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A DESPERATE NEGRO

RESENTS DESTRUCTION OF OF HIS WATERMELON PATCH.

He Empties His weapon into the Crowd Wounding Nine out of Eleven White Men—The Sheriff and Posse in Close Pursuit.

Heflin, Ala., Aug. 17.—News has just reached here that four men were killed and nine wounded in Randolph county by a desperate negro named Sledge. The sheriff and posse are in pursuit, but have not been able to capture the murderer.

The trouble started over a difficulty in a watermelon patch. A party of white men were working on the public road, at Beaver Creek, near Lamar. Sledge had a watermelon patch near the road, and when the men finished working they asked permission to eat a few watermelons. Sledge told them to help themselves. As soon as the men entered the patch they began to cut and slash melons in every direction. The negro went after a gun. He emptied the weapon into the crowd, wounding nine out of eleven.

After the shooting Sledge fled. A posse headed by the sheriff overtook the negro near the Tallahoosa River, five miles from Wedowee. He was ordered to surrender but replied by firing his shot gun, instantly killing Thomas Ebbitt and Thomas Ford.

This afternoon sledge was accosted on the road by James Moore and Bud Wilson. Without warning the negro raised his gun and fired, instantly killing Moore and fatally wounding Wilson.

Hillsboro, Or., Aug. 18—D. J Tromley, who alleges that he is a private detective from Michigan, was last night taken from the city jail by a crowd of 25 young men and treated to a liberal dose of tar and feathers. For some weeks Tromley has been stopping with a woman who resides near the courthouse, and he has made himself very obnoxious to the ladies who reside in the immediate vicinity. He first claimed that he was a cousin of the woman at whose house he lived, but later claimed that they were married.

Tromley was dissolute and besides assulting the marshal one evening, he has threatened others with injury. He has also served two or three times in the city jail for drunkenness. Tromley was wanted on a charge for disturbing the peace, as he had threatened the life of a citizen who was out of town, alleging that he would kill him upon his return. A message was sent to the house at which he lives early in the evening, and Tromley came down town accompanied by the woman. Upon reaching the business part of the town he was arrested and placed in the city jail.

Later a crowd broke into the jail building, and, between ten and twelve, took Tromley out of the jail, took him to the brickyard east of the town, stripped him and applied a liberal coat of tar, after which they made him roll over in a bed of feathers. Tromley begged for his life, the crowd having placed a rope around his neck before starting for the scene of violence.

After he had been tarred Tromley was told to leave and return no more upon penalty of harsher treatment. He went to the house of Charles Stewart, a bachelor, and, begging admittance, was given coal oil with which to cleanse himself. He then disappeared down the track toward Portland.

In King's Valley.

L. G. Price's logging camp closed down last Saturday.

Another baby. It's Bill Smith's and it's a nine pound boy.

J. Brown's baby was buried today in the Edwards cemetery.

One of Walter Kinsie's children cut off a finger and cut the others severely today.

There was a man in the valley last week anxious to start a creamery, but whether he will or not is yet uncertain.

The ice cream social and entertainment at Dr. Luther's last Saturdy evening was a social and financial success.

Threshing has just begun in the valley. Miller and Price are to begin on the 20th and Dick Dunn's machine starts the same day.

Tom Graham met a large deer in the road last Sunday and he immediately made up his mind to catch it. It was an even roll for some time but the deer came out ahead, but Tom says if he had had his shoes off he believes he would have got that deer. UNO.

At Philomath.

Elder Loggan, Father of Dr. R. O. Loggan, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs Keezel, Sunday night. He had been in feeble health for some time.

Last Tuesday Mr. Bennett had the misfortune to get his arm crushed between the wagon wheel and brake, while hauling a load of lumber from the Benton County Lumber Company's yards to the new bridge near Monroe.

Judge Mason' Opinion,

He Was Deaf, and His Hearing Was Restored by Dr. Darrin's New Mode of Treatment.

(Salem Journal.)

The truly wonderful cures Dr. Darrin has accomplished are being testified to by a host of afflicted sufferers who can be seen and consulted on the miraculous cures on their behalf. It is safe to say that no specialist has attained the prominence in this country, and he cannot help but meet with grand success.

