## JOHN JOHNSON SHOT

Found Dood by His Brother Al-Lest Thursday Evening

John Johnson, of Portland, aged 51 years, was found dead by his brother, Albert, a civil engineer, on their ranch two miles below Tualatin, last Thursday evening, fitting, and teach how to adjust that he would go out and kill a bird, leaving the house just before lunch time. Shortly after-many the house gust be and Jackson Streets, Phone No. Main 384.

sets purchased in stores, -Mrs. at the barn, milking, and they left the three children, a lad about 5 years old, a 10 months many the house and the little girl in the ward the brother and young man stopping on the ranch heard two shots, one immediately following the other. Some said five sec-onds intervened between shots, and some said at the investiga that there was about a minute between shots. Not return-ing within a reasonable time Albert and the hired man went out to make a search. They found Johnson's body lying on its back, behind a log, with a shotgun wound near the heart. the contents having entered with an upward range.

Reeves soon found a gun wad 30 cow, and 2nd prize winner, in she heard the baby crying foully, feet in front of the body, proving class of twenty at the Pacific In-that the second shot must have ternational Stock Show. Sire: Entering the kitchen she found struck the dead man.

not the shot was accidental is hard to say from the general conditions, but there seems to be no other solution. It is thought that Johnson fired the first shot at a bird, while standing on, or near the log, and then must have placed the breech of the gun on the log, causing its discharge.

Johnson lived at 867 Albina Avenue Portland, and he leaves a widow and daughter. Of his Prices that save you money immediate family he is survived by four brothers. Frank, the well known hopbuyer, who frequently makes Hillsboro on his trips; ly makes Hillsboro on his trips; satteens, now 21c and 23c; 50c satteens, now 21c and 23c; 50c satteens, now 42c; \$1 serges, now for the clothing was practically all satteens, now 42c; \$1 serges, now for the clothing was practically all still has the same old twinkle in his eye.

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He was a Woodman of the World, and carried insurance in that order. Conditions do not at all warrant the suicide theory, as Johnson was not financially emtrassed, and his domestic relations were the most pleasant.

If you want your Monday's washing made easy you should ee our Vacuum Washing mahine. Take a look at it at Corwin's win's.

breakable ranges are made to last a litetime.—D. Corwin.

Arthur Spiesschaert, of besyond North Plains, on the Tongue place, was in town Friday.

Mrs. Cora Stemple, aged 36 TWO YEAR OLD GIRL years, of Forest Grove, was Frtday adjudged insane upon exam-ir ation by Dr. F. A. Bailey, and Judge Reasoner ordered her com-mitted to the Salem Hospital. The Guard took her to Salem Saturday. Mrs. Stemple is a widow and has three children. She has had hallucinations for some time, and has threatened her neighbors. She accuses them of interfering with her six year old boy. The finding are that she is above average mentally, but that her attacks of mental stress have been of lengthy duration.

1 represent Spirella corsetsnot sold in stores. Will call at homes on request, and do the look at some timber. Reaching an experienced corsetier service.

by the Beaverton justice of the and some meat from the municiple wood camp, near Beaverton, Among his effects were found some underwear of the female persuasion, and a shipping receipt for some crosscut saws, sent to Tacoma, and it is thought he has been an old offender.

Holstein Bull, yearling; fine in-Sheriff Reeves and Coroner dividual; will make a prize win-barrett went to the scene, and ner; Dam, an advanced registry Mrs. Smith told Dr. Rob Boy 64895, by a son of an \$8000

> Elmer S. McNutt, aged 53 years, died at Portland, Thurslay, Jan. 21. He was a son of Col. R. W. McNutt, of Cornelius. The remains were shipped to Cornelius for interment. He was well known at Cornelius and Forest Grove. His widow, formerly Miss Clarissa Low, and two sons, Herbert and Lloyd, survive.

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C. F. Hesse and son, Henry T. Hesse, of Scholls, were in town Monday. Mr. Hesse, of Scholls, were in town

Little Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith Catches Fire

PITIABLE TRAGEDY IN SMITH FAMILY

Dorothy Eva Smith, the two and Saturday. one-half years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, residing on the Quackenbush place, below Scholls and Kinton, was so Johnson had gone to Tualatin and wear the corset. Our tailor- badly burned about five o'clock, from Portland, that morning, to ed made-to-measure corsets, in-land, that morning, to ed made-to-measure corsets, indeath ensued in about three the ranch he told his brother cost no more than high class cor- hours. Mr. and Mrs. Smith were babe and the little girl, in the Frank Brooke, who has some house. The mother returned other alias, has been committed from the barn to find the little by the Beaverton justice of the girl writhing on the floor, her peace, to serve 30 days from Jan. clothing nearly burned from her S in the county jail. Brooke was body. The boy had left the convicted of stealing some saws room just before the little girl caught fire, and knows nothing about the incident.

