

### GROGERS' PICNIC IS DECIDED SUCCESS

Clouds Threaten, but Bonneville Has No Rain and 2500 Enjoy Day.

### CHILDREN HAVE OUTING

Baseball Game, Won by Salesmen, Programme of Races and Other Athletic Contests, Dancing and Hikes Make Event Joyous.

Grocers, grocers' clerks, delivery men and delivery boys, 2500 in number, with their wives, families and sweethearts, tagged and bade good-bye to everything from soda biscuits to automobiles, and in the morning, in spite of the threatening weather, large numbers took the lucky chance and went. Three long trains were well packed, and all of them were not a drop of rain at Bonneville and the weather, though not hot, was agreeable.

The band, which came on the first train, was followed by an enthusiastic throng of baseball fans who roared and hooted at the game between grocers and salesmen, the score of which was 12 to 9 for the salesmen. William Greer was manager of the winning team, and Claude Schmeier of the grocers. Gus Lind and Buck Kith were umpires. The youngest fan who yelled lustily at the ball game was Miss Virginia Ellen Fliske, the winner of a week-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Val J. Fliske. Baby Virginia witnessed the game from a pillowed grocery basket, carried by her salesman father.

Children Enjoy Treat. All morning the children more than 3000 of them, clustered about the huge lemonade booth, where 1000 gallons of lemonade was distributed through the stand was another popular booth, where the whole picnic crowd enjoyed coffee, also a treat. Good-natured, hospitable parties of friends and families welcomed all strangers to join them on the green under the trees and to enjoy the scores of picnic spreads were the scenes of mirth and merrymaking. During the lull between luncheon and the afternoon races, the grocers and salesmen, those who did not linger about the numerous concessions went for hikes to the state park. The most enjoyable of all the athletic events was the babies' race, in which 40 or more toddlers under 4 years old ran a vigorous 30-yard race. All were classed as winners in some measure, so each carried away her first trophy of sportsmanship ability, in the form of candies and cakes. Particularly interesting in this race was Henry Martin, known to the association as "Prince Henry," his chief duty consisted in lifting the tiny winners to their feet. Pete Hawkins was official starter, and his cry of, "Just a little patience, please," became the picnic slogan.

Officials Kept Busy. The results of the athletic events were as follows: Free-for-all race—C. Dixon and M. C. Fleming, first; R. Thayer and Z. Smith, second; E. W. and F. J. Sinnott, third; M. Nuedelman and B. Collins, fourth. Women's ball-throwing contest—Miss L. Lynch, first; Kate Devaney, second; Miss D. McKee, third; Miss Regina Schultz, fourth. Ball-throwing contest for grocers' wives—Mrs. S. Chelak, first; Mrs. C. J. Sadler, second. Free-for-all shoe race—H. E. Cooper, first; Charles A. Clay, second; E. Bohm, third; M. C. Fleming, fourth. Fat men's race—O. E. Bennisson, first; E. A. Fisher, second; C. C. Clarke, third; H. W. Moir, fourth. Free-for-all ladies' race—Gladys Frye, first; Loretta Lynch, second; Lena Repp, third; Marion Buckley, fourth. Salesmen's ball-throwing contest—Charles P. Dixon, first; H. J. Hawkins, third; Charles P. Hall, fourth. Ladies' hazard race—Mrs. D. Flood, first; Marion Buckley, second; Miss Daisy Porter, third; Mrs. A. J. Ellis, fourth. Potato race—Charles Clay and Frank Sinnott, first; Rollo Robert, second; Rue Draser, third; W. Grenfall, fourth. Boys' free-for-all footrace—Harold Gilman, first; Albert Buckley, second; Mike Galashoff, third; Lewis Sam, fourth. Free-for-all footrace—Ralph Thayer, first; M. C. Fleming, second; William Lucke, third; Harry Hansen, fourth.

