

WHERE THE METEORIT WAS SEEN MYSTERY

Some People Think It Struck on Coast, Others Say It Fell in Ocean.

VIEW AT BEACH DESCRIBED

All Who Saw Wonder Agree It Resembled Ball of Fire and Carried Long Tail, Which Emitted Column of Smoke.

No one has come forward with a solution of the mystery connected with the immense meteor which passed through the sky in Western Oregon, last Sunday. Dozens saw it, and while the versions generally agree that it was a large ball of fire, with a long tail emitting smoke, no person seems to know where the meteor hit the earth. Some believe that it struck somewhere on the Oregon coast; others think it fell into the ocean.

CITIZENS DISCUSS METEOR

Moves Like Skyrocket. With White Light, 50 Miles Above Earth. SEASIDE, Ore., Sept. 5.—(To the Editor.)—Your description and estimate that the meteor that passed over Oregon yesterday is correct according to account given me by Mr. and Mrs. William Chesney, who were standing in front of my cottage on the board walk and saw it pass westward over Tillamook Head. It seemed to us to fall in the ocean had it not been so hazy. They thought it struck the water not very far from the Tillamook light-house. They describe it as looking like a skyrocket, and that it thought it was the head was brighter than the sun as it passed under and looked like a ball of fire followed by a tail of white and red smoke, with three distinct reports, which sounded to them like distant cannonading, the first being the loudest. D. C. H. RAFFETY.

ALBANY COLLEGE, Albany, Or., Sept. 5.—(To the Editor.)—Fred Fortmiller, of Albany, saw the Oregon meteor yesterday shortly after 10 o'clock. He saw it through only a short part of its course, as it went behind a building when just west of north. It was between 15 degrees and 20 degrees above the northern horizon and moved to the west in a horizontal course. It appeared much like a skyrocket, with very white light, and sounded like a past of north when he first noticed it. Frank Hubert and a party of seven or eight others saw the meteor through its whole course, and he had seen a house about ten miles due south of Albany. It appeared some 20 degrees or more high and had a trail of sparks some six or seven degrees long. They saw it for 40 degrees or more in a course nearly west from a point east of north, nearly to the northwest part of the sky. It moved slowly, lasting some seconds or more, and dropped very little until near the end of its course, when it seemed to drop much faster.

SENIOR M. A. MILLER had a glimpse of the meteor, and he followed it as it was soon obstructed. He inclines to place it higher in the sky than others. If it appeared nearly as high at Lehigh as here, it must have been from 50 to 100 miles above the earth. Its position at Albany can be determined with accuracy, but the angle has not yet been measured.

IN this connection, an incident related by Dr. William Dexter Wilson, professor of psychology at Cornell University, years ago, is of interest. He and many others saw a very large meteor explode high in the sky. At the moment of the explosion he heard a very loud report, and he reported the noise from it, and all agreed that the noise was heard immediately after the explosion was seen. When reports of the position of this meteor were in from surrounding towns, the meteor was found to have been 60 miles high. Sound would have required fully five minutes to travel to the earth. Hence Dr. Wilson explains the incident as proved to have been merely expectation that excited his auditory nerves and produced the merely subjective sound that he heard. The fragment was a bright streak of light, and the illustration of the somewhat uncertain character of sense perception has ever been given by the Oregonian.

METEOR FRAGMENT IN LAKE

Several Persons Tell of Hearing Hissing Sound as It Fell.

SALEM, Ore., Sept. 6.—(Special.)—Robert Norwood and young son, who were fishing Sunday in Horse Lake near St. Paul, 21 miles north of Salem, were startled when a piece of the meteorite which swept across the sky at midday that day fell into the lake, followed by a hissing sound and a belching of steam like a geyser. Many neighbors who live miles away from the lake report that they heard the noise of the fragment when it struck the water. Neither Norwood nor his son saw the main body of the meteor. Horse Sho

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PEOPLES AMUSEMENT COMPANY'S MID-WEEK PROGRAMME CHANGES. SEAN TERRY TODAY. Biograph, A Summer Idyl, satirical.

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PANAMA CANAL LECTURE ON. Claude N. Bennett Gives Stereoscopic Address at Y. M. C. A.

