

HUSBAND DROWNED WIFE'S SIGHT

Mrs. Joseph Yonkers Sees Coos Bay Wreck Through Spy-glass, Gives Alarm.

SIX ARE LOST OFF LAUNCH

Undentified Man Added to List of Dead—Son Witnesses Death of Father From Rowboat—Three Victims Leave Families.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—From her own home Mrs. Joseph Yonkers viewed through a field glass the wrecking of the gasoline launch North Star No. 1, of which her husband was the captain. She was the first to give the alarm of danger and witnessed the passing of the little boat out on the bar, where the lives of six men, including her husband, were lost. It was reported that only five went down in the wreck. It is supposed that the engine of the boat broke down.

Mrs. Yonkers was waiting for the return of her husband to his home on South Slough when she saw, through the glasses, that the boat had passed the mouth of the slough. Then she realized the fate of the boat and the men aboard and at once called for help. She appealed to N. J. Bingham, manager of the excelsior factory on South Slough. Bingham at once shut down his mill and called for volunteers and in a few moments started in the launch with his mill crew to reach the bar.

Rescuers Try to Save.
The efforts of Bingham and his crew, however, were fruitless. The dented launch was in some trouble and an anchor was seen to be dropped, but it did not hold and stern-first, the little craft was carried out by the strong tide and struck the submerged jetty. The men aboard probably were killed at once.

The cabin of the boat was carried away and the hull was in a short time thrown on the jetty to be battered into splinters. Although Bingham made a call for help, the boat was too late. The wreck of the launch and the resulting death of those aboard happened in a moment.

The accident was reported from the life-saving station and the life-saving crew was called out, but owing to the distance of the station to the bar it was impossible for the crew to get there in time.

Bridge Tender Drowned.
One of the victims was Ira Albee, tender of the South-Slough bridge, and also tender of the cabin. His son, Wyman Albee, was in a rowboat lighting the channel lamps when the accident happened and witnessed the death of his father, while he was utterly helpless to give any assistance. Wyman Albee says all the victims jumped overboard just before the launch capsized.

Those lost in the wreck were: Joe Yonkers, the captain; William Brainerd, Frank Tanner, Ira Albee, Thomas Farrier and a stranger, who is believed to have been J. H. Rodgers, who had been working at a logging camp. He was on his way to Smith Powers' camp on South Slough.

Wreckage Straws Beach.
The beach north of the bar is strewn with small bits of the unfortunate boat this morning and the cabin was washed ashore, but no bodies have been recovered. Men familiar with conditions say the loss of the six lives due to the spy-glass was a tragedy.

CLARK GROWERS TO FORM
Minnehaha Grange Names Five to Organize Fruitmen.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—A fruit-growers' association, having as its object the fostering of the fruit industry in this county, will likely be formed in the next few weeks. Minnehaha Grange issued a call for a meeting to be held in the Vancouver Commercial Club rooms yesterday, where initial steps were taken by the appointment of a committee of five to draft plans for the organization.

The committee is composed of N. Broman, of Minnehaha; J. Davies, of Hazel; William Brannan, of Battle Ground; George Mitchell, Washougal; and I. R. Fletcher, of Canby.

An attempt will be made to have the words "Clark County Prunes" printed on all menus used in dining cars passing through this county, and on the Bank Road signs now. Nearly all prunes used by railroads passing through Vancouver are produced in this county.

BOY CONFESSES CRIME
Attacks on Little Girls Related by Prisoner at Salem.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—Making a written confession this morning and furnishing it to Chief of Police Hamilton and Officer Burkhardt, Boyd Holcomb, arrested yesterday, told of his attacks on two young girls in this city, and further confessed to practically the same story in every detail as told by 8-year-old Emma Wilson, one of his victims.

Holcomb is 15 years old and has none of the appearance of a degenerate.

COLLEGE GROWTH MARKED
McMinnville Institution in Prosperous Condition.

