

SENIORS IN REVOLT

Normal Students Drop Studies to Spend Day in Woods.

WHAT WILL FUTURE DO?

Forty Lads and Lassies at Bellingham Are Unable to Resist Green Grass and Sunshine and Play Truant.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., April 20.—(Special.)—Forty picturesque, frolicsome maidens and youths of the senior class of the North Bellingham High School are wondering what punishment they will receive from Principal Twitmyer on Monday morning for boldly deserting school yesterday afternoon and spending the hours that should have been passed in study in a happy, free-from-all-care jaunt to Lake Whatcom.



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CROSSED THE PLAINS IN 1852

J. S. Vaughan Connected With Early History of Three States.

AURORA, Or., April 20.—(Special.)—Jonathan Steven Vaughan, a pioneer of 1852, died at his home in Clackamas County, at the old Graham Ferry home, near Butteville yesterday. He was born December 9, 1829, in Cincinnati, Ohio. In 1852 he came across the plains with his parents.

Mr. Vaughan was a saddler by trade. He served some time as cook on the steamer Hooper, the second boat on the Willamette River. In 1858 he was married to Miss Sarah J. Strong, who survives him. Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan resided in

Butteville until 1860, when they removed to California, remaining two years. They went to Jacksonville, Or., for the winter and in 1862 Mr. Vaughan engaged in teaming at the Cascades. Later they returned to the Valley, stopping for a season with Joseph G. Geer, and spending two Summers at the mines in Idaho.

Afterwards Mr. Vaughan opened up a harness shop in Butteville, working at that business for eight years. In 1882 he moved to the old Graham Ferry home and also engaged in the hop business, being the third grower in Oregon.

Two brothers and one sister survive him, Curry Vaughan, of Hood River; Stewart Vaughan, of Middleton, and Mrs. Maria Jones, of Crescent, Cal. In his immediate family, besides his widow, are Charles, Ambrose, George and Eugene, of Portland; Violet Vaughan, of Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. Rose Stephens and Mrs. Josephine Epperly, of Portland, and Mrs. Edith Bradbury, at home. Mr. Vaughan was a member of Champeau Lodge, A. F. and A. M., of Butteville, also of Butteville Lodge, No. 59, I. O. O. F. In politics he was a staunch Republican.

She Also Sues the Sheriff.

HILLSBORO, Or., April 20.—(Special.)—Mrs. Lillian Bond, of Forest Grove, who on April 16 sued B. F. Wagley for \$10,000 damages for forcible ejection from a Forest Grove restaurant, has retained another attorney and brought suit against Sheriff John W. Connor for an additional \$10,000. The complaint alleges that Connor, who was present at the defendant's proceedings, was instrumental in putting the plaintiff out of the place.

Falls Into Tub of Boiling Water.

HOOD RIVER, Or., April 20.—Francis Vauthier, 4 years old and living at Mount Hood, fell into a tub of scalding hot water, which his mother was using to wash clothes with yesterday. The screams of the child attracted Mrs. Vauthier who was in another room and came to his rescue. The little fellow is reported to be very badly scalded and whether he will recover is not yet known.

HEEDS APPEAL GRANDPARENTS

Judge Scott at Their Request Takes Children From Parents.

SALEM, Or., April 20.—(Special.)—The appeal of two aged grandmothers was

VICTIM OF FLOOD

Riderless Horse Tells Mute Tale of Davis' Death.

BODY IN UMATILLA RIVER

Youth Started April 9 to Ride From Ranch on Meacham Creek to Pendleton — Searching Party Goes to Find Corpse of Boy.

PENDLETON, Or., April 20.—(Special.)—Giant, worn, haggard, with water-soaked saddle and blankets, to which the rusting butcher tools were strapped, the horse on which Eddie Davis started to ride from the mountain ranch of his uncle on Meacham Creek to the farm near



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the sidewalk and took another shot at him at the alley near the Presbyterian Church. Gerun ran up the back stairway of the St. Clair lodging-house and was captured in the hallway by Murphy and taken back to jail.

PLAN TO AMEND THE CHARTER

People of Pendleton Discuss Local Issues at Mass Meeting.

PENDLETON, Or., April 20.—(Special.)—A mass meeting of the citizens was held at the Court House last night for the purpose of discussing the proposed amendments to the city charter, but nothing was accomplished further than the appointment of a tax-payers' committee of three from each of the four wards, to confer and co-operate with the Mayor and the Council in framing up the amendments and again submitting them to the people.

The amendments asked for by the Council are as follows: To empower the Council to make a tax levy of 9 mills for general purposes, instead of 7, as at present; to authorize the expenditure of not to exceed \$200 at any one time to relieve a distressed person; to raise the percentage of signers necessary to defeat a proposed street improvement from 25 to 30 per cent of the frontage along the street to be improved, and to authorize the issuance of bonds to refund warrants issued and bonds soon to become due; to further extend and strengthen the law to provide a fund for the payment of street intersections, to extend the sewer system, to construct a City Hall and Jail and to provide a gravity water system, making in all a total of \$250,000. It is not proposed, however, to issue all these at once, as it will probably be several years before the gravity system is demanded.

After the amendments have been agreed upon by the Council and the tax-payers' committee, they will be submitted to a vote of the people at an election, which will probably be held in July.

BUSINESS MEN AT BANQUET

Springfield Club Dines in Office of Editor of the News.

SPRINGFIELD, Or., April 20.—(Special.)—The banquet given the Springfield Commercial Club last evening by L. M. Beebe, editor of the Springfield News, was the most important event in which the local commercial club has taken part.

The banquet was given at the offices of the Springfield News. Thirty-six business men were in attendance and all were called upon to speak. Glen O. Bassett, superintendent of the Booth-Kelly Mills, acted as toastmaster. Especially notable speeches and enthusiasm for a united Springfield and Eugene marked the meeting.

Gives Officers a Merry Chase.

TACOMA, Wash., April 20.—John Gerun, the desperate alleged burglar caught in Chicago and brought back to Tacoma for burglary of the Day Jewelry Company, made a bold dash for liberty as he was being taken to the jail from the courtroom this morning. Officer Steve Murphy fired three shots at him as he reached

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