Dr. J. O. Robb was summoned and left Hillsboro about 5:30. Medical attention was of no avail, however, and the child died about 8 o'clock. She was conscious to the last, but had not sufficient control of her faculties o'clock p. m.

Mrs. Smith told Dr. Robb that Monarch Colantha Cornucopia the room full of smoke, and the bre hammerless, lay parallel bull from a 25 lb. cow. Your the floor, about six feet from the with, and on top of the log, a per check for \$125 gets him.—Thos. open grate of the stove. The clothing was nearly burned from N. C. J. Christensen, of Lau. the sheriff there. little girl lying on her face, on the little one's body. She was unable to talk very much, and asked for a drink several times. The parents were frantic over the terrible tragedy. They had moved the most of their effects over to Beaverton, and were to have finished moving Friday.

Mrs. Smith thinks that the child had probably been engaged

### F. T. Kane, of Forest Grove, JOS. HOYER PLEADS as in the city Friday. was in the city Friday. Jas. G. Lee, of near Gaston, was in town Friday.

R. L. Wann, post master at Orenco, was in town Saturday.

T. W. Sain, of Scoggin Valley. was in town Saturday. Mrs. F. M. Crabtree, of Lau

rel, was in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Bennett, of Lawrel, were in the county seal

Attorney Ben Day, of Portland, was out Monday, on ness at the sheriff's office.

Fred Hamel, of West Union, and Thos. Deaville, of Oak Park, were in town Saturday. F. C. Hoecker, of Portland, was in town Monday, on legal business with Sheriff Reeves.

A. U. Davis went to Banks. Saturday, to hold an examination for the rural mail carriers. Sam Johnson and wife, of Shady Brook, were city visitors Saturday.

Born, to N. C. J. Christensen and wife, of Laurel, January 15. 1915, a daughter.

F. C. Orth, of Forest Grove, was in town Saturday, looking after the condenser interests with the farmers.

The German Speaking Society will meet in Hillsboro, at Moose Hall, Saturday, February 6, at 1

rove, was greeting friends in the county seat the last of the Emmett Quick, Forest Grove,

W. F. Johnson, of Forest

rel, was over to the city Monday afternoon. He reports measies as epidemic over his way. For Sale: Registered Berkshire boar, 2† years old, in good condition. For further particulars, price, etc., apply to W. H. Marshall, Laurel, Oregon, Route

in putting some shavings, or Jos. Schulmerich, of Banks, splinters, in the front of the was in town the last of the week,

Complaint is made that the cold of the past week has injured Fall sown grain in quite a number of places. Alternate freezing and thawing is what has caused the damage. The Cornelius Woman's Club met with Mrs. Benj. Scholfield.

A sister of the Hoyer brothers has written Coroner Barrett for all the information connected with the killing. She lives in the East. The coroner will send

ing His Brother John

TRIAL IS SET FOR 19TH OF FEBRUARY

Joseph Hoyer was taken before Judge Campbell, Saturday, and entered a plea of not guilty to the charge of murdering his brother, John Hoyer, who lived with the defendant in a cabin. near Beaverton. The court set his trial for February 19.

The case of Pubols versus Jacobsen was argued and is now under advisement.

The defense in the case of Souther vs the Hillsboro Telephone Co. was denied a new trial, and was given 45 days to file bill of exceptions.

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Decree of divorce entered in Aude Stone vs W J Stone.

A jury acquitted Jack & Simpson of selling liquor to minors, after but a few minutes of deliberation. The jury: Rivett, Clark Williams Raymond, Mil-Clark, Williams, Raymond, Miller, Kassebaum, Reichen, Dilley, Rasmusen, Geo Prost and Wm. Hoffman.

McDonald, the Forest store burglar, was given two sentences, each from 2 to 5 years, and was then given a pa-role during good behavior. He was down Friday, bringing in a must report to the sheriff once

Set for trial: O'Leary case, Beaverton, charge of attempt to assault Callie Hughson, Feo. 17; State vs J N Harper, charged with assaulting Trigg, set for

Schlegel vs Schlegel, decree of divorce granted.

UNION STOCK YARDS

Receipts for the week have been

CORNELIUS CLUB

Tuesday last, upon invitation.
That the honor was appreciated
was manifest by the fact that nearly every member was present, as well as many invited

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