DEATH OF INSURED SON LAID TO MOTHER

Mrs. Mary Johnston, Spokane, Arrested Following Coroner's Jury Report.

STRYCHNINE IN STOMACH

Beneficiary Parent, in Whose House Man Died, Protests She Gave Only "Home" Remedies—Husband's Testimony Sensational.

SPOKANE, Wash., May 8.—Mrs. Mary Johnston was arrested this afternoon charged with murdering her son, Raymond Johnston, 26 years old, by administering strychnine. She is being held without bail. Her arrest followed the return of a verdict by a Coroner's jury.

A statement from State Chemist Elton B. Fuller was read at the inquest that he had found in Johnston's stomach four times the ordinary dose of strychnine. Johnston died in convulsions at the home of his mother a week ago last Tuesday. He was insured in two fraternal orders with his mother as the beneficiary.

Johnston's widow testified at the inquest, as did his mother. She told of giving her son "home" remedies and of calling a doctor shortly before her son died.

The father of Johnston testified that his wife, the woman arrested today, had tried to poison him and that she had caused him to be placed in an asylum for the insane, from which he later was discharged. He testified that at the time his wife attempted to poison him he carried $10,000 insurance.

It was reported as a belief a few days ago that Johnston died from the effects of a horse bite, the animal said to have been attacked by a dog suffering with hydrophobia.

Story Told in Tears.

With tears in her big blue eyes Mrs. Johnston said:

"Monday afternoon, before the Tuesday Raymond died, he came home and complained of his face being swollen. I rubbed his face and at the time thought it was due to the dust storm. He kept complaining and went to bed.

"Tuesday morning he complained again and asked his wife to go to the lot he had bought on Lincoln Heights and place the new rug in position in the tent he had erected. She took the baby of 13 months with her and I helped her as far as Second avenue, where she took a Rockwood car.

"I warned Raymond when I left home not to leave the cot and he promised that he would remain quiet. When I returned about noon with 30 pounds of potatoes and other groceries in my shopping bag I found him with his head in his arms, asleep on the kitchen table. He wore his hat and coat and, after awaking him, he told me that the pain had become so severe that he had walked three blocks to the drug store and purchased a supply of headache tablets. We have used the tablets in the family for ten years. He took two of them. I removed his hat and coat and in two hours he was dead.

Children and Wife Last Thought.

"Five minutes before he died he snatched at his watch pocket, where he carried the gold watch I gave him when he was 18 years old, and handed it to me. 'Keep this until my boy is old enough to wear it,' he requested, and then he said: 'Mother, promise me that you will look after Opal, Lulu, my wife, and the baby boy if I die.' I promised and while I was holding his hands they grew cold in mine and he succumbed while being held up in the arms of the doctor."

Eighteen witnesses were called by Coroner S. P. Seaberg at the inquest held Thursday morning, the arrest of the mother following the findings of the jury.

RECORDS WILL BE KNOWN

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belief seemed to be that the thing to do was to provide the public with correct information about all the candidates and leave to the decision of the voters the rest.

Unless it shall develop that the list of candidates is too small, no indorsements are probable; in fact, according to the sentiment last night, no indorsements will be given, unless a recommendation may be so termed.

A Good Attendance Out.

A gratifying attendance was noted, especially so since the call for the meeting was issued but the day previous. When the roll was called a number of the committee were absent, but in each case an explanation was forthcoming, such as that those not there had made previous engagements, were ill or out of the city. Three who declined to serve gave no special reason and their places were filled by the election of Albert B. Ferrera, D. C. Henny and Edward Winter.

The meeting was called to order by Rev. A. A. Morrison, who acted as chairman of the committee of 15, which appointed the committee of 100, in response to the request of about 50 business men who felt that some action should be taken to meet what is generally regarded as a crisis in the city's affairs. It was felt that something should be done to insure the success of a good ticket in the general election to be held June 2 and that perhaps a large and representative committee could do a good service in this connection.

Rev. Mr. Morrison Keeps Chair.

Rev. Mr. Morrison said that he did not feel that he could continue as the committee's chairman, as the committee of 15 had decided among themselves that they did not believe any of them should be on the committee of 100. He therefore called for the election of a chairman, and, after several names had been nominated and in each case those named declared they could not, for one reason or another, serve, Dr. W. T. Foster, president of Reed College, was chosen and he presided at the meeting last night, but at its close, said that he would not be able to continue in that capacity, owing to the fact that he had engaged himself for other work which would require his attention every day and nearly every night for a few weeks. Therefore, Rev. Mr. Morrison was unanimously chosen as permanent president and, as Mr. Churchill had served as secretary to the committee of 15 and knew the details of the work, he was elected permanent secretary.

