

KNOWLES' SILENCE WOUNDS FRIENDS

No Word Comes From Nature-Man and Guide Fails to Return From Camp.

HARDEST STRUGGLE IS ON

Lack of News Is Taken to Indicate That First and Most Difficult Days of Test Are Being Passed Successfully.

HOLLAND, Or., Via Grants Pass, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—Nothing has been heard from the Knowles camp today.

ENOUGH SIGN 8-HOUR BILL

Count Shows Washington Measure Will Get Place on Ballot.

OLYMPIA, Wash., July 24.—The final count of signatures of the initiative petitions for the "universal eight-hour day" was completed in the Secretary of State's office today.

U'REN CAN'T RUN DOUBLE

Independent - Prohibitionist Must Tell Voters Which He Is.

OREGON CITY, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—St. Luke's boys' organization received word from the Secretary of State today that his name could not be put on the ballot twice.

BOY SCOUTS AID MEMBER

First Aid Administered When Hand Is Cut Preparing Bed.

SALOONMEN UNDER FIRE

Prosecutor Has Four Fined and Says He Is After Others.

ELLENBURG, Wash., July 24.—(Special.)—A quartet from Cle Elum, posing as gamblers, dealers in liquor and cafe proprietors, were brought before Justice C. R. Hadley today.

CUPID BUSY AT POMEROY

Five Marriages, Including Double Ceremony Performed in 3 Days.

POMEROY, Wash., July 24.—(Special.)—Five marriages were performed in Pomeroy yesterday.

FRUIT DAMAGE IS SLIGHT

Wenatchee Reports Put Injury From Hail at Less Than 100 Cars.

SUPERVISORS UPHOLD LAW

At Meeting of State Officials Stricter Rules Are Proposed.

OREGON NORMAL SCHOOL, Monmouth, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—The County School Supervisors of Oregon,

FOES OF INITIATIVE BILLS MORE ACTIVE

Argument for Washington Dry Measure Only Affirmative One in Pamphlet.

12 NEGATIVE ONES ARE IN

Blue Sky Act and Proposal to Abolish State Tax Commission Are Alone Without Opposition in Booklet for Voters.

OLYMPIA, Wash., July 24.—(Special.)—With the time passed for filling arguments to go in the State of Washington initiative legislation booklet,

TWO LACK OPPOSITION

Of the five initiative measures proposed, the "blue sky" bill and the bill to abolish the State Tax Commission, transferring its duties to the public service commission, alone lack opposition in the form of argument.

PROSECUTIONS ARE HINTED

Irregularities at Linnton Covered by Alleged False Vouchers Several Months, Investigators at City Hall Say.

OLYMPIA, Wash., July 24.—(Special.)—The investigation of irregularities in the purchase of food supplies for the purchase of food supplies by officials at Linnton, Wash., has resulted in a subpoena of several months' worth of vouchers.

INJURED MOTORISTS RECOVERING

Members of the family of J. A. Ely, of Willows, Cal., who went over the grade yesterday in their automobile, 16 miles south of Roseburg, are improving at the home of P. B. Burnett.

ST. JOHN BOY ACCIDENTALLY SHOT

ST. JOHN, Wash., July 24.—(Special.)—Eugene Stephens, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Stephens, was shot accidentally while duck hunting on his father's ranch eight miles west of this place last night.

"GROUP 6" BANKERS MEET TODAY

LA GRANDE, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—Bankers of "Group 6," comprising Union, Wallowa, Baker, Malheur and Grant counties, will meet in an informal session tomorrow on the banks of Wallowa Lake.

ASHLAND TO SELL OWN BONDS

ASHLAND, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—Owing to unsatisfactory bids on the \$175,000 auxiliary water bond issue, a special committee will take up the matter of disposing of the securities direct to investors at private sale.

EARL M'COY SENTENCED

HILLSBORO, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—Judge J. O. Campbell today sentenced Earl McCoy to an indeterminate sentence of from one to five years in the penitentiary for an assault with the purpose of robbery on the person of P. M. Woodcock of Portland.

