

Then Stanton whipped out a .38-calibe

revolver and while standing within a few paces of his wife and her brother he shot. The bullets went wide and they recaped unhurt. MAN IS REPORTED MISSING IN LODGING-HOUSE BLAZE.

#### Policeman Sees Self-Destruction.

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Depaty Coroner Dunning was noti-fied and removed the body to the Morgue.

#### Stanton Had Served Sentence.

Stanton Had Served Sentence. Although the police endeavored to spin some information from Stanton's widow, and the neighbors in the vicin-ity, concerning the antecedants of the suicide, they found it almost impossi-ble. Threats of arrest failed to have the desired effect. It was learned, however, that the parents of the suicide reside in Saler, where he served a sentence for at-tempting to kill Councilman James Good of Salem, 18 months ago. Stan-tom at that time was courting Good's daughter against the wishes of the Councilman. The result was Stanton shot Good in the chin and was sen-tenced to the penitentiary, completing his sentence of one year shortly before his marriage to the women and at tempting to the third of a series of

is an investigation of the which he at-isometed to kill last night. Stanton was the third of a series of suikides in the 34 hours ending yes-terday. One of the most pathetic of the recent suikides in Portland was that of Mrs. Clara Snyder pesterday. She was found dead by her husband, a teamster, in their home at 945 Wil-liams avenue. She inhaled illuminat-ing gas fumes. In an adjoining room Mrs. Snyder had placed her three-weeks-old babe, where it would be safe from the poisonous fumes, then penned a farewell note to her husband, whom she married only ten months

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Manager Hafer of the lumber company says that the fire will do but little dam-age as long as it is in the yellow pine, which is not brushy, but fears are en-tertained that the fire will reach the Douglas fir belt, a short distance to the west, where the fires will be more disas-trous, as that kind of timber is very brushy. There are no settlers burned in the

Conditions Worse Than at Any Time

Previous in Western Section.

Landlady and Chum Unhurt by Jump From Second-Story Win-FIRES RAGING IN MONTANA

dow-Others Narrowly Escape.

Escape cut off by a fire which threat-ened their lives at 1 o'clock this morn-ing, two women jumped from the sec-ond story window of a frame lodging-

ond story window of a frame lodging-house at Second and Madison streets, into the arms of two policemen. They were practically unhurt. The fire caused about \$10,000 damage. Three buildings were ablaze for a time. As soon as the blaze had been quenched a search was instituted for George Simonds, a painter, who was asleep in one of the buildings and was reported missing by the landlady. At 2.30 he had not been found. The two women who made the frantic-leap to escape the smoke and flames were panies in this district make the forest fire situation today as bad as at any time since the fires started. The high winds of yesterday fanned up old fires and car-ried several new ones over much terri-tory. The fifth fire on Nine Mile Creek, 15 miles west of this city, broke out to-day and a call for more men was re-ceived.

only and a call for more men was re-ceived. Sixty men fought all night and today against a new blaze along the Milwau-kee right of way, two miles west of Nine Mile, and it is still beyond control. New fires have broken out at the mouth of Rock Creek and at Summit, in the Lewis and Clark reserve. In Deadman's Guich a bad fire started yesterday and as yet has defied a large crew of men. The fire in the Big Blacktoot lumber camp's timber northeast of Clinton is also burning badly. The only report to-day of better conditions came from the Cabinet reserve, where rains helped ex-tinguish the flames. leap to escape the smoke and fiames were Mrs. Fays Fox, proprietor of a rooming-house at 240 Madison street, in the rear of which the fire started, and Miss Mabel Flax, her chum, who was a guest at the house

house. Both were asleep when the fire started and when aroused, they hurried toward the rear exit. Forced to turn back, they ran to the windows. Patrolmen Johnson and Thatcher stood in the street below. The women called to them, one of them jumping at about the same time. The other quickly followed. The policemen caught them in their arms. Mrs. Pox sus-tained a bruised right arm, but Miss Flax was unhurt. It was Mrs. Fox who expressed the fear WIND RIVER FIRE PUT OUT

Invade Mt. Rainier Reserve.

Flax. was unhurt. It was Mrs. Fox who expressed the fear that Simonds had failed to escape. Many narrow escapes were reported during the fire, which burned filercely for a time, extending several numbers on both Second and Madison streets. Reside the frame building occupied

on both Second and Madison streets. Beside the frame building occupied by Mrs. Fox's rooming-house, the fire damaged another lodging-house, oper-ated by Mrs. Kate Love, the Fuller Mission and the Chicago shoe store, the Oregon tailor shop and an empty sa-loon building owned by August Dehne. The upper floor of the saloon building was occupied by the Wenatchie lodg-ing-house.

der control. The fire stasted from a donkey engine operated by the Wind River Lumber Company. Forest rangers were immediately on the ground, and with the help of over 50 men have been fighting the flames for sev-eral days. The fire crossed over to the west side in close proximity to the Mount Rainier forest reserve, but was soon under control. ing-house. The Wind River Lumber Company re-sorts a loss of nearly \$10,000 worth of DIPHTHERIA MAY BE FATAL

Three Children Contract Disease;

reasure when his plow struck the brick wall BOY INJURED BY EAGLE

MISSOULA. Mont. July 25.-Reports from forestry officials and mining com-panies in this district make the forest fire Sister Drives Bird Off.

CHICAGO, July 7L-(Special.)-A 9-yearold son of William Belmont, who old son of William Belmont, who resides near Jollet, Ill., may die from wounds inflicted by an eagle which attacked the child while he was at play in his father's yard. The boy was poisoned by the talons of the bird, which finally was beaten off by his older sister and killed by men who later came to her assistance. The bird measured seven feet from tip to ti of wings.

Camels in South Australia.

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#### WISE WORDS

#### A Physician on Food.

A physician out in Oregon has views about food. He says: "I have always believed that the duty

HUSUM, Wash. July 2.-(Special)-The forest fire that has been raging for the past six days 10 miles north of here near the Winegarden ranch is now un-der control. The fire started from a

"I have always believed that the duty of the physician does not cease with treating the sick, but that we owe it to humanity to teach them how to protect their health especially by hygienic and detette laws." "With such a feeling as to my duty I take great pleasure in saying to the public that in my own experience and also from personal observation I have found no food to equal Grape-Nuts and that I find there is almost no limit to the great benefit this food will bring when used in all cases of sickness and convalescence.

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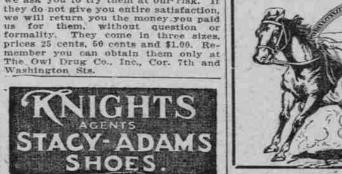
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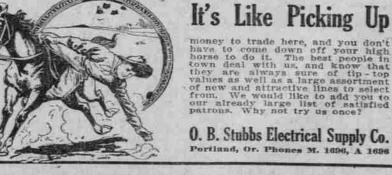
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