McMINNVILLE, Or., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—Reports submitted to the semi-annual meeting of the board of trustees

of McMinnville College showed the attendance in the Fall term to have increased 17.3 per cent, as against 15.7 for the same term one year ago, the increase being in the preparatory and college departments rather than in the commercial and conservatory. There was strong encouragement in President Riley's report of his trip East. The board of education of the Northern Baptist conference is now fully organized and hope is held out that this board will soon be an effective agency in the development of such Baptist institutions at McMinnville College.

President Riley was elected recording secretary of this board, and at his suggestion it was voted to hold an educational conference in Des Moines, Ia., on May 14, the day next preceding the opening of the Northern Baptist convention. The college problem will be a special subject considered at this gathering.

Real encouragement was found in the financial reports. It was pointed out that McMinnville College has never set in over half a century found it necessary to close its doors; that its trustees had never made other use of its property than to build that for which it was designed and that no teacher had ever failed to receive every dollar of salary due him. The judge of the educational conference in Des Moines was estimated at \$22,500.00, and the treasurer's report showed receipts for the six months amounting to \$11,400.00. The college, however, were shown to be \$149,42 less on December 31 than on May 31 last.

A campaign for \$50,000 will be conducted by the trustees beginning September 1, 1912.

It was the board's pleasure to receive an addition to the permanent funds of \$100,000, which was a very generous gift.

MACHINES CUT EXPENSE

SECRETARY OLCOTT INSTALLS LABOR-SAVING DEVICES.

Camera is Secured to Photograph Records and Rapid Addressing Invention Facilitates Work.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—Secretary of State Olcott has just installed two labor-saving machines that will greatly increase the efficiency of this department and at the same time save the state considerable money. One is a camera especially designed for photographing records, and the other is a rapid addressing machine, which promises more than to pay for itself in one year, in sending out the mail matter required by law to be circulated in connection with the 1912 elections.

In the past it has been the practice to record articles of incorporation with the secretary's office in April. It was estimated that the services of two expert stenographers would be required for at least two years to bring the records up to date. The Secretary of State then hit upon the plan of photographing the records. A camera was procured and the work has been done since that time. It is estimated that the work will be brought down to date within four months of the time the machine was installed.

The addressing machine will save the state from \$1000 to \$1300 in the mailing of the initiative and candidate lists, and will also save the 1912 primary and general elections.

ARMY SANTA WAY LATE

SCARLET FEVER EPIDEMIC DELAYS CHRISTMAS JOY.

Parents and Children of Post, Numbering 600, Receive Delayed Gifts—Homes Then Visited.

VANCOUVER BARRACKS, Wash., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—Santa Claus, although three weeks late on account of an epidemic of scarlet fever in Vancouver, arrived in the post yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. He was awaited by 600 children and parents, all in some way connected with the post. A large Christmas tree was decorated with presents, which were distributed after a programme of Christmas carols and recitations. Sergeant Wagner, of the First Infantry band, Wednesday night, acted the part of Santa Claus.

The post school bus was loaded with presents and driven through the garrison to the homes of the children who were unable to be at the regular exercises. A trumpeter heralded the approach of Santa Claus, and he attracted the attention of the children as he passed by on his mission of joy-making. Chaplains Walter K. Lloyd and Francis J. Feinler had charge of the services, and they were assisted by women of the post.

A vaudeville programme will be given on the post headquarters stage Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, and it is planned to make this a weekly event in the future, outside actors and garrison talent taking part in the entertainment for the officers and enlisted men of the post and others who care to attend.

BOSSISM ROILS CONVICTS

Runaway "Honor Men" Say They Prefer Penitentiary Life.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—Bossism at the convict camp at Westville, near Medford, is given as the principal reason for the running away of John Saloni and Frank Acara, "honor men," running away, according to a letter received by Governor West from the men and signed jointly by them. The letter was written the day before the men attempted to escape.

They said they were dissatisfied with conditions and preferred to return "home," and expressed their desire to be back in the prison.

Snow Crushes Country Home.
HOOD RIVER, Or., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—Neighbors having discovered snow from the collapsed bungalow of J. C. Forman, near Summit. The house has been unoccupied since the first of the year. Forman was held up for Portland, while his family is visiting relatives in Ohio. The heavy snow on the roof caved in the house, valued at \$10,000, and will be almost a total loss. Much of the furniture was crushed.