OF vital importance to Portland citizens is the relation this city has with the Panama Canal. This relationship will be vividly presented to local citizens when Claude N. Bennett, manager of the Congressional Information Bureau...

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MEETING NOTICES. WASHINGTON LODGE, NO. 44. A. F. AND A. M.—Stated communication this (Wednesday) evening, 7:30.

WESTERN OREGON TRUST CO. 272 STARK. A beautiful 8-room house, with large living-room, large dining-room, modern plumbing.

ALBERTA STREET \$7500 \$76 Monthly. This is a rare offer. Perhaps nothing in Portland today at \$10,000 any better.

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Millions of Dollars in Gold. Values lying dormant in already developed mines, within twenty miles of the Sumpter Smelter in Eastern Oregon, wait a ready cash market want.

FUNERAL NOTICES. BURIED—Sept. 5.—Grace Reed, aged 26 years, died at her home, Tuesday, Sept. 5, at 2 P. M. Interment Riverside Cemetery.

TONNETH FLORAL CO. MARRIAGE DESIGNS. 1101 Commercial, Phone Main 2102, A. 1102.

ERICKSON CO.—Undertakers; lady assistant. 409 Alder. M. 6133, A. 2235.

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NEW TODAY. 84 Acres. 8 miles from Portland on the Oregon Water Power line.

\$200 Per Acre. 1/4 cash will handle it, the balance can remain; 6 per cent.

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NEW TODAY. \$300. Each two good lots University Park. \$400. Each, five level lots College Place, near North Bank Depot.

NEW TODAY. \$600. East Twenty-eighth street, Ina Park. \$750. Fine lot in Vernon (corner).

NEW TODAY. \$600. East 22d st., Westmoreland. Cheapest lot in the tract.

NEW TODAY. \$2850. 7 rooms, corner, full cement basement. Easy terms.

NEW TODAY. \$10,000. See this beauty just off Thompson street. Everything a particular family desires; too elaborate to describe; nothing about it cheap except the price, \$4500 cash.

NEW TODAY. \$800. An acre for quick sale, 5 acres Main street, Lentz.

NEW TODAY. \$900. An acre, 15 acres, adjoining the above.

NEW TODAY. \$1000. An acre, 10 acres, part of above with house, barn and chicken-house, all in cultivation.

NEW TODAY. \$5000. 1/2 acre, Jennings Lodge, on two roads, all in cultivation; 6-room house; Jersey cow; cultivator and small implements included.

NEW TODAY. \$35,000. Close-in, near Portland Hotel and new theater; \$25,000 cash.

NEW TODAY. \$41,000. Washington street, income \$2600. A fine down-town buy.

NEW TODAY. Half Block between Second and Irving streets, 75 feet off with 200 feet frontage. This is the center of activity in the new wholesale and manufacturing district. If interested, call.

NEW TODAY. Own Your Home. We have an extra nice, well-built house that was built for a home by the owner. His circumstances changed and he wants to sell now. This is your chance.

NEW TODAY. 7-Room, Modern. 50x97 lot, brick front, porch, large sleeping porch, fireplace, furnace, built-in bookcase and buffet. In fact, south of the Sandy road. This house was not built to sell and has cost much more than it is selling for. Only \$1000 cash to handle it. It will pay you to investigate.

NEW TODAY. Western Oregon Trust Co. 272 STARK ST.

NEW TODAY. River View Farm. 200-acre farm, fronting on the Willamette River is miles from Portland, south road, good 8-room house, large barn, 12 acres peach orchard, family orchard, 10 acres berries, etc. Feed, tools, stock, etc. included. Price \$225 per acre. Will take good city income property in exchange.

NEW TODAY. \$500 Saved. Irvington lot, 50x166 feet, Weidler, near 22d; alley. OWNER, Main 493.

NEW TODAY. Investigate. Do You Know There Is Money in Apples?

Do you know that you can buy land on terms to fit your income from us that will produce the finest quality of Spitzenberg and Yellow Newtowns in a district now famous for its prize fruit? This land is just across the Columbia River from Hood River. We can sell you the best of apple land on terms to suit, or 10 per cent cash and small monthly payments on the balance.

