

SIX "HONOR MEN" ESCAPE IN WEEK

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LIST GROWING RAPIDLY

Tuberculosis Sanitarium and State Rock Crusher Prove Enticing Places From Which to Win Freedom—Few Return.

SALEM, Or., April 3.—(Special.)—Asks from all other escapes since Governor West took up the reins of office and has had charge of the State Penitentiary, 35 "honor men" have left since he established that system in the prison last June, three leaving last night.

These 35 honor men are out of a total of 34 who have escaped from the prison since the West regimen started. Of these 35 there are 14 still at large.

The carnival of escapes is not decreasing in the number of "honor men" to walk away is significant in the fact that for this year 15 honor men have left the prison when there were but 10 of them who left last year.

Six Walk Away in Week. Since last Friday six have made a "get-away" from the state rock crusher near the tuberculosis sanitarium.

The trio who left last night are James Stanley, serving three years from Douglas County for burglary, and James Johnson and Albert McCormick, both serving seven years from Gilliam County for larceny from a dwelling.

T. Harold, William Smith and George Reason were the other three who left since last Friday.

The so-called "honor men" are convicts who are sent to different institutions or localities, where they are employed without guards and are practically left to their own devices.

total list of escaping "honor men," exclusive of others who have escaped, follows:

List Growing Daily. Leon White, escaped from tuberculosis sanitarium June 23, 1911; serving time in the Walla Walla Penitentiary under the name of Bud Wallace.

James Hall, escaped from feeble-minded school June 18, 1911; returned June 22, 1911.

George Griffith, escaped from the asylum farm July 11, 1911; still at large.

Robert Owens, escaped from the state penitentiary September 18, 1911; returned September 21, 1911.

Frank Walton, escaped from prison brickyard September 23, 1911; returned same day.

Fred Foley, escaped from brickyard September 23, 1911; returned same day.

Sam Broger, escaped from feeble-minded school November 18, 1911; still at large.

first ward, where the fight was the heaviest.

In the contest, the Kirkpatrick forces were designated as the Citizens' ticket, while the ticket put forth by the present administration of city affairs was designated the Progressive ticket.

In the first ward L. D. Brown ran as an Insurgent on the Citizens' ticket, while H. L. Fenton was the Progressive candidate.

The vote, 228, was the largest ever polled in the ward. Of the vote cast, Fenton received 117 and Brown 111.

Prize to the count betting was heavy in favor of Brown, who is a leading attorney of this city, and who was considered the strongest man running on the Citizens' ticket.

In the second ward W. V. Fuller, present councilman, candidate for reelection, was defeated by J. J. Hays, who was elected by a majority of 25.

In the third ward, A. B. Muir, president of the Dallas Commercial Club, went down to defeat before A. J. Harshman, another man who practically has been unknown in city politics until yesterday.

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BIG STRIKE GROWS INVOLVING 7000

British Columbia Now Is Center of Great I. W. W. Walk-out on Roads.

CONSTRUCTION WORK HIT

Southwestern Washington Strikers Score Point When Charge of Sedition Against Dr. Titus at Aberdeen Is Dismissed.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 3.—Interest in the Industrial Workers of the World strike in the Pacific Northwest which involves 8000 railroad laborers in British Columbia and 10,000 millworkers in Southwestern Washington, centered today in the Canadian province where it was reported that the strike leaders were preparing to extend their operations to the Grand Trunk Pacific.

Construction work on the Canadian Northern is at a standstill, and 4th Industrial Workers' leaders are so well pleased with the effect of the walkout that they have declared their intention of organizing and calling out the construction crews in a general non-attendance line building through the province.

Although there have been numerous reports of interference with workmen who hesitated to join the strike, there has been no disorder in the cities where the idle men are congregating.

Several hundred men who went from the construction camps to Vancouver left there for Seattle today. They are well supplied with money, and it is reported that the Industrial Workers' leaders intend to send them to Grays Harbor to take a hand in the fight against the sawmill owners there, who gained the upper hand by deporting large numbers of foreign laborers who answered the call to strike and who refused to return to work when ordered back by a citizens committee.

The Southwestern Washington strikers scored a point today, when United States District Attorney Todd went before Federal Judge Hanford and obtained dismissal of the charge of sedition against Dr. Titus, the aged Industrial Workers' leader who was arrested at Aberdeen on a warrant issued by the United States Commissioner there.

District Attorney Todd told the court that the warrant was issued in his office and he believed the United States had no jurisdiction.

Some of the mills on Grays Harbor are operating, short-handed.

HOQUIAM MAYOR TAKES HAND Citizens' Action Denounced and Plea Made to Fair Sex.

EASTER



JIMMY DUNN ROOM 315, OREGONIAN BLDG. TAKE ELEVATOR.

MEN! PRACTICE ECONOMY WHEN YOU BUY YOUR NEW SUIT

\$22.50 to \$25 Suits \$14.75 \$27.50 to \$30 Suits \$18.75 My \$30.00 a month rent and system of buying do it

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burg's "tenderloin" is a thing of the past, and that all the women must leave town. It is also said that the Mayor is opposed to gambling in any form, and will exert his efforts in bringing about the elimination of this practice.

HARNEY JURY INDICTS MANY Murder of Two Is Charged Against John M. Taylor.

BURNS, Or., April 3.—(Special.)—The Harney County grand jury is in session the past week and brought in an unusually large list of indictments. The most important one is against John M. Taylor, charging murder in the first degree for the alleged killing of Albert Perry and Robert Settemyre near Andrews, in the southern part of the county early in the past winter.