FACTORS IMPEDE WHAT LEGISLATURE

Special Session Aim Is Stayed and Revenue Measures Still Hang Fire.

TAX BOARD IS OBSTACLE

Morgan-Day-Macbeth Wing Meets Sharp Rebuke of Governor and Preliminary Skirmishes Give Hawley Slight Advantage.

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 21.—(Special.)—Although the 11th Idaho Legislature has been in extra session in Boise one week and the Senate and the House have been organized on a working basis, with Lieutenant-Governor Sweetser presiding over the former and Speaker Storey over the latter, little has been accomplished in reaching a decision as to what revenue legislation should be passed to relieve the tax-burdened electors of the state, and no measures have met with favor in both Houses.

The extra session, so far, has developed that the members of the two Houses recognize that at least a relief legislation should be passed and that where support was looked for behind Governor James H. Hawley's revenue measures, or within the rank and file of the Democratic members of both Houses, it is missing among many.

Tax Commission Urged.
Governor Hawley presented the legislature with his special message calling for the passage of 25 bills creating new revenue laws and five constitutional amendments to make many of them effective. This legislation was drafted by a special commission appointed by the Governor and composed of Frank Martin, ex-Attorney-General and John P. Maclean, ex-judge of the Supreme court of Idaho. The most important of all the special revenue legislation drafted by the commission calls for the creation of a tax commission, composed of three members, paid \$3000 each per annum, who are given complete jurisdiction over the equalization of taxes all over the state.

It is the tax commission measure that has created such unexpected opposition. The Republicans declare that it gives too much power to the Governor and if it is passed it will work a great hardship. Not all of the Republican members of the Legislature, however, feel that way.

Democratic Support Split.
The Democrats are divided in their support of the bill. The insurgents are opposed to the passage of any of the important legislation introduced by their party. They are under the leadership of Representative Morgan of Latah County. The other half of the Democrats, however, are in support of the bill. They are under the leadership of Representative Macbeth of Blaine County.

It has been decided in a caucus of the Democrats that all but five of the amendments introduced by Representative Morgan to kill off the revenue tax commission bill should be disregarded.

When Governor Hawley was informed of the plans that had been made by the Morgan-Day-Macbeth combination to block his proposed legislation, he summoned the three Democrats into his executive chamber.

Commercial Club Elects
Trade Gains Shown in Past Year by Active Organization.

OREGON CITY, Or., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—At the annual meeting of the Oregon City Commercial Club, held at the Hotel Commodore, G. L. Hedger, B. T. McNeil was elected president; John Adams, vice-president; M. D. Latourette, secretary, and Frank Busch, treasurer. G. L. Hedger, B. T. McNeil and John Adams were chosen as new members of the board of governors.

Reports of the officers of the club showed that excellent progress was made in 1911 and that the organization is becoming a staple factor in the trade activities of Clackamas County.

Gipsy Smith's Cohorts Stir Sheridan.
SHERIDAN, Or., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—Sheridan is in the throes of a revival, the meetings of which are being held at the Methodist Church of this city. The Misses Merritt and Gleason, of Los Angeles, are conducting the meetings, Miss Merritt caring for the musical features and Miss Gleason the dramatic.

These three men were suggested in a county assembly two years ago, and were named so as to represent the western, central and eastern part of the county. As yet no one has appeared in the west to contest against Mr. Cushman, but in Eugene there are already two other candidates. M. Vernon Parsons is preparing his petitions, and D. E. Moran, former president of the Eugene Commercial Club, has already decided to yield to the requests of his friends and be a candidate.

Chinese Restaurant Held Up.
HUNTINGTON, Or., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—The Oregon restaurant, owned by a Chinaman, was held up by three masked men at 1:35 this morning and the proprietors robbed of \$42. Three white customers in the place at the time say they recognized the robbers by their clothing.

