

HEADS BLOWN UP AT CLEALUM

High-Handed Procedure That Resulted in Arrest of Perpetrators.

RELEASE CLEALUM WATERS

Engineer and Employees of Washington Irrigation Company Charged With Destroying Dam of Union Gap Works.

WORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—The attempt of men employed by the Washington Irrigation Company to blow up the dam of the Union Gap Irrigation Company across the outlet of Lake Clealum yesterday morning is looked upon as a high-handed piece of business by the water users of Yakima Valley.

JUDGE NAMES RECEIVER

ATTACHABLE BALL-BEARING HUB COMPANY IN TROUBLE.

Charles D. Wood Is Appointed at Vancouver — Stockholders Charge Each Other.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—Superior Judge W. W. McCredie today appointed Charles D. Wood, of the Vancouver Grocery Company, temporary receiver for the Attachable Ball-Bearing Hub Company, which was organized about two years ago in this city.

The court has set September 4 as a day for hearing when the managers will be required to present and show cause why the present named temporary receivership shall not be made permanent.

AUTHORIZED TO INSTRUCT.

All but Nine Applicants Receive Certificates to Teach.

OREGON CITY, Or., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—In a class of 11 applicants for teacher's certificates taking the examination in this county last week, there were but nine failures, according to the report of County Superintendent James, Professor T. J. Gray and Miss Mary S. Barlow, who constituted the examining board.

TOM BROWN CASE APPEALED

Supreme Court Will Decide Whether Patricia May Be Detained.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—It has been decided by the Attorney-General to appeal the Tom Brown case to the United States Supreme Court, after being acquitted on the ground of insanity of murdering his father, young Brown was detained in jail by Judge Rice, the trial judge, on the ground that setting him at liberty would be a menace to the peace and safety of the community.

STANDARD OIL IS BIDDING

Attempts to Absorb Two San Francisco Lighting Companies.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 18.—The Evening Post says that the Standard Oil Company is about to absorb the San Francisco Gas & Electric Company and the San Francisco Coke & Gas Company. Within the last 17 days San Francisco gas and electric stock has leaped from \$22 to \$75 per share, though it tapered off to \$75 1/2 this afternoon.

SELECTS REGATTA OFFICERS

Admiral Charles V. Brown Names Aides for Event.

ASTORIA, Or., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—Charles V. Brown, who will be admiral of the 11th annual regatta, has appointed State Land Agent Oswald West, of Salem, as vice-admiral; Captains Richard Gregory and Byrnes, of the Lighthouse Service, as rear-admirals, and John C. McCue, of the local Customs Department, chief of staff.

DIE IN KUSKOKUM

Frightened by Exhaust Steam, Men Jump Overboard.

HALF-BREEDS AND NATIVES

River Steamer Carried Cargo of Schooner Volante Which Went to Pieces July 6 at the River's Mouth.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—Two half-breed sons of Henry Detrich, Alaska Commercial Company agent at Bethel on the Kuskokum River, and four natives lost their lives by jumping overboard from a small steamer on the Kuskokum River about July 19. The men whose experience on board steam vessels was limited, were frightened out of their wits by steam escaping from the safety valve of the little craft and fearing an explosion the two Detrich boys and five native passengers jumped overboard into the swift current of the river.

MEETS ONLY 'VARSITY TEAMS

California Football Eleven Announces Its Schedule.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 18.—(Special.)—Only university, college or school teams will compete with the University of California football team in the future, and the club teams, Olympic and Hellgate, which once played with the practice team, the varsity received, will not be needed.

IS CHARGED WITH FORGERY

Washington Man Accused of Misappropriating School Funds.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—W. R. Laker, accused of misappropriating school funds of the Toppenish district, had a hearing today, and was held in \$500 bonds for trial at the Superior Court. He is accused by his fellow-teachers of forging the names of the boys on the school fund, and of using the money to his own benefit.

IS CHARGED WITH LARCENY

Astoria Cadets Coming.

ASTORIA, Or., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—About 50 members of the Boys' Brigade, under the supervision of Rev. L. D. Mahoney, will leave here on Monday morning for Portland to attend the Lewis and Clark Fair. They will remain a week, and will camp inside the Exposition grounds. The boys will be in uniform, and will participate in the Exposition programme for the entertainment of the visitors.