WASHINGTON CROP HEAVY

OLYMPIA, Wash., July 24.—(Special.)—The wheat crop of the State of Washington for the season of 1914 is estimated by State Grain Inspector R. D. Jarboe at 2,900,000 bushels, which is 4,000,000 larger than the heavy crop two years ago.

BRIDE OF 14, WIDOW AT 16

MADGE FITTS, With 8-Months-Old Babe, Gets Divorce in Walla Walla.

Few Seek Cowlitz Offices

CENTRALIA, Wash., July 24.—(Special.)—Although two weeks have passed since the Cowlitz County Auditor's office was opened to filings of candidates few have filed their declarations.

Every Boy Gets a Straw Hat Now at Half Price

BOYS and baseball--"now and forever; one and inseparable!" It takes strong clothes, though, to hold the sturdy youngsters, and that's the kind of clothes this boys' store likes to put on your boy.

There are genuine reductions here now on the best sorts of new Norfolk suits that ordinarily are quite modestly priced at \$5, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50 and \$10.

You can buy these suits now for only \$3.95, \$5.10, \$5.95, \$6.75 and \$7.85—reductions that are indeed worth while when you consider the style and quality of the garments and the moderation of the normal prices.

The very daintiest of wash suits for the little fellows are here at just one-half. Every style—Russian, Sailor, Middy, Oliver Twist.

Selling now at half—50c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50. It will pay a careful mother to buy now for service thro' the hot August days just ahead.

BEN SELLING

Boys' Bathing Suits From 50c Up

LEADING CLOTHIER MORRISON AT FOURTH

SISTERS ARE SHOT

Deputy's Gun Falls, Killing One, Wounding Another.

TRAGEDY OCCURS ON TRIP

Prineville Young Women, Visiting at Tacoma, Are Felled by Single Bullet as They Are About to Board Auto Bus.

OLYMPIA, Wash., July 24.—(Special.)—Two young women, Viola Truesdale, of Prineville, Or., about 18 years old, was shot and almost instantly killed late this afternoon, and her sister Grace, 17 years old, was wounded in the thigh, as the two were about to board the Sixth-avenue automobile bus near Titlow's Beach.

The bullet came from the revolver of George H. Ashby, Deputy Sheriff, who, with Sheriff Jamieson, was stopping off the bus as the girls were getting on.

Ashby's revolver dropped from his pocket and was discharged when it struck the ground. The bullet struck Grace in the thigh and passed up, striking Viola in the throat.

It is supposed that someone in the crowd about the bus knocked the revolver from the officer's pocket.

The girls were here visiting relatives named Owens at Third-fifth and Pacific streets and were on their way from Arletta, one of the neighboring island villages, where they had been visiting an aunt.

Deputy Sheriff Ashby was a member of the police force for nearly 20 years. For the last couple of years had been attached to the Prosecuting Attorney's office.

Chief Deputy Would Be Lawyer.

ARLINGTON, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—Harvest in Gilliam County is now in full swing. Every available man, every horse and piece of machinery is being crowded to the limit, taking advantage of the good weather and the abundant yield. There is now no question but that the total yield will be the largest since 1908 and may even beat that, as the acreage is considered larger. In quality there is a large per cent of No. 1, but with some bleached or smutted fields, where there will be a falling from this best condition. By tomorrow fully 75 per cent of all grain either will be in the stack or sack, according to the machinery used. The use of combines is being somewhat discouraged, while threshing from headers is meeting with favor as shown by three new outfits coming into the county this year.

Go Ballooning---

Tonight from 10:30 until 12 is the feature extraordinary in the Arcadian Garden. Parisian craze—inaugurated in Portland by Manager Bowers. The Grill has been taxed to capacity each night this bizarre attraction has been staged.

See America's greatest exponents of the modern dances—MISS MYRTLE HOWARD and her International Trio of society dancers—NEVILLE F. LEESON, MISS PHYLLIS LYNDON, PAULO DE SILVA—also the great Irish tenor, JOHN LYNCH, and HELLER'S Augmented Orchestras.

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