In opening the meeting Rev. Mr. Morrison said that he believed that as many as 60 per cent of the voters of Portland have no means of knowing the records and the qualifications or lack of qualifications of the candidates who have filed or who will file for office under the new charter. He expressed the belief that the members of the committee of 100 and others interested in the subject under consideration had no desire whatever to substitute something for the assembly, but that they simply wished in all good faith to provide the voters with such information as would enable them to select a good set of officers for the first Commission in the city's history.

Purpose Only Is Definite.

After the election of Dr. Foster as temporary chairman, the call for the meeting was read, after which there was a brief pause, as no set programme had been outlined and no one knew what to do; all they did know was that the committee had been called into this meeting for the purpose of attempting to work out a solution of a grave problem, namely, that of assisting to elect a set of capable officials to administer the city's affairs.

W. A. Marshall was the first to make a motion. He moved that the general committee authorize the investigation and publication of the records of all candidates. He said he did not believe that the people would appreciate it if the committee should attempt to go any further, as he believed, he said, that the voters themselves wished to use their own judgment when casting their ballots. He believed, however, that it would be a good service to the public to inform the voters on the records of the candidates. In this manner, he said, the voters would be able to select from the list such candidates as they themselves felt were capable and worthy; any effort, he said, to nominate any candidates or to indorse any specific set of candidates, would be met with public resentment.

C. E. S. Wood Favors Publicity.

L. L. Levings favored bringing out new candidates, but only for the purpose of having plenty of good timber on the ballot—not to indorse any man or set of men. H. P. Palmer suggested the indorsement or recommendation of a double set of candidates, such as was done in Spokane, he explained, where the people chose four out of the 15 men who were recommended by a citizens' committee.

C. E. S. Wood made an enthusiastic speech, in which he said that he believed the best service the committee could render to the public would be to inform the voters on the records of the candidates, but he said that, if necessary, he would favor going "the limit," in an effort to make possible the election of good officials. He said he "has no patience with the fear that some seem to have; that no set of individuals should recommend persons for office." He declared it a fact that the charter is no better than the men who administer it and, that being the case, any action necessary to insure the selection of good men to come out for office, even if defeated, in an effort to provide the voters with good material, but he did not wish to indorse any candidates, he said, unless such action were to be made necessary by the fact that no good material or insufficient material was on the ballot.

Wilson Shows Need.

Dr. J. R. Wilson expressed the wish that some means could be found whereby the voters could have knowledge of the work of the five departments that are to govern the city under the new charter; he thought that would assist the voters, as they would know what men could handle each department. The charter, however, does not define the duties of the departments, but leaves that solely to the Mayor, who assigns the Commissioners and apportions their work.

Dr. W. M. Killingsworth declared that he had called on ten successful business men, men who, he said, would make good in any of the offices to be filled, and not one would consent to become a candidate, owing to the confusion and the chance of defeat at the hands of inferior candidates. He said: "The city is facing a crisis and I feel, like Mr. Wood, that, if necessary, this committee should go as far as to indorse good men for the offices."

Mrs. Trumbull Speaks.

Mrs. Millie R. Trumbull, the only woman who took the floor, said that she wished it were possible for the committee to indorse a ticket, as she felt that was the only way the public could be informed on how to vote."

C. V. Littlefield said he feared that, to indorse any candidate or set of candidates, would but serve to defeat the very object for which the committee of 100 was called into existence. He favored providing the information as to all candidates and leaving the result to the electorate. He thought it would be all right to bring out some new candidates, however.

On motion of R. W. Raymond, a committee of five members was authorized for the purpose of inviting other organizations all over the city to meet with the general committee of 100, next Wednesday night, the place of meeting to be named in the call.

EAST SIDERS FACE PROBLEM

Methods of Gathering Information on Candidates Discussed.

Ways and means for acquiring information as to the character, capabilities and records of candidates for office under the new commission charter were discussed at a meeting held at the Central Christian Church, East Twentieth and East Salmon streets, last night. No action was taken by the meeting, several speakers suggesting that it would be advisable to await the recommendation of the committee of 100 before deciding on a definite plan.

