

CLOUDS TODAY; MORE SNOW

Weather Will Moderate This Afternoon, Says Beals in Official Forecast.

BAROMETER HINTS AT RAIN

Low-Pressure Area Off Coast May Bring Showers, but It Seems Forlorn Hope — How the Storm Affects Average Human.

SUMMARY OF STORM CONDITIONS

District Forecaster Beals says the weather will moderate slowly by this afternoon in the vicinity of Portland and in Southern Oregon. Increasing cloudiness, probably followed by snow, is predicted, with easterly winds.

And still the grip of the weather, an old man of the sea, astride Portland's shoulders, holds fast. Sidewalks slippery with powdered snow, partially constructed buildings, skeletonized in deserted streets, reaching their half-cleared snow, but in most of the residence districts only a beginning has been made.

Beal & Co. have moved to their new brick warehouse at 396-395 East Yamhill, opposite the John Deere Plow Co.

WANTS TO HEAR THE FRYING-PAN STORIES. YES, I RECKON I'LL THAW SOMETIME, AND THEN THINGS WON'T BE IN SUCH A MUDDLE.

"Well," said the man at the sporting-goods counter, "there has been no passenger train through the Columbia River canyon on the O. R. & N. since Sunday morning. No. 2, the eastbound Chicago train, leaving Portland at 9:15 A. M. Sunday, got through the drifts, but the operating crew was unable to get through the snow banks without a great deal of success.

SNOW BLOCKADE ON O. R. & N.

No train since Sunday able to get through drifts. No trains succeeded in getting through the snow blockade on the O. R. & N. yesterday. There has been no passenger train through the Columbia River canyon on the O. R. & N. since Sunday morning.

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RUDE BEDS FURNISHED MEN, HOMELESS, WHO SEEK WORK

Strayer Mission, Fourth and Couch Streets, With Open Door Gives Shelter to Flotsam and Jetsam Who Roam Streets.

DOWN on the corner of Fourth and Couch streets stands the Strayer Mission. At the top of the rather ragged-looking building is the legend of a laundryman. At the bottom is a door where various hungry men and homeless unfortunates go in and out.

Heavy Eastern Mail Tonight.

Heavy Eastern mail is expected in this evening, according to the postal authorities. It has been due for two days, and is confidently predicted to arrive before night.

Notes of the Courts.

C. P. Bradshaw, E. A. Hollinshead and Adelbert Field were appointed by Judge Webster, of the County Court, yesterday, as administrators of the estate of the late Mrs. W. C. Stearns.

GASSENDORFF TELLS OWN STORY

Writes for Oregonian History of Experiences With French Army in Africa.

CONSUL MAY TAKE ACTION

Has Sent to Victoria for Papers and Credentials Young Man Says Will Prove His Identity—Help May Come From Family.

Winrich von Gtug Gassendorff, who is the eldest son of the late Count von Gassendorff, of Dortmund, Westphalia, appeared in the Municipal Court yesterday morning to answer the charge of obtaining money by false pretenses. He was brought to Portland from San Francisco Sunday by Detective Smith.

Taken to County Jail.

Von Gassendorff was removed yesterday from the City to the County Jail. Mr. Taylor, acting as warden, stated that the young man, called at headquarters yesterday and declared that he would willingly withdraw all charges, provided it was established that the young man is not responsible for his acts as the result of injuries sustained years ago to his head.

Story of African Life.

BY WINRICH VON GtUG GASSENDORFF. I do not know the English language very well. I can speak it, but I write with difficulty.

EIGHT ENTER PLEAS

Defendants in Criminal Cases Appear in Court.

TWO CONFESS TO CRIMES

Culprits Plead Guilty and Receive Sentence — Others, Including Murderer Osborne Edwards, Will Stand Trial.

Eight accused men appeared before Presiding Judge Gantenbein, in the Circuit Court yesterday afternoon, to plead. Two admitted their guilt. The others said they were innocent. Among the latter was Osborne Edwards, accused of murder in the first degree for the shooting of Thomas J. McCallard on January 5. Judge Gantenbein was at first inclined to set this case for trial in February, thus allowing plenty of time for Attorney Tazewell to hear from Edwards' relatives in South Carolina, but desiring to bring the case to trial as soon as possible, he decided that he will not set it for a few days.

Tale of Capture and Escape.

The second day out we were captured by the insurgents and thrown into prison at Mara Bu. On the third day after that my companion knocked the guard down and we escaped, clad only in our underclothes. We made our way to the French town (in the manuscript Von Gassendorff attempts to spell out the name, but it is not decipherable) and after a rest of a few days, started on our reinforcements to aid our comrades.

CONTEMPT DECISION NOT HELD

Judge Gantenbein Says C. E. Lockwood, Attorney, Vindicated.

LITTLE WARMER PROMISED

Increasing Cloudiness and More Snow Is Local Forecast.

Table with 2 columns: STATIONS and WEATHER. Lists various locations like Baker City, Bend, etc., and their weather conditions.

RUNAWAY CAUSED OF SUIT

Driver Charged With Giving Reins to Boy Before Accident.

Joe Farrell, by Mrs. A. M. Farrell, his guardian, recently filed a damage suit in the Circuit Court against A. C. Grossman and W. C. Day, of the Washington Creamery Company. Farrell said he was employed to drive a wagon, and was given an unbroken animal, which became unmanageable and threw him out, when it ran away and smashed the vehicle against a telephone pole at Fourteenth and Burnside streets.

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Is a stepping stone to success and wealth.

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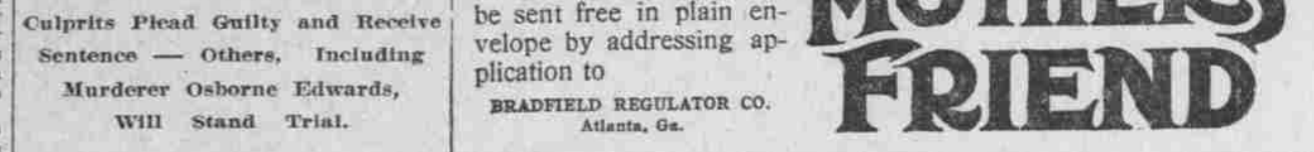
In place of coffee is a stepping stone to health

Clean Gutters Next Curbs.

PORTLAND, Jan. 11.—(To the Editor:—) Reading in The Oregonian the other day that the police unearched an old ordinance, passed in 1888, by which they were ordered to remove the snow from sidewalks, might it not be well to have the city order all property-owners and tenants to clean their gutters next the curb facing their premises when they come. If the gutters are not cleaned, every one will be liable for the snow which will be blown over the sidewalks as it melts.

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