PATENT OFFICIAL WITNESS (Continued From First Page.) and who made the various models of the company's machines, was another interesting witness. Mr. Overlin testified that his salary in this expert work was \$300 a month. He told, in reply to questions by the United States Attorney, how he had worked out the complete cashier machine and other machines from Thomas Bilyeu's original model and patents. In the examination of Mr. Overlin, the United States Attorney brought out an important point from the viewpoint of the Government. This was that the National Cash Register Company now holds, and held in 1911 prior to the Cashier Company advertisement of October 22, 1911, already quoted, patents to a computing machine invented by a man named Osborne. Attorney's Warning Read. One of the most dramatic moments of the trial came when United States Attorney Reames sought to prove, through Mr. Overlin, that Frank Menefee, president of the company, knew of this prior patent through a letter of warning to Mr. Overlin from J. P. Robb, the company's own patent attorney at Washington, before the advertisement of October 22. The letter, dated October 5, 1911, was in part as follows: "I am hoping to hear from the Cashier Company any day supplementing your instructions for me to discontinue my work on the infringement search. The most important thing I have accomplished in the search thus far has been the location of two patents in this art controlled by the National Cash Register Company, and which will affect seriously our computing machine. This is one reason why I regret the interruption of my infringement work, for I feel that the portion of my report dealing with the patents of the above concern will be one of the most important features and will necessitate very careful consideration on the part of the company's mechanical department, as well as the officers, in determining the future course of action regarding the marketing of the computing machine." At the bottom of the letter was a note by Mr. Robb asking Overlin to take up the matter with Mr. Menefee. "Did you show the letter to Mr. Menefee?" asked the United States Attorney. The witness hesitated a long time.

### WRITER GETS BRIDE

Clark H. Williams and Miss Jessie M. Booth Married.

### WEDDING OFTEN DELAYED

Missed Boats and Trains Cause Portland Man to Have All Sorts of Worries and Even After Ceremony Train Leaves Couple.

Surprising most of all his closest friends, Clark H. Williams, a popular Portland newspaperman and member of The Oregonian staff, was married last night to Miss Jessie M. Booth, of Portland. The license was issued just before the County Clerk's office closed, and the ceremony was performed by District Judge Arthur C. Dayton at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James H. McCool, 229 East.

The bride arrived in Portland from Flavel after returning from a California visit on the steamer Northern Pacific. Mr. Williams accompanied by Mr. McCool, secretary to City Commissioner Daly, was waiting for her with the marriage license in his pocket.

Wedding Oft Delayed. The wedding came after a series of misadventures, missed boats and trains, because the wedding in reality was to have been performed last week, just after Mr. Williams had completed a tour of the state by auto. But inevitable fate intervened, and for a few days bride and bridegroom-elect were trying to locate each other by special letter and telegram.

Mr. Williams missed the boat which was to bring her from San Francisco, Monday he received assurances that the steamer train that arrived yesterday, and he plans accordingly. Mr. Williams was at the depot, and restlessly awaited the unloading of 500 or more passengers.

Mr. Williams coincided inasmuch as coinciding with incidental accidents had become a habit almost. In due time the knot was tied—but not before the green lights of the beach train they were to take were fading in the distance.

CIVIL WAR HERO AT REST Brigadier-General Thorp Is Buried at Corvallis.



GROUP OF VISITING GEOGRAPHERS AT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. PROFESSOR D. W. JOHNSON, WHO IS IN CHARGE OF THE PARTY, IN THE CENTER OF THE FRONT ROW.

### ATHLETES ARE ALL FIT

PACIFIC NORTHWEST TRACK STARS REACH SAN FRANCISCO.

### Men Training at University of California—Sam Bellah in Especially Good Shape for Big Meets.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 28.—(Special.)—Representing the flower of the Northwestern athletic talent, 10 cinder path stars, accompanied by Manager Martin W. Hawkins and Trainer William Hayward, of the University of Oregon, stepped ashore this morning after an uneventful trip from Portland aboard the steamer Rose City.