Among the speakers were those who voted both for and against the commission charter, and all were agreed that the present situation calls for thought and vigilance on the part of every voter.

"We hope that the committee of 100 names a number of capable men that the Christian people of the city can support," said Rev. S. R. Hawkins, who was chairman of the meeting. "With the salaries that the commission charter provides, there is no reason why the offices cannot be filled with clean and capable men, and it is the duty of every voter in the city to inform himself as to the qualifications of the candidates before casting his ballot.

Other speakers were Rev. C. F. Cline, H. L. Ganoe and James Maguire.

TEAL TALKS TO ENGINEERS

Conservation of Natural Resources for Young People Urged.

Conservation of natural resources, for the benefit of the young men and young women of the country, was urged before the Oregon Society of Engineers last night by Joseph N. Teal, president of the Oregon Conservation Commission.

Mr. Teal discussed both Federal and state conservation and declared that there should be both co-ordination and co-operation in development of the natural resources of the West.

"When the Government is about to build an inland waterway," he argued, "it should go a step farther and, if practicable, use some of this same energy in providing irrigation for nearby arid lands." He also emphasized the necessity of preserving the forests.

Mexico Letter 28 Days in Transit.

CENTRALIA, Wash., May 8.—(Special.)—An example of the crippled condition of the Mexican mail service is the fact that E. S. Russell Tuesday received a letter that was mailed in Mexico City on April 8, the letter being 28 days in transit.

Women to Officiate at Grants Pass.

GRANTS PASS, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—Grants Pass City Council has named nine women to act as judges and clerks of the city election.

$20,000 DEFICIT IS SHRINKING SLOWLY

Rose Festival Fund Committee Urges Citizens to Come to Rescue.

RECORD ATTENDANCE SEEN

Never Have Plans for Show Taken So Much Attention of Cities in West, Say Workers, and Extra Efforts Are Made.

Money is beginning to come into the Rose Festival fund, but still much is needed to overcome the deficit of $20,000.

An aggregate of $370,50 was collected yesterday and more is promised. As the time between now and the Festival is growing short, quick action and generous subscriptions are needed in the next few days if the event this year is to be the usual success.

This collection campaign is in the hands of the Royal Rosarians, but members of that loyal organization are too busy these days getting ready to entertain the visitors from California and from other parts of the Coast to go out and make personal calls on those from whom contributions are expected.

"Just send the money into the Festival headquarters in the Swetland building," they advise. A daily list of contributors will be printed in the papers. If it is more convenient The Oregonian will collect and receipt for subscriptions, turning them over to the Festival treasurer.

Entertainment Plans Big.

Plans for this year's Festival provide for more entertainment than ever before has been offered. The usual parades on land and water are scheduled. Swimming races and many other athletic events are on the programme. Much merriment will be dispensed, too, by the California visitors, who are coming in organized force to help Portland folk enjoy the charm and beauty of their matchless roses.

Each of the several cities that the Rosarians visited on their invasion of California last Winter will send a special trainload of people. Most of them will be in uniform. All will take part in the parades. Portland owes it to them to provide a fitting entertainment, say the Rosarians. The Rosarians themselves already have given liberally to the Festival fund. Besides they are going down into their own pockets for considerable wads of good cash to show individual visitors good times when they come here.

Record Attendance Expected.

It is probable that the attendance this year will exceed that of any previous Festival season. This is due not only to the increased interest in the Festival itself, but in the numerous meetings and conventions that will be held synchronously with the Festival. A lot of Eastern people are coming this year. The Northwest has been prosperous during the last 10 or 12 months. This is the territory from which the bulk of the visitors always has come before. Greater numbers should come this year. It is probable that 60,000 visitors will be here within the week.

Following is a list of subscriptions received yesterday:

Pantages Theater	$ 25.00
S. Blumauer Estate	25.00
S. Morton Cohn	25.00
Mrs. H. Carder	5.00
Film Supply Company of Oregon	10.00
Sig Sichel & Co.	10.00
Schiller Cigar Factory	20.00
Weldon Darling	5.00
O. P. Locke	10.00
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M. Seller & Co.	25.00
Charles L. Mastick & Co.	25.00
Krebs Bros. Stamp Works	2.50
J. J. Herscheimer	5.00
Western Sales Co.	5.00
Oregon Creamery Co.	15.00
Multnomah Barber Shop	8.00
F. W. (Billy) Winter	10.00
Erdner & Hochuli	5.00
Total	$370.50

LANE FAIR WANTS $2000

County Court Withholds Decision Temporarily.