Those who are disposed to doubt Dr. Darrin's cures will have their doubts shaken on reading the following card from Judge O. P. Mason, of Portland, a man well and favorably know to all our readers. His case will go far to establish the skill, of Dr. Darrin, who cured him ten years ago:

Dr. Darrin—Dear Sir: Your electrical treatment is most undoubtedly a wonderful success. I have been for a number of years gradually becoming deaf particularly in my left ear. For the last few years I have feared that I would be compelled to give up my law practice entirely, as at times I could not hear well enough to understand what witnesses testified to, unless they spoke in a high tone of voice. A short time ago I commenced treating with you and now can hear as well as I could 20 years ago. In fact, I have no difficulty at all in hearing any one speak in an ordinary tone of voice. I am frank to say that in my case your treatment has been a success. I am sorry that I did not apply to you sooner. Refer any one to me. O. P. MASON.

MISS COCHRAN'S GOOD LUCK

A better pleased young lady could not be found in Albany yesterday than Miss Ethel Cochran, of Mt. Tabor, Oregon, and whose parents live in Brownsville, Oregon. Miss Cochran had been afflicted with deafness for many years and lost all hope of cures until a neighbor, J. L. Oxford, of Brownsville, who had been cured of deafness, advised her to consult Dr. Darrin at Hotel Revere. With a faint heart and skeptical to the last degree, she called on Dr. Darrin and to her great joy was made to hear nearly as well as ever. Her aunt, Mrs. C. W. Yates, of Albany, saw the treatment and can vouch for the above facts.

DR. DARRIN'S PLACE OF BUSINESS.

Dr. Darrin can be consulted free from 10 to 5 o'clock daily; evening 7 to 8; Sunday 10 to 3, at Revere Hotel, Albany.

The doctor makes a specialty of all diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, catarrh, deafness, bronchitis, la grippe, heart, liver, bladder and kidney diseases or those who suffer from apathy and indifference; also consumption, genito-urinary and skin diseases in either sex, such as blood taints, seminal weakness and lost vigor, varicocele and stricture.

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The doctor will remain until October 1st and those wishing treatment will do well to call soon as many require second treatment.

Exhibits Shipped Free.

In order to encourage exhibitors and attendance at the state fair, the Southern Pacific Company will transport all exhibits, including live stock to and from Oregon state fair free of charge. Exhibitors should ship direct to Fair Grounds, where they will find ample facilities for unloading all exhibits.

DOWN AT WELLS.

WHEAT YIELDING AS HIGH AS THIRTY THREE BUSHELS IN NORTH BENTON

Oats Going From 35 to 40—Childs Finger cut off in Kings Valley Arm of man Crushed at Philomath—Tribute to Mrs Ainslie.

Miss Annie Lorgeson returned home last Thursday, after spending a few days in Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A Carter visited relatives near McCoy last week.

R. N. Williamson began taking in grainin his warehouse last week. He is expecting a full house.

The contemplated basket meeting to be held at Ridders grove by Rev C. C. Poling on the 5th Sunday in August is indefinately postponed on account of sickness in his family.

Mr. Johnson shipped two double decked cars of mutton sheep from Wells by Tuesdays freight to Portland. Lee Brown will ship the same amount by Thursday's freight. Wells is becoming quite a shipping point.

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Lee Brown, Sunday. The contracting parties were Eugene Ward and Miss Rena Wood Sam Wood of Eugene officiating. We wish them a happy and prosperous journey through life.

Harvesting is well in hand, fall wheat yielding from 18 to 33 oats 35 to 40 per acre. One of the proprietors of the Stelmacher, Wilson threshing Machine Co operating a 28-inch J. C Case thresher informed me they threshed on A. J. Halls farm ten bushels of wheat per minute which would make in 10 hours run 6000 bushels. Who can beat it.

S C. Stelmacher came very near dying last Friday night with cholera morbus. He was coming home about 12 o'clock from the threshing machine. A physician was immediately telephoned for. At one time he was thought dying, but by the application of hot stimulants was kept alive till the physician arrived. By morning he was resting easy and is now able to continue work.

Farmer.

TO HER MEMORY.

Tribute from a Friend to the Late Mrs. Leona Smith Ainslie.

Corvallis, Oregon, Angus 18 1903.

Editor Times:—Like a thunder bolt out of a clear sky, to the friends of Leona Smith Ainslie, was the announcement received this morning, that she was dead. Few knew that she was even indisposed none until a late hour last evening that she was seriously ill, and the intelligence this morning that she was gone proved to her friends a shock rarely equaled in this community.

