

### END SIGHT OF NORMAL SQUABBLE

#### Fate of Two Schools to Be Decided by State Board Next Tuesday.

#### WILL ABANDON ONE, SURE

#### Recommendations of Regents Expected to Be Accepted by Legislature, Which Convenes in January.

SALEM, Or., June 22.—(Special.)—The Board of Regents of Oregon State Normal Schools will hold its annual meeting in this city on Tuesday of next week, and it is probable that at that time the normal school question will be practically settled.

While the Board has no absolute power in the matter and the question of how many and which normals shall be maintained is one for the Legislature to determine, yet it was understood when the Board was created that future Legislatures would be governed largely by the recommendations of the Board.

Legislatures have never been in a position to act intelligently upon the normal school question. The Board has had control of all the schools for a year, and had placed all of them upon a uniform working basis both as to courses of study and business management. Statistical reports have been received from each. In addition to this, Governor Chamberlain appointed a board of three visitors, City Superintendent Churchill, Baker City; City Superintendent Powers, of Salem; and City Superintendent Turner, of Grants Pass, to visit the normals, make careful investigation and report.

It is understood that these three prominent educators have made a thorough report and that they have been frank and free in pointing out the defects and needs of the normals. Their report will be before the Board of Regents next week. That there will be an effort at the Board meeting to recommend the abandonment of one and perhaps two of the normals is certain.

#### CHERRY FAIR AT DALLES

#### Large Attendance of Fruit Men From All Parts of State Expected.

THE DALLES, Or., June 22.—(Special.)—The cherry fair at the Dalles in this city from June 20 to July 2, under the auspices of the Business Men's Association, will take the place of a Fourth of July celebration on June 22. The fair is being held in connection with the exhibit of cherries and the attendant festivities, the State Horticultural Society will hold its mid-summer meeting on June 22. When it is expected that a large attendance of fruit growers from various portions of the state will be present.

#### SELECTING RIFLE RANGE

#### General Finzer Favorably Impressed With Conditions at Salem.

SALEM, Or., June 22.—(Special.)—Adjutant-General W. E. Finzer was in Salem today inquiring into details regarding the condition of the rifle range, and he will tomorrow decide where the National Guard rifle meet will be held. While he has not finally made up his mind, he expressed himself so strongly in favor of Salem that there seems little room for doubt that the teams from the 20 companies of the state will meet here. The meet is to be held July 20 and will last about a week. Practice shooting will begin on July 20. About 175 officers and men will be in attendance.

#### GRAND ARMY FILLS CITY

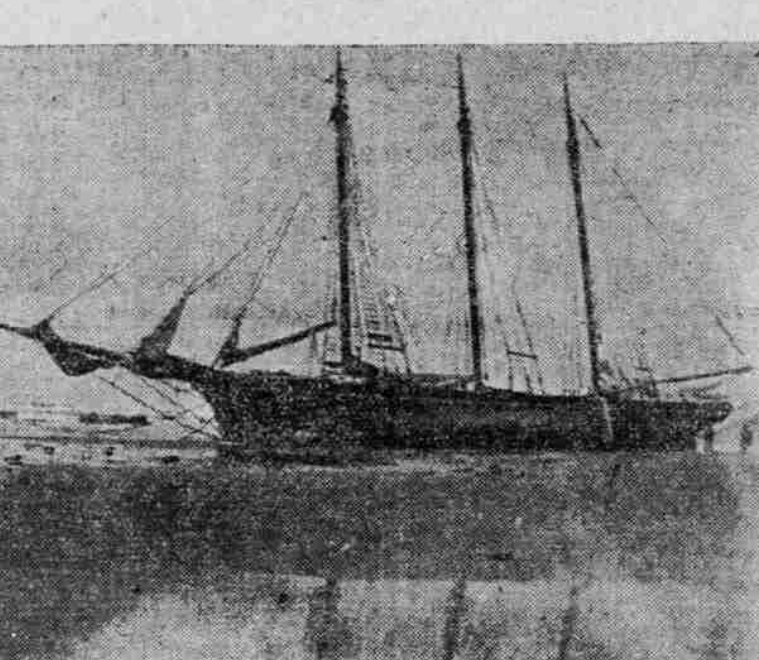
#### North Yakima Decorated in Honor of Civil War Veterans.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., June 22.—Scores of Grand Army veterans of Washington and Alaska are arriving today for the 26th annual encampment, which convenes tomorrow morning. The business blocks, residences and public buildings are decorated and the city is preparing to welcome the delegates with the most patriotic display on record. A reception was tendered tonight to Department Commander Mook, of Bellingham, in the rooms of the Commercial Club and a large and representative gathering of members of the Grand Army and citizens was in attendance. Delegates due to arrive tonight and tomorrow are 1500 in number.