EUGENE, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—Application for an appropriation of $2000 in addition to the $1985 appropriated by state law, was asked from the County Court yesterday by members of the Lane County Fair Association. The county last year devoted $2000 to the fair, and the association asks that this sum be given again. The County Court deferred decision until the District Attorney can settle some questioned points as to division of the $1985 appropriated by the general state law, as the court wishes to give financial aid to the Junction City Pumpkin Show and to the Cottage Grove Fair. Requests for the annual poultry show also were presented.

The directors of the fair association set aside $400 for the purchase of premiums for the school children's exhibits of agricultural and industrial products.

F. S. DRAKE PUT IN CHARGE

Yakima Valley Transportation Company Appoints Portland Man.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., May 8.—(Special.)—Frank S. Drake, of Portland, has been named superintendent of the Yakima Valley Transportation Company's city and suburban lines, according to a telegram received yesterday from President N. C. Richards, of the company, who is now in Portland.

Mr. Drake was formerly with the electric line in Walla Walla, and recently has been connected with the Harriman electric system out of Portland. He will succeed W. C. Baker, who came here a year ago from Salt Lake City, and resigned to take a place in the East.

Enterprise Women Vote.

ENTERPRISE, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—Seventy women cast their first votes at the Enterprise city election on Tuesday. G. W. Hyatt was elected Mayor, defeating G. M. Gaily. Mr. Hyatt was the nominee of the town mass meeting and his name was the only one on the ballot for Mayor. But at the last minute a movement was started for an opponent and Mr. Gailey's supporters wrote in his name. Successful candidates for Councilmen were Daniel Boyd, J. A. Denny and Dr. C. T. Hockett. L. E. Jordan was elected Recorder; A. M. Pace, Treasurer, and T. M. Pill, City Attorney.

Brown Rumor Is Doubted.

ROSEBURG, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—A newspaper report to the effect that District Attorney Brown will be a candidate for Attorney-General at the next general election is received here with little credence. Although Mr. Brown is absent from the city his close political friends say he repeatedly has announced that he would retire from public life at the end of his present term as District Attorney. In the event the late announcement is true it is believed that Mr. Brown only recently changed his mind regarding his future political aspirations.

MRS. PAGET FOND OF CATS

Feline Furs Being Sold in London for 36 to 48 Cents Each.

LONDON, May 10.—(Special.)—Like her sister, Mrs. Willard Straight, Mrs. Almeric Paget, who, by the way, is a sister of Mr. Harry Payne Whitney, is a great friend of animals and just now is especially concerned about cats. Some of the manufacturing furriers send through the streets of London bands of cat-catchers who pick up any stray cat and, having stowed it into a basket, take it to its fate. For each skin 36 cents is paid, but an all-black smooth skin will fetch about 48 cents. Many society people have become inconsolable over the loss of their pets. The thieving is done in the most skillful manner, mostly by old women who pretend to feed the animals. In many quarters the streets are now being watched through the energy of a number of ladies, of whom Mrs. Almeric Paget is one.

Mrs. Almeric Paget and her sisters practice what they preach. They neither wear furs, nor feathers of rare birds such as osprey, yet they manage to look as smart and often smarter than anyone else. For some time past Mrs. Paget's health has prevented her from taking a prominent part in the gayeties of society, but her friends expect to see a great deal of her this Summer in London. Almeric Paget, who has also been on the sick list, is now improving in health.

SUCCESS FOR TURKS HOPED

Ex-Grand Vizier in London Says Thoy Brought on Own Disaster.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 10.—(Special.)—The "Ikdam" publishes an interesting account of an interview granted to its correspondent in London by Hakki Pasha, who expresses the hope that the Turks, "if they become men," and remodel their political life, will yet succeed in forming a happy, well-ordered state in Asia Minor.

Such is the hope of many of Turkey's Liberal friends in England, though all, according to the ex-Grand Vizier, declare that the day of political chimeras is past, and that the Turks, if they intend to survive, must concentrate their efforts on establishing a just system of government. The political education of the Turkish people, adds Hakki Pasha, must be taken in hand.