The passing of one so young, talented, one looking out upon a future brightened with the halo of youth surrounded by a host of friends, possessing a character and disposition so rare in its qualities, one who never had anything but a smile and a kind word for all, makes us wonder why it is thus. But this cannot, will not be answered until tomorrow, that golden tomorrow, for whose coming we should all be thankful. And then and not until then, will the mystic veil which hides the future from our gaze be drawn aside, and we shall see as we are seen; then and not until then shall we fully understand.

But if the question should be asked, is it a mistake, we can truly answer no. For hers was a life well spent. A life spent almost entirely in this vicinity, where she was born and reared from childhood to girlhood, from girlhood to the well rounded symmetry of womanhood, having but a few times passed the confines of her native county and state. But the whispered tones in which her name is upoken today, the flag that floats at half mast over her alma mater, in whose shadow almost she was reared, go to prove that her life thus far could have been no better spent, her work no better done, for it was a common saying "That everybody liked Nonie." And while her face and voice will be missed, there will ever dwell in the minds of those with whom she associated, the memory of her example, which will prove an incentive to them who will but imitate her, which will tend to lift them above the surroundings and conditions of this evil work, and carry them on and beyond to things which are purer, nobler, better.

The old must die, the young may die. Some in the morning, others noon time, more at the eventide of life. The summons came to her in the beauty and freshness of the morning and she was ready.

A few months since she left us when the flowers were beginning to bloom, a beautiful bride, she has returned to sleep in the autum by the side of her sturdy pioneer ancestors, who aided much to make this community and county what it is.

The springtime will come again, and bring with it its pleasures and its joys; the birds in the trees over her will sing in as pure and sweet tones as of old, but in the hearts of her relatives, and the legion of her friends, there will be a sad spot caused by the new grave made today.

The flowers will bloom fresh above her,
Near the home of her childhood days;
None have known her but to love her,
None wtll name her but to praise.

For a lazy liver try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They invigorate the liver, aid the digestion and regulate the bowels and prevent bilious attacks. For sale by Allen & Woodward.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

New deeds filed for record are: Charlotte Polly and husband to G. C. Peek, 111 acres in Alsea, $1500.

G. W. Neathammer and wife to W. S. Alcorn, 158 acres in Kings Valley, $200.

Maria Howard and others to Catherine Dennis 1½ lots in Monroe, $200.

United States to Jessie H. Powell, patent, 160 acres in Alsea.

M. E. Henderson and husband to S. E. Moore, 4 lots, block 1 N. B. and P. Avery's addition, $1500.

Melva McKinney to J. A Gilkey 7 acres in College homes tract, $2800.

N. B. Avery and wife to E. P. Greffoz, 2 lots block 3 in N. B. and P. Avery's addition, $10.

Wm. Wyatt to Henry Ambler, bond, 2 lots in Philomath $600

Samuel H Moore to Sarah S. Ball, 40 acres near Wells. $400.

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In order to meet the wants of the traveling public and give practically daily service to the beach during the summer season, the Corvallis & Eastern Railroad will run an excursion train from Albany and Corvallis and all points west to Newport every Sunday, leaving Albany at 7 a. m. and Corvallis at 7:30 a. m. returning leave Newport at 5:30 p. m., Three day and season tickets will be good going and returning on these trains. This should prove popular with the traveling public and a liberal patronage will be the best appreciation.

Notice of Final Settlement.

In the Matter of the Estate of GEORGE W. COLLINS, deceased

Notice is hereby given that we, James H. Collins and William D. Collins, as executors of the last will and testament of George W Collins, deceased, have filed our final account as such executors with the clerk of the county court of Benton county, state of Oregon, and the said court has fixed Tuesday the 8th day of September, 1903, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day as the time, and the county court room in the court house in Corvallis, Oregon, as the place for hearing any and all objections to the said account, and for settlement thereof.

Dated this August 8, 1903.

WILLIAM D. COLLINS,
JAMES H. COLLINS.
Executors of the last will and testament of George W. Collins, deceased.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Kinman Vanderpool deceased, has filed in the County Court of Benton County, State of Oregon his final account as such administrator of said estate, and that Saturday September the 12th at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. has been fixed by said court as the time for hearing objections to said report, and the settlement thereof.

