

FOREST RANGERS BLOCK FIRE PATH

Fighters Make Stand at Edge of Green Timber and Stay Flames.

TOILERS HOPE FOR CALM

Mill City Blaze Is Under Control and Conflagration at Thomas Creek Is Checked—No New Fires in Linn County.

ALBANY, Or., July 27.—(Special.)—No new fires were reported today in Linn County and with the Mill City blazes virtually extinguished and the Thomas Creek fire almost checked, forest fire conditions in this part of the state are greatly improved tonight.

Concentrating all the efforts of a big crew of firefighters at the edge of the green timber surrounding the area in which the fire was burning, forest rangers today succeeded in checking the progress of the blaze which has burned for five days about three miles southeast of Mill City. The fire is yet burning in stumps, logs and fallen trees over a wide extent of territory but its forward sweep has been stopped and while it probably will smoulder along in places for several days, all danger of a further spread is over.

Battle With Fire Lost

A big crew of workmen from the mill and logging camps of the Curtis Lumber Company and several forest rangers have battled with this fire for several days. They finally found they could not check its course through the fallen logs and brush and old dry trunks in the logged-off lands in which it was burning, so the fight was concentrated at the edge of the green timber. Work was begun there some time before the fire reached this point, trenches were dug and patrol lines established. This resulted in success when the fire reached the green timber last night and early today. This fire has covered considerable territory but was confined entirely to an old burn and logged-off lands. The Curtis Company's work in that part of the county for several years having cleared the good timber from a wide area in the vicinity where the flames started.

Fire Notable of Year

Though very little green timber was burned and virtually no loss was occasioned in that manner, this will be one of the notable forest fires of the year in Oregon in that it caused a loss estimated at between \$75,000 and \$80,000 when it wiped out the entire equipment of Curtis Lumber Company's logging camp No. 8, burned 14 flatcars and several bridges, and destroyed the thirty-six extra men have been sent out to Forest Supervisor Barton and Warden A. J. Warren, of the Pen d'Oreille Protective Association. These men and a large force of forest rangers and section hands are assisting the regular fire patrols.

EIGHT IDAHO FIRES RAGING

Force of Blase-Fighters Rushed to Sand Point District.

SPOKANE, July 27.—Reports from Sandpoint, Idaho, today indicate that eight forest fires are burning in the Panhandle section adjacent to that city. Thirty-six extra men have been sent out to Forest Supervisor Barton and Warden A. J. Warren, of the Pen d'Oreille Protective Association. These men and a large force of forest rangers and section hands are assisting the regular fire patrols.

COURT CALLS FIRE MEETING

Lane County Plans to Have Forests Systematically Patrolled.

EUGENE, Or., July 27.—(Special.)—Recognizing the grave danger of forest fires to the property of the entire county, the Lane County Court is taking steps today to have a systematic fire fighting and patrolling.

LAWYERS BALK AT HOT AIR

Salem's Legal Lights Don't Like Heat—So Decide to Close Early.

SALEM, Or., July 27.—(Special.)—All the leading lawyers in the city have signed an agreement that they will close their offices each afternoon at 2 o'clock until September 1, and say, for the first time in history, as far as is known here, lawyers have tried to evade "hot air."

MOTHER IS DENIED GIRLS

Juvenile Officers Declare Pendleton Woman Unfit as Parent.

PENDLETON, Or., July 27.—(Special.)—Glady's Whitworth, aged 14, and her sister Juanita Whitworth, aged 8, were taken from their mother Tuesday by the officers of the Juvenile Court, on the ground that the mother is not a fit person to have charge of the girls. Gladys was a member of the joy riding party which came to grief early Sunday morning when eight persons were injured.

HINDU TRUSTS STRANGER

Fearing Fellow-Countrymen, Native Asks Farmer to Keep \$1300.

SALEM, Or., July 27.—(Special.)—When Casper Meyers, a young

farmer living near the State Reform School, was accosted by a Hindu on a lonely road he was surprised, but his surprise reached the stage of open-mouthed astonishment when the Hindu forced a roll of bills amounting to \$1300 in Meyers' hands and asked that he keep the money for him.