"When I was Ambassador at Rome," he said, "our most serious newspapers described the officers who played a political role as heroes of liberty, though such conduct on the part of any soldier, good or bad, is a step towards the ruin of his country. We have brought our disasters on ourselves."

GIRLS PLAY BASKETBALL

Florence and Mapleton Pupils to Meet in Contest Today.

FLORENCE, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—Since, at the suggestion of their physical director, Dr. Stuart, and her assistant, Miss Thompson, the women students of the University of Oregon presented basketballs to the high school girls of Mapleton and Florence, the game is the favorite pastime of the girls of both schools.

The Mapleton girls secured the services of Miss Bess Young, a basketball star from the University of Oregon, as coach, while the Florence girls are learning the game under Dr. Charles P. Johnson. On Friday evening the two teams will meet for the first time in a match game at Mapleton.

Farmers and Merchants to Meet.

THE DALLES, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—Twenty local merchants have accepted the invitation of the farmers of the Columbia district to attend a basket dinner and get-together session and will go to the Columbia Schoolhouse, 12 miles east of here, where the meeting will be held, tomorrow. The object of the session is to get the business men of The Dalles and the farmers into closer touch in matters pertaining to the general benefit of the county. After dinner there will be a big "talkfest," in which all present are expected to participate. C. L. ("Farmer") Smith, agricultural expert of the O.-W. R. & N. Company, will deliver a lecture.

Fines Paid to Race Death.

OLYMPIA, Wash., May 8.—(Special.)—Mrs. George A. Mottman, wife of Mayor Mottman of this city, paid the fines of an auto driver for driving her car through two rural cities at more than the speed limit, the speed being made in order to allow her to catch the Shasta Limited train for the bedside of her dying mother in California. The auto made a little more than 30 miles in 55 minutes over rough roads, and the driver was fined $10 in Tenino and $10 in Centralia for exceeding the speed limits of the two places.

Plucking a Fowl, $95,000.

New York Press.

A work of Rembrandt ("Woman Plucking a Fowl") recently sold in Paris for $95,000, appears to hold the record price for that artist's work. The same picture was sold in Amsterdam in 1734 (it was probably painted about 1640) for $70. In 1845 in London it brought about $1625, and in 1884 was sold in Paris, to the family which has now resold it, for about $2800. The previous record price for a Rembrandt was that paid for the "Girl Holding a Medal," in the Hoe collection, sold here last year for $70,000.

The Jews in India.

Hebrew Standard.

The mystery of the continued existence of the Beni-Israel of India is as great as ever. It is marvelous to find these brethren of the house of Israel preserving their religious identity among the vast multitudes belonging to alien ethnic faiths. These Indian Jews survive in an atmosphere which is altogether moved by caste, while they themselves regard caste as unthinkable for themselves. Like the Parsees, the followers of Zoroaster, their numbers are scanty; their economic importance is considerable.

Football in 1583.

London Echo.

Football has always had its enemies. In "The Anatomie of Abuses," published in 1583, the game is roundly abused. Its author describes football as "a bloodie and murthering practice." "For doth not every one lye in waite for his adversaurie," he argues, "seeking to overthrowe him or to picke him on his nose? though it be upon hard stones? in ditch, or dale, in valley or hill, or what place souever it be, he careth not, so he have him down?"

Medford Laws to Be Indexed.

MEDFORD, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the City Council Tuesday night it was decided to have the city ordinances compiled and indexed, in order that citizens may determine at any time the provisions of the municipal laws.

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Portland Wire & Iron Wks., 2d and Columbia

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Brunswick-Balke-Collander Co., 46 Fifth st.

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CLOSSET & DEVERS, 1-11 N. Front st.
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QUEEN'S GEMS ON SHOW

JEWELS TO GO TO RHODODENDRA VI AT FLORENCE.

Royal Ruler of Carnival to Be Selected From Princesses of Nearby Districts.

FLORENCE, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—On display in a local show window are the jewels which are to become the property of the maid who is to be chosen to reign as Queen Rhododendra VI, during this year's carnival season. The jewels consist of a chain of gold beads, a pearl bead necklace and a locket.

The carnival will be held May 27 and 28, and preparations are being made to select a young woman from each district hereabouts who will come to the festival as the princess of her particular "tribe," accompanied by her braves. An archery contest will be held and the successful contestant will be proclaimed queen and presented with her royal jewels.

