

EXPLOSION KILLS ONE; HURTS TWO

Cylinder Head Blows Out and Man Who Has Just Entered Meets Death.

ONE MAN IS BADLY HURT

August Gerlinger, Engineer on Salem, Falls City & Western Killed, Master Mechanic, His Brother and an Apprentice Injured.

DALLAS, Or., April 1.—(Special.)—The accidental explosion of a piston head in the machine shop of the Salem, Falls City & Western Railroad Company this afternoon resulted in the death of one man and the serious injury of two others.

August Gerlinger, the man killed, and Carl Gerlinger, who was seriously injured, are nephews of Louis Gerlinger, of this city, president of the Salem, Falls City & Western. Mr. Gerlinger is at present out of the city.

BOILER EXPLODES, FIVE DEAD

Accident in Shingle-Mill at Everett From Defective Boiler.

EVERETT, Wash., April 1.—A boiler in the shingle mill of Garmon & Memmons exploded this afternoon and as a result five men were killed.

A. O. Garmon, T. B. Ambuhl, Edward Olson, James Hopkins and Charles Larson.

Peter Carlson was seriously injured, but it is thought that he will recover. All the dead were residents of Everett.

TOWN VERY BADLY JARRED

Great Northern Engine Blows Up, Injuring Two Men.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., April 1.—(Special.)—The boiler of a Great Northern locomotive exploded this morning at Bellingham, 20 miles south of here.

CANDIDATE IS DEFENDANT

Senatorial Aspirant in Tillamook Accused of Defrauding.

TILLAMOOK, Or., April 1.—(Special.)—A suit has been filed in the Circuit Court against Oak Nolan, who is associated with Claude Traylor in the practice of law, and who is a candidate on the Republican ticket for joint Senator for Tillamook, Washington, Yamhill and Lincoln counties.

MUST PRODUCE THEIR PROOF

Challenge of \$100 Offered to Liquor Interests by the Antis.

SEATTLE, April 1.—Rev. E. W. Raymond, the new superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, has issued a challenge to the authors of a circular issued by liquor interests to bring authority for their quotations from famous men reported to favor saloons.

AFRAID OF ANARCHISTS

New York Exchanges Close Galleries Against Visitors.

NEW YORK, April 1.—Like the New York Stock Exchange, its Consolidated Stock Exchange and the Cotton Exchange, the visitors' gallery of the New York Produce Exchange was closed today.

Predicts Big Wheat Crop

SEATTLE, April 1.—August Salberg, a large grain dealer of Quincy, Wash., in the Big Bend wheat belt, predicts a larger production of wheat in the Big Bend country in 1908 than has ever been known in the history of wheat growing in Washington. He says:

"The Big Bend wheat belt produced

about 12,000,000 bushels of wheat in 1907, but from the large increase in acreage this year the production should reach fully 20,000,000.

MARION DEMOCRATIC BANQUET

Jeffersonian Club Arranges Love-Feast for Salem Faithful.

SALEM, Or., April 1.—(Special.)—The Democrats of Marion County will gather at a banquet at Hotel Williams Tuesday evening, April 2, arranged by the Jeffersonian Club.

MUCH MONEY FOR HORSES

Salem Has Put Up \$300 and 50 Cups for Show.

SALEM, Or., April 1.—(Special.)—Over a hundred horses have been entered in the contests for premiums at the Salem Horse Show, to be held in this city Saturday, April 4.

SPEAK AT SPECIAL MEETINGS



Rev. E. A. Ross, of Los Angeles.

E. A. Ross, an evangelist of Los Angeles, is on his way to Portland from the Southland to take charge of the revival meetings that are under way at the Sunnyside Methodist Episcopal Church, of which Rev. T. B. Ford is pastor.

FRAUD IN LAND OFFICE

CHARGES BROUGHT AGAINST SEATTLE REGISTER.

J. Henry Smith Accused of Malfeasance and of Fraudulent Practices in Conducting the Office.

SOON TO BE SHIPPING COAL

Union Pacific Expects to Turn Out a Trainload a Day.

CENTRALIA, Wash., April 1.—(Special.)—A carload of machinery to be installed in the sawmill being erected at the Washington Union coal mines arrived today.

TACOMA SHIPPING NOTES

TACOMA, April 1.—Five Japanese women are still held on the American steamer Shawmut, which arrived from the Orient last Friday night.

Funeral of Dr. Jones

MEDFORD, Or., April 1.—(Special.)—The funeral of the late Dr. Walter S. Jones, who died Sunday evening from heart failure, was held today.

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DEATH IN A CANOE

Edna Yarnell, of Eugene, Is Drowned in Millrace.

FRIEND WITH HER SAVED

Vesta Davis Holds to Rock Until Rescued—Canoe Upsets in Swift-Flowing Current—Body Recovered Late at Night.

VARIED MARRIAGE TROUBLES

George Krohling Is Handed Divorce Decree and Bigamy Warrant.

SPOKANE, Wash., April 1.—(Special.)—George Krohling had just been handed a divorce decree from him and was leaving the witness stand, when a deputy sheriff arrested him on a charge of bigamy.