#### Elgin Complains of Poor Service.

SALEM, Or., June 22.—(Special.)—Residents of Elgin, Union County, have complained to the Railroad Commission because the Elgin extension of the O. R. & N. carries baggage on its outbound train leaving at 1:15 P. M., and refuses to carry baggage on its train leaving at 6:15 P. M., on which most of the passengers ride. As a consequence of this service, which the complainants call "rotten," many people have to hire teams to handle their baggage in order to get it to La Grande in time to take the train from there.

### SCHOONER IDA SCHNAUER AS SHE APPEARS ON SANDS OF TILLAMOOK SPIT.



#### CREW BELIEVES VESSEL WAS UNDER A HOODOO.

BAY CITY, Or., June 22.—(Special.)—The three-masted schooner Ida Schnauer, which drifted ashore Wednesday, lies high up on the beach on the outside of Tillamook Spit a hopeless wreck. The hull of the vessel is gradually sinking into the sand, while the upper part is fast being broken up by the heavy breakers.

A strange coincidence in connection with the wrecking of the Ida Schnauer is the fact that Miss Ida Schnauer, the 14-year-old daughter of Captain John Schnauer, who built the schooner in 1875, after whom the vessel was named, committed suicide shortly after the boat was placed in service. The fact that three vessels wrecked near Tillamook Bay this year, or lost while bound for this port, were named after women, furnished cause for comment among the crew of the Ida Schnauer. These were the Emily Reed, Minnie E. Kelton and Ida Schnauer.

Since the wrecking of the Ida Schnauer the three-masted schooners Queen and Hugh Hogan, both the property of the Miami Lumber Company, appeared off Tillamook bar and were safely towed in by the tug George R. Vosberg. They are now being loaded with lumber at the Miami Lumber Company's sawmill plant at Hobsonville and will carry their cargo to California points.

### ALUMNI DAY AT EUGENE

#### GRADUATES RETURN FOR RE-UNION AT UNIVERSITY.

#### Commencement Week Exercises Open Auspiciously—Prize Orations in Villard Hall Tonight.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, June 22.—(Special.)—Commencement week opened auspiciously yesterday. More people turned out to hear the baccalaureate sermon by Rev. Herbert S. Johnson, of Boston, than could crowd into the spacious Villard Hall. Tonight will be the annual concert of the University school of music.

Large numbers of graduates are here to attend class reunions, and the alumni meeting tomorrow promises the largest turnout in the history of the organization. The annual banquet will be held on the campus at 1 P. M., and the flower and fern procession will take place in the evening. After this pretty feature, the Falling and Beckman orations will be delivered in Villard Hall. The Falling prize is an annual award of \$50 given to the senior who writes and delivers the best oration at the annual senior oratorical exercises during commencement week. The Beckman prize is an award of \$50 given under the same conditions as the Falling prize for the second best oration. At the tryout early in the year the following six orators were chosen to compete for the Falling and Beckman prizes: Bert W. Prescott, Wesley M. Wire, Dell McCarty, Miriam Van Waters, Emily Muir and Cora Cameron.