FIELDS SWEEP BY FLAMES

FIRE DESTROYS WHEAT THAT WAS HARVESTED.

PENDLETON, Or., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—One of the most disastrous grain fires that has ever occurred in this county started in the field owned by Muir Bros., 12 miles from the city, this afternoon, and at a late hour tonight was still burning fiercely, and traveling toward the southwest. The loss, as far as could be learned tonight, has reached \$200,000. Should the fire continue its way in the direction it has assumed, the loss will amount to many thousands of dollars.

FACTORY IS BURNED.

Newburg Handle Manufacturing Plant Destroyed.

NEWBURG, Or., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—The plant of the Oregon Handle Manufacturing Company burned down tonight, making one of the heaviest fires Newburg has experienced for many years. The fire evidently started in the boiler room about after eight o'clock and had made good headway before the alarm was given.

STOMACHACHE and DIARRHOEA

Brought on by eating green vegetables and unripe fruit, or by sudden changes in weather, excessive heat, gulping down food drinks, etc., are quickly cured and prevented by

NEW DEPOT FOR ALBANY

Southern Pacific to Build and Improve Yards.

ALBANY, Or., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—At last Albany is to have a new depot. It is announced that before another Summer season comes with its increase of travel a new depot building will grace the yards at Albany. The announcement is hailed with delight by the traveling public. The new building will be placed on the side of the tracks nearest the city, thus eliminating the necessity of crossing a network of railroad tracks to reach the ticket office. The yards at Albany will be greatly improved and enlarged. Beside a new track scale with a capacity of 200,000 pounds, which is now being put in place, the yard is being surveyed for new switch improvements which will be of considerable magnitude.

NEW SYSTEM COSTS LESS

STATE SAVES MUCH IN TRANSPORTING INSANE.

Attendants Bring Patients to Salem for About One-Half That Was Formerly Paid Sheriffs.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—After almost three months' operation under the new law governing the transportation of insane, it is found that the cost of transporting patients one-half as much as the old. Under the former system the Sheriff or a deputy brought insane persons to the asylum, receiving a per diem of \$2 and paying expenses. Under the new system the insane asylum authorities send an attendant from the asylum to the county seat to bring the patient to Salem. In some instances the cost of transportation has been reduced to one-third of what it was formerly, while in other cases the reduction is less than one-half. Thus, it cost under the former law \$12.75 to bring a patient from Portland, but now it costs only \$6.75. From Clatsop County, which furnishes a large number of patients, the former cost was about \$4, but now it is only \$1.50. Marion County, which also supplies a large number of insane, formerly cost the state \$6.69 for transporting patients, but this has been reduced to \$2. In the case of patients from distant counties, like Baker, Coos, Tillamook and others, where the railroad or stage expenses are heavy, the saving is not so great. The figures given are not exact, for the exact account can be kept of the time of attendants who are sent out after patients. The attendants who are employed in that work render some service at the institution, and spend some time bringing patients who have escaped. The saving, however, when all allowances are made, will be from \$6 to \$8 per cent.

FLOWERS AS FOODS.

Made Into Salads, Jellies, Curries, Cloves and Capers.

South China Post. Though the fact is well known that flowers are used extensively in the cuisines of many countries, it may come as a surprise to many that some of the most delicate flowers are regularly used as food. In many parts of India the flowers of a spongy-tipped, tubular calycis or mallow form a really important article of diet. These blossoms, which are succulent and very nourishing and numerous, and are gathered in the morning and eaten raw. They have a sweet but sticky taste and odor. They are likewise dried in sun and sold in the bazaars. The Bhatis dry them and store them as a staple article of food.

A GARDEN FOR THE POOR

Philadelphia Woman Lets Children Play in Her Lot.

New York Tribune. A playground for the children of the byways has been opened in Philadelphia. It is a bit of hot-weather philanthropy of the most practical kind, encouraging evidence of what one woman can do if she has both the money and the inclination. Miss Rebecca Cox, whose home is away from the city, has thrown open to the children of the poor the garden of her home in Spruce street, near Fifteenth street, in the heart of the aristocratic district of the city, yet right on the edge of the slums.

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