YAMHILL AND POLK COUNTY PIONEERS AGED 77, DIES AT AMITY

John E. Dickey, 77 years old, a pioneer of Yamhill and Polk counties, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Booth, near Bethel, last Saturday.



John E. Dickey.

Mr. Dickey was born in Jackson County, Missouri, February 9, 1833, and came to Oregon in 1853 with his parents. In 1874 he married Miss Martha Savage, who died in 1882. Nine children were born to them, five of whom survive. The children are Mrs. Mary Yacum, Noel and Preston Dickey, Joseph, Mrs. Nora Booth, of Amity, and Mrs. Ethel Elliott, of Perrydale.

Funeral services were held Monday at the Marmery Baptist Church in Polk County, and interment was made in the cemetery at that place.

the woods and started along the road when he met Meyers.

Superintendent Looney heard the man's story and took him to Portland where he was placed in the care of the British Consul.

STUDENTS' LIVES IN PERIL

Auto Speeders Race Along Drives; All Cars May Be Barred.

EUGENE, Or., July 27.—(Special.)—After repeated warnings to speed maniacs who persisted in driving their machines at high speed through the grounds of the State University, the authorities of the institution yesterday closed all the straightaway drives, forcing automobiles to travel the grounds by an exceedingly roundabout course. This, it is believed, will make them travel slowly.

LODGE MAN THOUGHT DEAD

Train Victim Believed Missing Centralia Woodman.

CENTRALIA, Wash., July 27.—(Special.)—It is believed in Centralia that the man giving his name as John Hill, who died at the Railroad Hospital in Tacoma July 14 after being run down by a Northern Pacific train near Tenino, was Andrew Juine, who mysteriously disappeared from Chehalis several weeks ago after telling his wife that he was going to Tono to look for employment.

ROSEBURG FIRE INCENDIARY

Department Store Burned Following Apparent Robbery.

ROSEBURG, Or., July 27.—(Special.)—Incendiarism preceded by an apparent attempt at robbery was responsible for the almost complete destruction of the Fair department store, owned by A. S. Wilson, early today. Mr. Wilson estimates his loss at \$4500, upon which he carried \$4000 insurance.

TEMPERANCE WORKER WED

Centralia W. C. T. U. Lecturer Married to Prominent Farmer.

CHEHALIS, Wash., July 27.—(Special.)—A wedding of particular interest to Chehalis and Centralia folk took place last night at the Methodist parsonage at Centralia, when Rev. Robert E. Reid united in marriage D. L. Bean and Mrs. Mattie N. Graves, both of Centralia.

EUGENE CHINESE GAMBLER ARRESTED

EUGENE, Or., July 27.—(Special.)—The

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Bargains in Standard Toilet Preparations

- 50c Hay's Hair Health...39c
\$1.00 Pinaud's Eau de Quinine...65c
\$1.00 Pinaud's Lilas Vegetal...59c
25c Bathasweet...12c
25c Kolyon's Tooth Paste...16c
25c Calox Tooth Powder...16c
50c Sempre Givonne...29c
50c Charles Flesh Food...32c
50c Pompeian Massage Cream...27c
25c Swansdown Powder...9c
50c Java Riz Powder...28c
25c Sanitol Cream...15c
25c Euthymol Tooth Paste...10c
50c Dickey's Creme de Lis...32c

Bargains in Bathing and New Rubber Goods

- 95c 3-quart Water Bottle...68c
\$1.75 3-quart Hot Water Bottle...1.19
\$2.25 3 and 4-quart guaranteed Fountain Syringe...1.69
4-quart Combination...1.98
\$1.00 Fountain Syringe...87c
75c Bathing Shoes...25c
25c Ladies' Douche...1.89
Bath Sprays...75c and 1.00
\$2.00, \$1.50 and \$1.00 Bathing Caps...50c
\$2.50 Bathing Caps...1.39
Swimming Collars...75c
85c Strap Rubber Sponge...59c
\$1.00 Rubber Sponges...69c
Fruit Jar Rings, 5c dozen, 6 dozen for...25c
Fruit Jar Rings, best grade, 8c dozen; 3 dozen for...20c