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NEW TODAY. Columbia Trust Company. 84 FOURTH STREET. Board of Trade Building.

NEW TODAY. The Best Buy in Irvington. 100x100 \$2500 Terms. F. E. TAYLOR & CO., 402 and 403 Lewis Bldg.

NEW TODAY. EAST ANKENY ST. HOME. At a bargain by owner giving up housekeeping, 8 rooms, good condition, easy terms and a bargain.

NEW TODAY. Ladd's Addition SWELL HOME. New, strictly modern, 9-room house, with all the latest improvements; furnace, fireplace, den, sleeping porch, built-in bookcase and buffet. In fact, nothing missing which makes a complete home, on an 80-foot wide, well-located lot, with sidewalk and all other city work in and paid. Price only \$5600, about \$3200 cash, balance terms.

NEW TODAY. Grussi & Zadow. 317 Board of Trade Bldg., 4th and Oak.

NEW TODAY. IRVINGTON. 6-room house, \$5500. 7-room house, \$5000. 8-room bungalow, \$7500. 8-room house, \$9000. 9-room house, \$12,000.

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NEW TODAY. PALMER-JONES CO., H. P. 213 Commercial. Schalk, Geo. D., 228 Stark St. Main 582-2392. SHINDLER & HALL, 205 Abington Bldg.

NEW TODAY. REAL ESTATE. For Sale—Lots. NON-RESIDENT going East must have money will sell 1000 ft. of land on the Willamette River, on boulevard, alley; 400 men employed near by; the coming manufacturing part of Portland, on the Peninsula; \$50 plus you in possession of one; balance cash. Will be 15 to 20 years old. My friend's car, a B. M. to P. M., 304 Lewis Bldg., E. C. Hurlier.

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NEW TODAY. HOLLADAY QUARTER BLOCK. For quick sale under the Peninsula tunnel, will buy the southwest corner of the best quarter block in the district and it is surrounded by beautiful homes; half cash and half on 100-foot street, AG 271, Oregonian.

NEW TODAY. ALAMEDA LOT. A fine lot on Alameda drive, good view, south front, hard-surface street and cement sidewalk included in the price. Price \$1250; a bargain; part cash and part on 100-foot street, AG 271, Oregonian. GRUSSI & ZADOW. 317 Board of Trade Bldg., 4th and Oak.

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NEW TODAY. ELEGANT HOME. MAGNIFICENT VIEW. Commanding a broad view of Portland, Willamette River and the snow-capped mountains. This is one of the most modern and artistic new homes in Portland. It is situated on an acre of ground with substantial retaining wall; house contains 7 large, bright, airy rooms, with windows overlooking the river and the mountains. Living-rooms to a 10-foot massive porch across whole front of house (40 ft. wide); living room 13x22, beamed ceiling and paneled walls and 4-ft. arched fireplace. Dining room 10x12, beamed ceiling and paneled walls, built-in buffet and china cabinet. Plate rack, built-in range and refrigerator. Bath room 5x8, tiled, with built-in tub. It would take one whole column of space in this paper to describe this home; grounds, trees, shrubs, flowers and fruit. A year ago owner would have asked \$12,000 for this home, but he is especially for himself and from his own plans. Today it is offered at \$12,000, and people need not apply. To those who wish to see this home, call on me, without delay. It is fit for a millionaire and within the reach of the man with modern means. JOSEPH H. JOHNSTON. 32 Lafayette Bldg., Washington & 6th.

NEW TODAY. ABSOLUTE BARGAIN. NOB HILL HOME. \$5000—10-room dwelling and one full-size lot, 100x100 feet, north front, in choice location, west of 23d st., Nob Hill district; lot 100x100 feet, with 10-foot alley, while it's not new, is strictly modern, with hardwood floors, fireplace, large entry with well-laid carpet, sleeping porch, room enough for three bedrooms, 10x12, beamed ceiling and paneled walls, well-equipped laundry room and new furnace and full-size lot, with 10-foot alley, and a reduced price, in order to effect a quick sale. JAMES J. FLYNN. 512 Chamber of Commerce.

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