITY LINE

TOWNS AND COUNTY CO-OPERATE

Plans Include Aid From Both the Municipalities and the Court—Make Roads Ready for Winter

Within the next few weeks, actual work will probably start on the Pacific Highway where the road has filled up and ruts been worn. The stretch between Oregon City and Canby will be repaired and the highway placed in condition to stand the travel of the winter season.

Already Oregon City and Canby have ordered the work done inside of the city limits and have planned for extensive improvement on those streets that form a part of the highway. The money that the fair at Canby had left after the expenses were paid will be put into this road fund and addition funds will be secured for considerable improvement work.

Representatives of the Commercial club, the fair association and the Canby Commercial club have been talking the matter over for some time. The county court will be taken through the section of the highway and its condition will be shown to the members. At that time, suggestions will be made for the improvements that are now planned and an effort made to gain the support of the court in the undertaking.

The road has been allowed to get into a condition that will make travel rather difficult through the winter months. It is said, and several enthusiasts in the county have undertaken to better the highway before the rains make passage worse.

FRIGHTENED TEAM DAMAGE VEHICLES

Dashing through the main streets of the city, a team belonging to a man by the name of Phillips struck an automobile, knocked in the front lights, tore into a telephone pole and broke the buggy into pieces, and rushed on up the street and disappeared.

Not a trace of the frightened horses has been found. The animals were hitched on the street and became frightened. They broke the line that held them and tore madly up Fifth street, hitting everything as they went. The horses seem to have completely disappeared from the map as the police were unable to locate them Saturday night.

GOLDEN-HAIRED BABY IS DEAD AND MAN HELD

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—An unidentified golden haired baby lies dead in the morgue with a bruise on the side of the head. The police assert the baby was killed by Joseph Depuma, a notorious gunman and white slaver, and believe the child probably was kidnapped and held for ransom.

Ralph Pasqua, an undertaker, is held on the charge of removing a body from one county to another without a permit. Pasqua says Depuma called him to a flat on Box street, the Bronx, and ordered him to take charge of the corpse. The undertaker says he demanded a death certificate, but that Depuma shoved a gun in his face saying:

"This revolver, containing five soft nosed bullets, will act as a certificate."

Depuma, Pasqua all-aces, told him that the baby bothered him at night by asking for water and that he beat her to death.

The police found three loaded revolvers and a quantity of cocaine in the flat. Depuma, a woman and the child occupied the flat for three weeks. A woman's photograph was found in the room and the police are seeking its original. Pasqua said the woman went when he moved the body and that Depuma ordered her to "stunt up."

An autopsy showed death was caused by a hemorrhage of the brain, the result of a beating.

Nearly every man is rue to his first love—himself. Occasionally a widower's heart is warmed over by an old flame.

ROYAL BREAD Quality and full weight loaf may be imitated, but never equaled Fresh every day at HARRIS' Grocery

Funeral Notice

There will be a special meeting of Mutnomah Lodge No. 1, A. F. & A. M., Monday, October 6, 1913, at 1:45 p. m. This meet-our late brother, J. W. Armstrong, of Peninsula Lodge, Everett, Wash. All Master Masons are earnestly requested to be present.

By order of the W. M.

M. D. LATOURETTE, Sec.



BELVA MORRELL,
With the Baker Players This Week.