Bargains in Dressing Combs and Brushes

- 50c Hand Brushes...33c
\$1 Ladies' Dressing Combs...67c
\$1.00 Cloth Brushes...79c
\$2.50 Hair Brushes...1.49
75c Hair Brushes...39c
35c Tooth Brushes, special...15c
50c Cloth Brushes...39c

Bargains in Stationery, Fountain Pens

- 1-lb. box "Woodlark Lawn" Linen Paper...25c
85c Box Fancy Stationery, 2 gr. paper, 48 envelopes...69c
35c Box Autoerast paper and envelopes...29c
25c and 35c Box Paper and Envelopes...18c
75c Box Imported Stationery— assorted colors...50c
15c Post Card Albums...11c
25c Post Card Albums...18c
35c and 40c Post Card Albums...29c

Loose-Leaf Post Card Albums, all sizes...1/4 OFF
Calling Cards, Wedding Announcements, etc., printed or engraved.
Portland Souvenir Books, new, for...25c and \$1.00
Tourist's Package—contains six towels, one comb, wash cloth and soap, package...10c
75c Savings Banks...69c
35c "Woodlark" Box Letter Files...29c
Sanitary Drinking Cups—paper and aluminum.
Waterman, Conklin and "Woodlark" Fountain Pens, all guaranteed and sold on 10 days' trial. Let your pen drink at our ink fountain, free of charge.

Bargains in Medical Liquors and Beverages

- A full quart of Rye or Bourbon, bottled in bond, including such well-known brands as Guckenheimer, Overholt, Old Oscar Pepper, Old Taylor, Cloverdale, worth regularly \$1.25, special...98c
\$1.25 8-year-old Chicken Cock Bourbon, bottled in bond, 100 proof, bottle...80c
\$1.25 Carlisle Rye, bonded...79c
\$1.25 Scotch Heather Scotch \$1.00
\$2.00 Clan Mackenzie, That Old Scotch...\$1.49
\$1.50 Imported French Brandy, the bottle...\$1.23
\$1.50 large size Geneva Gin \$1.33
\$2.25 Cusenier-Apriet Liqueur, "the best"...\$1.69
\$2.25 Imported Creme de Menthe, quarts...\$1.69
\$1.75 Genuine Distilled Russian Kummel...\$1.23
75c California Vermouth...49c
75c highest grade California Wines— Port, Sherry, Anglesia, Madeira, Muscatel, Malaga, Claret, Zinfan, Gel, Burgundy...44c
20c C. & C. Imported Ginger Ale, dozen...\$1.75

Bargains in Fine Drugs and Home Needs

- 10c Loofah (Japanese sponge) 5c
10c Dutch Cleanser, can...8c
25c Sugar Milk, Merck's, lb...18c
15c Absorbent Cotton, 1-4 lb...10c
10c Epsom Salts, package...6c
10c Chloride Lime, pound...8c
10c Lye (Babbitt's Best), lb...7c
25c "Woodlark" pure spices, mustard, can...17c
25c "Woodlark" pure spice, ginger, can...17c
10c "Woodlark" pure spices, Allspice, can...7c
10c "Woodlark" pure spice, Pepper, can...7c
10c Moth Balls, package...5c
50c Pure Cream Tartar, pkg...34c
10c Soda Bicarbonate, pkg...5c
25c Pure Witch Hazel (Dickinson's best), bottle...17c
50c DeKafa (Caffeineless coffee), pound...45c
25c Crude Carbolic Acid, per bottle...19c
25c Pure Castor Oil, bottle...16c
15c Denatured Alcohol, bot...11c
15c Parawax, pound...11c
10c Prepared Chalk, pkg...6c
10c Powdered Orris Root, pkg...6c
25c Sordak Phosphate, Merck's, pound...14c
10c (Manyuse) Machine Oil, per can...6c
10c Glasses (graduated medicine) each...6c
25c Plant Food, special offer, package...20c
25c Belmont's Metal Polish, per can...20c