VIRGIL A. CARTER,
Administrator of the Estate of Kinman Vanderpool, Deceased

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned executor of the estate of C. C. Vanderpool deceased, has filed in the County Court of Benton County, State of Oregon his final account as such executor of said estate, and that Saturday the 12th day of September at the hour of 2 o'clock P M. has been fixed by the court as the time for hearing objections to said account and the settlement thereof.

DAVID VANDERPOOL,
Executor of the Estate of C. C. Vanderpool, Deceased.

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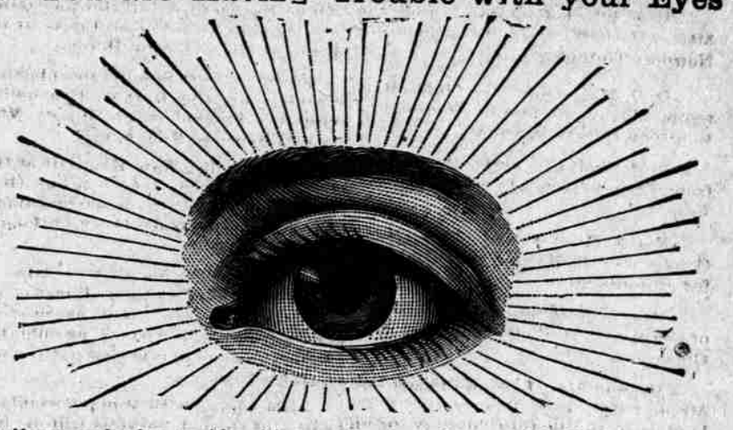

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Trustee's Sale.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon.

In the matter of H. C. Mahon, A Bankrupt. } In Bankruptcy

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an order of sale made and entered by C C. Bryant, referee in bankruptcy in the matter of the estate of H, C. Mahon, a bankrupt, I will on

Friday the 4th of September, 1903

at the hour of 3 o,clock p. m, of said day, at Blodgett Station in Blodgett Precinct, Benton County, Oregon, offer for sale for cash in hand to the highest bidder the following described personal property belonging to said bankrupt estate as follows:

200 piles on the premises of G H Harris in Wrenn Precinct, Benton County, Oregon; 200 piles on the premises of W. P. McFarland in Wrenn Precinct, in Benton County, Oregon; 100 piles on the premises of H S Pittman, in Wrenn Precinct, Benton County, Oregon; 20 piles on the premises of Harry Francis in Blodgett Precinct, Benton County, Oregon; 160 piles on the premises of J E Davis in Blodgett Precinct in Benton County, Oregon; 80 piles on the premises of W D VanHorn in Blodgett Precinct, Benton County Oregon: 550 piles on the premises of H Herron, in Blodgett Precinct, Benton County; Oregon; 50 piles on the premises of T J Hill in Blodgett Precinct, Benton County, Oregon; 126 piles at Blodgett Station, in Blodgett Precinct, Benton County, Oregon: 100 piles on the premises of G H Wamsley in Blodgett precinct, Benton County' Oregon: all of said piles mentioned above, being cut and peeled and being about 60 feet long and averaging 14 inches at the butt and about 9 inches at the top and unmarked and unbranded except the piles on the premises of H Herron and those on the premises of T J Hill which are marked with a lead pencil mark x,

75 car bunks and 190 oak stakes on the premises of J. E. Davis in Blodgett Precinct, Benton County, Oregon. 50 car bunks on the premises of George Woods in Blodgett Precinct, Benton county, Oregon; two derricks on the premises of G H Wamsley, in Blodgett Precinct, Benton County, Oregon, to be sold in one separate lot or parcel apart and distinct from any other property of said bankrupt estate, free and clear of any lien.

Also all of the goods, wares and merchandise described in the inventory filed by the Trustee with the Referee in Bankruptcy in said estate matter, including blacksmith's tools, hardware groceries and goods in warehouse and two bunk houses, wash house, hoods and smokestacks, lumber shingles and all property of every nature or kind whatsoever described in the Inventory as aforesaid and located at Blodgett Station, in Blodgett Precinct Benton County, Oregon, and that the same will be sold in separate parcels and free and clear of any lien.

A copy of the Inventory can be seen at the office of Weatherford & wyatt, at Albany, Oregon, upon application,

Dated this 27th day of July, 1903,

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