Tearoom on Fourth Floor—Delicatessen and Bakery, Fourth Floor

Kosher Meats, Salads, Columbia Sausage, Etc., on the Fourth Floor

Olds, Wortman & King

Sale of Groceries

Free Cooking School

Tomorrow at 2:30 P. M. Auditorium, 4th Fl. Mrs. Hawley will demonstrate the latest and most up-to-date electrical appliances for cooking. Her recipes are of great value to all housekeepers. All women are invited to attend this full course of lessons FREE.

OUR GROCERY STORE is our youngest department. It has won its way into popular favor and is today the best-known, most liberally patronized Grocery Store in the Northwest. We can afford to undersell, because we buy in the largest quantities. Our patronage increases because everything we sell is the best to be had. Try this department.

"Sunkist" Oranges 25c Dz.
Large, sweet, juicy Oranges, untouched by frost, specially priced by the case at \$2.65, or by the dozen at only 25c

APRICOTS—
Hunt's Staple Brand, very special 20c can, or by the dozen \$2.10

APRICOTS—
Hunt's Supreme Brand, very special 30c can, or by the dozen \$3.00

GRAPE JUICE—
Walker's 25c pt. bottle, 20c
Walker's 45c qt. bottle, 38c

Tomatoes—
Hunt's Solid Pack, the late crop, specially priced, the doz. \$1.40

Tomatoes—
Monopole Brand, solid pack, specially priced at, dozen, only \$1.40

LUCCA OIL—
Crosse & Blackwell's, regular 85c bottles, during this sale at only 75c

Laundry Soap, 22 bars 50c
Round-Up Cleanser, 2 for 15c

Women's Suits, worth to \$55.00, now only \$19.98
Women's Suits, worth to \$38.50, now only \$17.65
Women's Suits, worth to \$25.00, now only \$11.50

\$12.50 Dresses for only \$6.25
\$15.00 Dresses for only \$7.50
\$18.50 Dresses for only \$8.25
\$18.50 Dresses for only \$9.25
\$20.00 Dresses only \$10.00
\$22.50 Dresses only \$11.25
\$25.00 Dresses only \$12.50
\$27.50 Dresses only \$13.75
\$28.50 Dresses only \$14.25
\$35.00 Dresses only \$17.50

\$38.50 Dresses only \$19.25
\$42.50 Dresses only \$21.25
\$45.00 Dresses only \$22.50
\$48.50 Dresses only \$24.25
\$55.00 Dresses only \$27.50
\$58.50 Dresses only \$29.25
\$68.50 Dresses only \$34.25
\$75.00 Dresses only \$37.50
\$80.00 Dresses only \$40.00
\$85.00 Dresses only \$42.50

See the Sunday Papers for Sale Prices on Blankets
Comforts, Sheets, Pillow Slips, Bed Spreads, Towels, Curtains
Enameled Cooking Utensils, Drugs, Toilet Articles, Etc., at Clearance Prices

HOT CONTESTS SEEN

Three Representatives to Be Chosen in Eugene District.

Taft Supporters Many

Democrats Favor Woodrow Wilson as Nominee of Party—Cushman and Eaton Prepare Outlines of Campaigns.

WASCO CANDIDATES ACTIVE.
Indications Point to Close Contests Before Election.

THE DALLES, Or., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—The Wasco County political pot is reaching the boiling stage, and candidates for the various offices are beginning to line up, the indications being that a full team will be in the field soon. A. E. Lake will not seek the County Judgeship again. County Treasurer Frank S. Gunning, who will not run for re-election, has practically decided to enter the race for the job of Sheriff. The Republican camp, Charles Haight, of Antelope, will go after the Republican endorsement at the primaries. J. P. Carroll, of Mosier, Mayor of Hood River, and George C. Blakeley, County Judge, of this city, are prospective Democratic candidates.

TAFT HELD FAVORITE.
Unquestionably Taft will be the favorite of Lane County Republicans for President, say men in touch with the situation. There are a few communities in the county that tend to be Socialistic, but they will have little to say in the primary. Wilson, say Democrats, leaders, will be the favorite, 2 to 1.