SAVING MONEY TO MAKE FIGHT

Ripplinger, Ex-Controller of Seattle, Says He Will Come Back.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 1.—(Special.)—The reason that John Ripplinger, the former City Controller, who is said to be an embassador to the extent of about \$85,000, is now in Honduras, is that he cannot find enough money to come back and make the legal fight that he must to keep himself out of prison.

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—the nineteenth day of April is Easter

It will not be a very satisfactory Easter to the man who does not wear a new suit of clothes—the Columbia Tailored kind. There is no tailor strike at the Columbia Shop. Therefore,

—order your suit now —get it in time

Here you can select from the latest ideas in cloths—the cut that strikes your fancy—he fitted by an artist—made the owner of an Easter suit that is a credit to you—a credit to us and something that will give you individuality among men.



GRANT PEGLEY, Mgr., Seventh and Stark Streets.

recently appointed as Captain of the Twenty-first Infantry, will proceed to Vancouver Barracks, Wash., and report to the Commanding General, Department of the Columbia.

Major James Canby, Paymaster, upon arrival at San Francisco, will proceed to Portland, Or., to assume the duties as Chief Paymaster of the Department of the Columbia.

BANKS FORM CLEARING-HOUSE

North Yakima Institutions Complete All Arrangements.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., April 1.—(Special.)—A clearing-house is to be established here at an early date, the bankers of the city having completed all arrangements save the election of a manager.

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Passe After Escaped Prisoner

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FREE PHONES ON FOURTH FLOOR SHARP REDUCTIONS On Pictures All This Week

Our Art Department on the FOURTH FLOOR contains the largest assortment of framed and unframed pictures on the PACIFIC COAST. Every week new goods are arriving from the East and we make no vain boast when we assure the public that at NO EXCLUSIVE ART STORE in the city can such an extensive assortment of beautiful and artistic pictures be found.

HERE ARE A FEW BARGAINS—WE HAVE MANY OTHERS

- The well-known Young Mother, in 1 1/2-inch gold molding frame, size 4x18, regular value 50c; our price 25c. Facsimile Water Colors, in 1 1/2-inch gold molding frame, size 3x16, with name plate, regular value 50c; our price 25c. Big assortment Pictures of all kinds, just the thing for cottage or cozy corner, values up to \$1.00; our price 25c.

FLOWER AND VEGETABLE SEEDS, 2 FOR 5c

- PROTECT YOUR CLOTHING: Against the ravages of moths. Mothproof Bags, large enough to hold any garment without folding. To prevent, smother and suffocate MOTHS, and to exclude DUST, MICE, etc. Will keep garments clean and fresh. For furs, muffs, overcoats, suits, hats, rugs, etc. All sizes up to 5 feet in length; prices ranging from 40c to 75c. Mothproof Sheets, for lining trunks and boxes. Will make any old trunk MOTHPROOF. Size 40x48 inches, per doz. sheets, 60c. Ask to see the Mothproof Muff Box, price 40c.
- NEW EASTER NOVELTIES: A large line of new Easter novelties just received. Among them are dozens of amusing mechanical toys. Prices range from 5c to \$2.50. Easter Postcards and Folders, thousands of them, all new and up-to-date. Ask to see them. Easter Egg Dyes, all the popular colors. Get a package and tint your eggs before Easter.

PHONES EXCHANGE 11—HOME A 6171, A 6172

SPRING REMEDIES

- Oregon Fruit Salts, cooling, pleasant and invigorating, excellent Spring remedy; per bottle 50c. Cascara Bark, Chittam, universal Spring tonic and laxative, an old and reliable remedy, pkg. 5c and 10c. Also in bulk. Phosphate Soda, for constipation, biliousness, etc., in sealed boxes, 15c and 25c.

We Will Charge It

The attention of the public is called to the fact that we do a large credit business. Many of our customers are aware of this and have taken advantage of our liberal system. To those who are not familiar with our generous method of extending credit, we wish to say that it is a pleasure to us to hear you say, charge it. Our chief desire is to make our store of service to you. We solicit your monthly account.

PAINTS AND VARNISHES

- Japalac, all colors, pint 40c. Enamels, all colors, can 15c. Floor Paints, per quart 45c. Varnishes, per can 15c up. Varnish Brushes, 10c up. Wire Screen Enamel, per can 15c. Stove Enamel, per can 15c. Bath Tub Enamel, can 25c. Varnish and Paint Remover 25c.

WOODARD, CLARKE & CO. THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY

MEDFORD SOLVES PROBLEM

MEDFORD, Or., April 1.—(Special.)—Medford residents are jubilant over the fact that the long-studied problem of water for the water proved to be practically solved.

Obtains Source of Pure Water Supply

MELTING SNOWS OF MOUNT PITT TO FURNISH CITY AT ESTIMATED COST OF \$300,000.

Revived

Old-Time Health, Eating Grape-Nuts. "I had been sick for 10 years with dyspepsia and a lot of complications," wrote an Ark. woman.

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Don't Wink At the Grocer

just look him straight in the eye and tell him you want Shredded Wheat and don't you accept any substitutes—in fact there is no "substitute" for Shredded Wheat—the cleanest and best of all the cereal foods.