It is estimated that 1500 people heard Rev. Herbert S. Johnson's sermon to the graduating class yesterday. Many more were unable to gain admittance to the crowded hall. Mr. Johnson is a graduate of the University class of '87. His father was first president of the University of Oregon. Rev. Mr. Johnson is now pastor of the Warren-street Baptist Church in Boston.

#### CLOSING WEEK AT MONMOUTH

#### Sermon to Class Delivered by Rev. Dr. Wilson, of Portland.

MONMOUTH, Or., June 22.—(Special.)—Commencement exercises at the State Normal School opened Saturday evening, with the Greek mythological comedy, "Pygmalion and Galatea," given by the student dramatic club. All parts were well sustained. Praise is due Miss Tutthill, professor of elocution, for the careful training and supervision of this play.

The sermon to the class was delivered on Sunday morning by Rev. Dr. Wilson, of Portland.

### HUBBARD PIONEER DIES AT THE AGE OF 97.



The Late Elizabeth Eberhard. HUBBARD, Or., June 22.—(Special.)—Mrs. Elizabeth Eberhard, who died Sunday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Mrs. A. Coyle, in this city, was born in Armstrong County, Pa., April 1, 1811. At the age of 4 years, she removed with her parents to Ohio, where she was married to the late B. G. Eberhard January 1, 1832. In 1837, Mr. and Mrs. Eberhard removed to Michigan, and in 1853 to Oregon.

To this union were born 10 children, five of whom survive: Mrs. Elizabeth Ridgeway, San Jose, Cal.; Henry L. of Salem, Or.; Mrs. J. B. Dimick and Mrs. A. Coyle of Hubbard, and Elias E. of Portland.

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"I was afflicted with inflammatory rheumatism for twenty years and had received only temporary relief from the doctors. About three years ago I was helpless in bed with it. I could not use either hand or foot for over two months and suffered intense pain. My limbs were swollen and I could not move at all without great pain. I had sleepless nights and thought I would never be able to get around again. My friends and comrades thought I was going to die.

I had paid out a lot of money in doctors' bills but was not cured. One day an old war comrade urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as he knew of cases they had cured. Before I had taken them a great while, I was feeling much better. I improved rapidly and was able to get out of bed and move around. I am now in perfect health and have not had a touch of rheumatism in any part of my body since."

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#### PLEDGES ROAD FUND

#### Forest Grove Raises Subsidy for Oregon Electric.

#### Business Men and Property-Owners Give \$4300 for Rights of Way and Terminals—Construction Work Will Begin by July 1.

FOREST GROVE, Or., June 22.—(Special.)—Extension of the Oregon Electric Railway from Hillsboro to this city was assured this afternoon when the railroad committee of the Forest Grove Board of Trade secured pledges amounting to \$4300 for purchase of rights of way and terminal grounds.

Construction work is expected to begin by July 1, and the management of the electric railway has promised to have trains into this city by October 31. In fact, this is one of the conditions under which the money is pledged.

The terminal grounds are to be located in the heart of this city. The distance from Forest Grove to the present terminus of the railroad in Hillsboro is about six miles.

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#### EUGENE DOCTOR CARELESS

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"That his death was caused by criminal carelessness of Dr. George O. B. de Barr, said Dr. de Barr at time of giving dip-

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#### Man on Trial for Using Scythe Against Pitchfork.

ALBANY, Or., June 22.—(Special.)—David F. Young, an Albany painter, who slashed Joshua Ballard, a neighbor, with a scythe, last Fall, was placed on trial in the Circuit Court today on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon. He is making a strong case of self-defense, claiming Ballard attacked him with a pitchfork, and neighbors give varying versions of the unique fight with harvest weapons.

#### Grammer School Graduates.

OREGON CITY, Or., June 22.—(Special.)—The following pupils have been grad-

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