Three members are to be elected to the Legislature—L. E. Cushman, Allen Eaton and W. M. Sutton, all Republicans, having completed their terms. Mr. Cushman is now circulating his petitions, and Mr. Eaton is preparing his statement to the voters. Mr. Sutton has removed to Eastern Oregon, and so is out of the running.

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Deputy in Race for Sheriff.
SALEM, Or., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—William Each, chief deputy for Sheriff

intention to be a candidate again. No opposition has developed. County Judge Helms W. Thompson and Commissioner R. J. Hemphill hold over, they promise to be a very hard contest for H. M. Price's place. He has filed his petition with the clerk, and already has an opponent in Orin Beal, also of Eugene. The greatest contest, however, promises to come from the eastern and southern part of the county.

Democrats are not planning to circulate petitions very extensively, depending on the faithfulness of their friends in securing them the nomination. Harry Brown (Democrat), Sheriff, expects to have no trouble in securing the office again, that position having for years gone to the Democrats.

CRUICK PROPOSES GOOD ROADS.
PRINEVILLE, Or., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—At a special meeting of the taxpayers to be held February 5, a decision will be reached as to whether or not the County of Crook will hold a special election to vote bonds for good roads. The move also depends upon the validity of the bond issue of Jackson County, the determination of which is now pending in the State Supreme Court.

FRATERNITY MEN MEET
Plans Made to Foster Better Education in Public Schools.

The Columbia River Association of the Theta Delta Chi fraternity will lead a general campaign to interest the general public in the better education of the children of the country's public schools and colleges. At the annual banquet of the association Saturday night at the Bowers Hotel the plans were considered in detail and resolutions were passed favoring an immediate campaign.

The organization also will begin a campaign to secure one of the coming meetings of the National Educational Association for Portland, it being considered important that this city receive a visit from the 10,000 teachers and educators who attend these conventions.

The association decided to entertain Governor Dix of New York, in Portland, if he comes here on the Eastern Governors' special which is being planned. Tentative plans for the reception of Dix were made.

Officers of the association were elected as follows: E. G. Adams, president; Dr. A. M. Webster, vice-president; Rex Conant, secretary; Ralph Robinson, treasurer, and Edmund B. Sheldon, corresponding secretary.

HOW SAVINGS GROW:
In order to illustrate the rapid growth of savings with 4 per cent compound interest added, we have prepared the following tables:

Weekly Deposit	Rate of Interest	Will In			
		1 Year	4 Years	10 Years	20 Years
\$.25	FOUR PER CENT per annum, compounded twice a year, January 1st and July 1st.	\$ 73.	\$ 162.	\$ 403.	\$ 2,294.
1.00		146.	324.	806.	2,588.
2.00		293.	650.	1,614.	5,177.
5.00		732.	1,625.	4,035.	12,888.

SI OPENS AN ACCOUNT
Hibernia Savings Bank
(ESTABLISHED 18 YEARS.)
A Conservative Custodian
Second and Washington Streets
Open Saturday Evenings, Six to Eight.

Worst Cold Broken and Grippe
Misery Relieved in Few Hours

Tells How to Promptly Get Rid of a Severe Cold and Says Quinine is Never Effective.

Pape's Cold Compound is the result of three years' research at a cost of more than fifty thousand dollars, and contains no quinine, which we have conclusively demonstrated is not effective in the treatment of colds or grippe.

It is a positive fact that a dose of Pape's Cold Compound, taken every two hours until three consecutive doses are taken, will end the Grippe and break

up the most severe cold, either in the head, chest, back, stomach, limbs or any part of the body.

It promptly relieves the most miserable headache, dizziness, head and stuffed up, feverishness, sneezing, sore throat, running of the nose, mucous catarrhal discharges, soreness, stiffness and rheumatic twinges.

Take this harmless Compound as directed, with the knowledge that there is no other medicine made anywhere else in the world, which will cure your cold or end Grippe misery as promptly and without any other assistance or bad after-effects, as a 25-cent package of Pape's Cold Compound, which is taken, will end the Grippe and break

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