Other indictments returned are: Against Jesse Marshall, for assault and robbery against a peddler; against Arthur and Harry Spangler, horse stealing; against A. J. McComb, for obtaining money under false pretenses; against Tom Stephens, Clarence Luckey and George Cawfield, for gambling; against J. E. Rousseau, of Denio, for assault. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$25.

The evidence for gambling was obtained through the evidence of a book agent named Scott, who has been arrested in the past several weeks and was recently arrested for robbing an intoxicated man of his watch. The watch was recovered after he obtained it upon which the three well-known citizens were indicted and Scott freed.

MANY CANDIDATES IN LINE Josephine County Voters Confused by Aspirants for Office.

GRANTS PASS, Or., April 3.—(Special.)—Josephine County has become the land of opportunity for political aspirants. From the office of coroner to that of Representative in Congress, men are standing in line ready to overhaul the weary voter who has troubles ahead through the work of the initiative and referendum.

The name Smith seems to head the list for office. Dr. J. C. Smith is out for Senator; Will C. Smith is running for Sheriff; Edwin Smith, is running for Assessor; Robert Glen Smith, is candidate for Representative in Congress.

Advertisement for Columbia Acres. Text: "You Can't Lose By Buying Acreage Down at Columbia ACRES". Includes a small illustration of a house and a person.

Advertisement for F. B. HOLBROOK CO. Text: "F. B. HOLBROOK CO. 214 Lumber Exchange Building Second and Stark Streets". Includes an illustration of a butter churn.

DUFUR HAS CITY ELECTION W. A. Short Chosen Mayor—Park Is Purchased by Municipality.

DUFUR, Or., April 3.—(Special.)—The municipal election was held here yesterday and the following officers were elected: W. A. Short, Mayor; H. Fitzpatrick, recorder; L. B. Thomas, treasurer; R. L. Smith and C. W. Heister, councilmen; J. C. Johnson and C. P. Cooper, water commissioners.

ASHLAND GETS NEW OPERATOR. ASHLAND, Or., April 3.—(Special.)—Frank C. Routledge has been appointed Western Union operator here in place of G. F. Wilson, resigned.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., April 3.—(Special.)—Reports of Postmaster Carney show that the receipts for the Astoria post-office during the fiscal year ending March 31 were \$22,068, which is a satisfactory increase over the receipts of the previous year when they were \$19,288.

Advertisement for WOMAN'S TRIALS. Text: "The burdens a woman has to carry through life are many but they can be lightened if she will turn to Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription". Includes an illustration of a woman.

Advertisement for Danderine. Text: "Danderine Stops Falling Hair and Destroys Dandruff". Includes an illustration of a woman's hair.

Advertisement for CASCARETS TONIGHT! IF BILIOUS HEADACHY, NERVOUS, CONSTIPATED. Text: "Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, liver and carry off the decomposed waste matter and poison from the intestines and bowels."

PRACTICE TIME CHANGED

Big Guns at Columbia Forts Will Shoot in Closed Fish Season.

ASTORIA, Or., April 3.—(Special.)—Secretary Lornsten, of the Columbia River Fishermen's Protective Union, has received telegrams from Senators Chamberlain and Bourne saying that the War Department has ordered that the service practice with the big guns and mortars at the forts about the mouth of the Columbia River be held during the closed season between August 25 and September 5 and that the same practice at Fort Stevens it will take place in April, but at Fort Stevens it will take place in May.

This means that the new schedule as recommended by Colonel Stevens, of Fort Stevens, and General Maus, of Vancouver, who were in conference with Mr. Lornsten, has been approved. As the mines in the practice at Fort Stevens are placed in the night below the fishing interests and that the change undoubtedly will result in considerable profit to the gillnetters, as the target practice as now arranged interferes with the fishermen at their work.

BABE BURNED TO DEATH

Stick of Pitch Placed in Fire Results in Tragedy.

COTTAGE GROVE, Or., April 3.—(Special.)—A baby left alone for a few minutes, a stick of pitch and a fire resulted in a tragedy at Cottle Monday, and the year-old-babe of Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Perini is dead as the result.

CITIZENS' TICKET WINS

Election at Dallas Develops into Close Contest.

DALLAS, Or., April 3.—(Special.)—The city election held in this city yesterday was one of the most interesting contests ever seen here.

FARM WORK IS STARTED

More Than Score of Farmers About Centralia Help in Labor.

CENTRALIA, Wash., April 3.—(Special.)—Work on the demonstration farm just west of Centralia, the use of which was recently donated by F. B. Hubbard, started today. About 30 farmers were on the scene, offering any help that they could in the way of teams and labor.

Mr. J. C. Berry, an engineer, is laying out the farm grounds, and S. O. Jayne, an irrigation expert who arrived here yesterday with Professor Sparks, of the Washington State College, is mapping out a plan of irrigation.

A big meeting of farmers was held in Centralia last night under the direction of the Commercial Club. Professor Sparks spoke of soil and crop management and Mr. Jayne on irrigation.

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Deposits in the local branch of the postal savings system during the 11 months it has been in operation were \$103,795.

ROSEBURG TO CLEAN UP CITY

ROSEBURG, Or., April 3.—(Special.)—Another step in the direction of making Roseburg the "spotless" town was taken here last night, when Mayor Joseph M. McCall called the Council to authorize the employment of two policemen.