Bargains in Mirrors and Useful Sundries

- \$2.00 Folding wood case Pocket Thermometer, for travelers and campers...98c
\$8.85 Automobile Combination Chafing Dish outfit, useful for picnics and camping, now priced at...\$4.98

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- \$1.00 Ever-Ready 9-inch Pocket Flash Light, useful for vacation needs...66c
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TREATING LAW HIT

Tacoma Freak Likely to Become Dead Letter.

EVIDENCE HARD TO OBTAIN Act of Police Chief in Sending Out "Stool Pigeons" to Secure Evidence of Violations of Liquor Ordinance Is Attacked.

TACOMA, Wash., July 27.—(Special.)—Is the Chief of Police, and through him the city itself, "aiding, abetting and investigating a crime" when the Chief supplies men with money to go about town seeking to induce saloonkeepers to violate the anti-treating law?

This is the unique point that Police Judge J. M. Arntson has been called on to decide in disposing of a batch of anti-treating cases brought up for trial in his court this week by the police.

In all there were 42 cases in the one batch. A majority were dismissed because the Chief's two men could not identify the person arrested as the man who sold them the drinks and permitted the treating.

James Crompton and John Ignash, employed by the Police Chief especially to hunt out violators of Tacoma's freak liquor law, testified in Judge Arntson's court Tuesday that Chief of Police Cramer hired them and gave them money to go from saloon to saloon, seeking to "treat" each other in violation of the freak law. Whenever the bartender would permit treating they made a note of the time, the place and the man, and later, warrants were sworn out for that bartender.

Here is where the defense raised its point that the Chief of Police was actually instigating a crime in supplying the men with money and sending them out to violate the law which provides a penalty, not for the man who treat each other, but for the bartender who sells them the liquor. Attorneys John Leo and John M. Boyle and their associates were armed with a long list of decisions in exactly parallel cases. The prosecution was taken entirely by surprise and asked opportunity to look up authorities. Judge Arntson himself was also somewhat puzzled, and requested that each side submit briefs, and he will then take the case under advisement.

If the defense is sustained the anti-treating law becomes virtually a dead letter, as the police assert the only way they can get evidence is to send out "stool pigeons" to buy drinks, as citizens refuse to complain of violations of the freak law or to go into court to testify. Police officers who are known to the saloonmen are unable to procure violations of the law, and the Chief and Commissioner of Public Safety Pettit resorted to hiring strangers especially for the work.

Eugene Chinese Gambler Arrested. EUGENE, Or., July 27.—(Special.)—The

MAN LOSES FOURTH WIFE

Mrs. Daniel Harkins Leaves Husband Who Has Prison Record.

SPOKANE, Wash., July 27.—(Special.)—Besides being a much-married man and having served two terms in a penitentiary in Massachusetts, Daniel D. Harkins, failed to make his fourth wife happy and this afternoon Mrs.

Ashland Ousts Light Company. ASHLAND, Or., July 27.—The City Council dropped a bombshell into the Ashland Electric Power & Light Company last evening by revoking the ordinance which granted that company a franchise in 1898 to supply the city with electric light and power.

Ashland's municipal plant will be in operation in a month, and by this move all competition will be excluded. The company is given until October 15 in which to remove all its poles, wires and other equipment.

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MARY HARKINS WAS GRANTED A DIVORCE

Mary Harkins was granted a divorce by Judge J. D. Hinkle on the ground of desertion.

The couple were married in Boston in 1906. Within six months after his fourth venture in the matrimonial world, Harkins deserted his wife, according to the findings of the court. The wife told the court today that since her marriage she has learned that her husband has been again imprisoned in the East.

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