The royal bower, from which all speeches will be made, is being arranged to face the hillside where the tiers of seats for spectators will be arranged, and a programme is being prepared which is expected to surpass anything previously given here. A clam bake, a school fair and an educational conference are to be held during the carnival. On account of the lateness of the season the rhododendrons are just beginning to blossom, and the carnival season will find them in their full glory.

REV. C. LANG HANSEN DIES

Former Portland Minister Succumbs in Seattle.

SEATTLE, Wash., May 8.—(Special.)—Rev. C. Lang Hansen, pastor of the Norwegian-Danish Methodist Church, died Wednesday after a short illness.

Mr. Hansen was born June 27, 1865, in Ran Helgeland, Norway. He came to America in 1882 and attended the Garrett Biblical Institute at Evanston, Ill. He had pastorates in Heepster, Ill.; Sheboygan and Racine, Wis.; Spokane and Tacoma, Portland, Or., and Seattle. He also served as district superintendent of the Norwegian-Danish Methodist Church in Washington, Oregon and California for four years. In 1908 he was a delegate to the general conference of the Methodist Church held in Baltimore, and was one of the assistant secretaries of the general conference. For five years he maintained a large congregation in his church at Boren avenue and Stewart street.

Mr. Hansen was married in 1893 to Miss Anna Erickson, of Evanston, Ill., and is survived by his widow and five children.

NEW MAYOR TAKES OFFICE

Eugene France Appoints City Officials in Aberdeen, Wash.

ABERDEEN, Wash., May 8.—(Special.)—Mayor Eugene France assumed the duties of office Wednesday night, and will be in charge of the municipality for the next two years, unless the people vote for a commission form of government, which Mayor France favors.

The Mayor named for City Attorney, A. T. Cross, incumbent; William Tamblyn, Chief of the Fire Department, incumbent; Police Judge, Glen Snyder; City Engineer, L. D. Kelsey, who has been Assistant City Engineer; City Physician, L. T. Goodnow, incumbent; and retained temporarily A. S. Randolph, Superintendent of the Water Department; William Staman, Chief of Police, who has been Day Sergeant, and Edward Fear, Superintendent of Streets, who has been Assistant Superintendent.

Mayor France in his address favored an abundant water supply and a system of public docks.

FATE OF MILLIONS AWAITS

Land Commissioner of Washington to Rule on Valued Lands.

OLYMPIA, Wash., May 8.—(Special.)—The disposition of several million dollars' worth of land lies absolutely in the hands of State Land Commissioner Clark V. Savidge. Under the new law, which goes into effect June 12, he will be under the responsibility of determining what portions of the Lake Washington shore lands, which will be uncovered when the canal to salt water is opened, shall be reserved for state purposes and what shall revert naturally to the property owners whose land runs down to the present water's edge.

This bill caused a great fight in the Legislature and the compromise which passed provided that all land which was not reserved for the state should go to the present shore owners.

Road Rumor Awakens Realty.

INDEPENDENCE, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—A report, which cannot be substantiated as yet, that a new branch of the Salem, Falls City & Western will tap the Copper Hollow country, three miles west of town, has caused a stir in real estate conditions in that territory. A Mr. Cheesebourough, of The Dalles, has bought the C. Clapp ranch of 136 acres, Ramsey farm of 120 acres, and Kenyon place of 60, and the same have been put into crop for this season. It is reported that he is also trying to ge tother farms in the same vicinity.

Lane County Plans Convention.

EUGENE, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—Rev. F. W. Emerson, pastor of the Albany Christian Church and recently elected president of the Oregon State Sunday School Association, will be one of the principal speakers at the Lane County Sunday school convention, which is to be held here May 27 and 28. Mrs. S. W. Ormsby, state secretary, and Rev. Charles A. Phipps, state field secretary, will be among the other speakers.

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Rooms and Board, Private Families.
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The Oregonian will accept classified advertisements over the telephone, providing the advertiser is a subscriber to either phone. No prices will be quoted over the phone, but bill will be rendered the following day. Whether subsequent advertisements will be accepted over the phone depends upon the promptness of the payment of telephone advertisements. Situations Wanted and Personal advertisements will not be accepted over the telephone. Orders for one insertion only will be accepted for "Houses for Rent," "Furniture for Sale," "Business Opportunities," "Rooming-houses" and "Wanted to Rent."