The Northwesterners are here to participate in the Far Western track and field championships of Friday and Saturday as well as the later Amateur Athletic Union events.

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### Idaho Man Is Drowned.

TWIN FALLS, Idaho, July 28.—(Special.)—News was received here today of the death by drowning of Russell Emery, 24 years old, which occurred near Hansen, on Sunday afternoon.

### CINCINNATIANS VISIT CITY

Eastern Party Returning From Fairs Takes in Northwest. Another party of pleasure-seeking Cincinnatians passed through this city last night on their way East. The party was in charge of C. M. Hagedorn, head clerk of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy road, and had been at the California fairs, having come from San Francisco on the Great Northern.

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Third Infantry, Oregon National Guard, were the active participants and escorted the body to the cemetery, where volunteers were fired over the grave. General Thorp was Colonel of the First New York Cavalry Dragoons, and led the charge for General Sheridan at Cedar Creek. He was twice wounded and once captured during the war. At Macoh, Ga., where he was a prisoner, with 1600 other officers, he made a fiery Fourth of July speech and was ordered deported to Charleston. En route he jumped from the train and escaped, rejoining his command.

### NEW YORKERS HERE

Columbia Alumni Entertain Biographical Society.

Graduates and undergraduates from Columbia University, students and teachers who are members of the Columbia University Geographical Society of New York, were guests of the Portland Chamber of Commerce and the Portland alumni of the university yesterday, when they stopped over a day on their tour of the Pacific Coast. There were 39 in the party.

### PORTLAND PLEAS ALL

Rain Prevents Highway Trip, but Scenic Drives and Pictures of Places Along Route Are Shown Visitors.

The trip up the Columbia Highway was indirectly enjoyed through the showing of the collection of color slides made by Henry Berger and Frank L. Jones on the highway.

### Announcement of PRIZE WINNERS

The Great P. P. I. E. "15" Puzzle Eilers Music House

- We are pleased to announce that the judges selected to pass upon the answers received to the great P. P. I. E. "15" Puzzle, after considerable deliberation, have finally decided to award the first five grand prizes to the following contestants for the nearest, correct and most artistically arranged answers: 1st Prize—Mrs. W. Metzger, Box 182 R. No. 2, Beaverton, Or. 2d Prize—E. D. M. Fowle, Multnomah, Or. 3d Prize—Wm. E. Morris, 301 W. Park Street, Portland, Or. 4th Prize—Mrs. Arlena Yeaton, 529 1/2 Rhone Street, Portland, Or. 5th Prize—Mrs. J. C. Fiseher, 2838 62d Street S. E., Portland, Or.

The judges selected to judge the many beautiful answers received by us were: Miss Isabel Gilbaugh, of Art Dept., Lipman, Wolfe & Co. Mr. Frederick Hyskell, of Fred's Hyskell & Son, Advertising Co. Mr. I. M. Walker, of Behnke-Walker Business College.

### find "yours"

Remember—fatima isn't the only good one. Feel in your pocket. Maybe that's where you'll find "yours".

Advertisement for Niagara Falls Back East Low Fare Tour Tickets to New York and Boston. Includes details about train routes, ticket prices, and contact information for W. C. Seashorn.

College, New York City; M. C. Piesspatt, teacher in public school, Trenton, N. J.; H. Stam, graduate student in Columbia University; A. A. Steed, teacher in Horace Mann School, New York City; M. L. Taylor, geography teacher, Wadsworth High School, New York City; H. E. Van Raalte, C. B. White, geography teacher, public schools, Trenton, N. J.

Belting Thief Sentenced. ASTORIA, Or., July 28.—(Special.)—Karl Richmond, who was convicted a couple of days ago on a charge of grand larceny for stealing a quantity of belting, was sentenced in the Circuit Court this morning to serve from one to ten years in the penitentiary.

Advertisement for Eilers Music House featuring a large group photograph of the society members and promotional text for their prize winners.