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Advertising
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LATE NEWS SUMMARIZED.
State, General and Foreign News Condensed for the Perusal of the Busy Reader.

Charles M. Schwab, president of the gigantic steel trust, who has retired on account of ill health, left for Europe Wednesday to recuperate.

Miss Maybell Douglas has been chosen queen of the Portland Elks' carnival with 13,246 votes. Miss Grace Wallton was next with 1,996 votes.

A couple of enterprising men at Davenport, Wash., while Tracey was lying dead at the city, after night secured two good lots of him. They will probably be exhibited.

Traveling by rail is fraught with danger even to old hands. Two of King's Rovers' circus elephants were sent into the ditch at Tacoma Sunday. Three were injured, though not seriously.

Jas. Moore, foreman of the big log drive down the McKenzie river to Corvallis, was drowned near Coburg Sat. night. He leaves a wife and five children at Corvallis. He was a Macabean and carried a \$2000 policy.

The Oregonian Publishing Company yesterday paid off the \$200,000 mortgage which has been causing the proprietors a great deal of worry for the past ten years. It is a sure sign that the big dailly is on a paying basis—Welcome.

A Linn county paper reports that A. C. Woodcock, a lawyer and farmer of Eugene, Oregon, is testing the business of feeding logs on grass on quite a large scale. He has 400 acres of prairie and 300 logs and expects to prove the combination a profitable one.

Twenty minutes under water and alive to tell the story is the record of Bessie Mills, aged 15 years, of Forest Grove. She was rendered insensible by striking some obstacle before falling into the water and did not regain consciousness until rescued when respiration was started artificially.

The Elks at their recent big convention at Salt Lake City resolved against holding street fairs under the auspices of the order. This hit the Portland Elks hard, but since the resolution does not go into effect until Jan. 1, 1903, the Portland Elks Carnival will be pulled off on schedule time the first 13 days of September.

A man driving a team on the roads of Linn County at the rate of ten miles an hour would be considered as going at a terrific rate for country driving; but Charles Fair, when killed was driving his automobile at the rate of 92 1/2 miles an hour, nine times as fast, faster than it is possible to govern most teams. He had been going at 42 1/2 miles, but that was too slow and he increased the speed. How would you like to meet a demon like that on a country road. It was not only suicidal but outrageous, and it is to be hoped serves as an example.

LATEST NEWS.

Well-known Sea Captain Murdered—Botha May Succeed Kruger—Don't Want Fair's Money.

PORTLAND, Aug. 20.—Captain J. J. Jacobsen, master of the four-masted schooner Fred J. Wood, of San Francisco was cruelly murdered by his cabin boy, a Japanese named Tanbara Gasaboro, while the vessel was on her way from Portland to Tsintau, North China, with a cargo of lumber. S. Ota, the Japanese cook, is charged with being an accessory to the crime.

The murder occurred on the high seas July 30. The captain was stabbed with a big butcher knife, and fell dead in a pool of blood on the deck, after a short struggle with his assassin. Only the determined stand taken by Mate Meyer prevented the crew from throwing the murderer into the sea. The sad news reached this city last night by way of San Francisco, to which port an account of the murder was brought by the steamer Alameda from Honolulu. In the Captain's cabin was Mrs. Jacobsen, the widow of the captain, with their 5-month-old baby in her arms, and a 21-month-old girl playing about her.

BOTHA MAY SUCCEED KRUGER.

LONDON, Aug. 20.—At the approaching meeting between General Botha and his colleagues and ex-President Kruger, the latter will formally abdicate his position as Afrikaner Chief and hand over the reins and the residue of funds to Generals Botha and Dewet and Messrs. Fischer and Wolmarens. Mr. Wolmarens, according to the correspondent's information, will endeavor to dispossess Dr. Leyds, the European agent of the Boers, of the power of signing checks. There are also rumors here, adds the correspondent of the Daily Mail, of an impending struggle for supremacy between Generals Botha and Dewet.

THE HAGUE, Aug. 20. The Boer generals, accompanied by other prominent Boers, went to Utrecht today for a conference with President Kruger.

OREGON'S GOLDEN HARVEST.

Reports of the Yield of Grains, Vegetables and Fruits from all Over the State.

COAST DISTRICT
Myrtle Point, Coos county, L. Strong.—Past week has been cool, with threatening weather, but no rain has fallen. Pastures getting dry; milk supply at creameries falling off; some grain ripening; corn growing nicely, but the crop will be light; potatoes a little lightening; stock on ranges getting fat.

Astoria, Clatsop county, H. S. Lyman.—Light rains have improved pastures and vegetables; oats are a heavy crop and about ready for harvest; potatoes, hops, and plums a full crop; apples will make about half a crop.

WILHELMITTE VALLEY.
Albany, Linn county, J. S. S. Powell.—The light showers and cooler weather have revived the green vegetation, such as corn, beans, vines, late grain and potatoes, injured from the previous hot weather; thrashing continues; summer-fallow wheat reported light, stubble wheat fair; quality good; oats fair crop.

Liberty, Marion county, B. Cunningham.—Harvesting progressing finely; grain yields disappointing; fall wheat 18 to 22 bushels; oats about 30; Italian prunes just beginning to color, they do not seem to indicate the largest size at present.

Brewer, Clackamas county, H. Gans.—To cool weather and rain have been good for all vegetables; grain is nearly all cut and thrashing is now being done; winter oats and wheat are turning out fair; oats 25 to 40 bushels, and wheat 18 to 25 bushels an acre. Much fruit is dropping off the trees.

SOUTHERN OREGON.
Sandy Valley, Jackson county, E. Shipley.—Week cool and damp; several heavy showers have occurred. Thrashing is in full progress, with satisfactory yields.

Glendale, Douglas county, Mrs. Fannie Miller.—Light showers during the week. Fall-sown wheat shows full heads; spring-sown wheat is thriving; potatoes are doing well; fruit will be good.

Williams, Josephine county, H. W. Spaulin.—Not rain enough to do growing crops much good. Thrashing machines at work; grain good, with fair yield; hope maturing fast and promise well.

COQUILLA RIVER VALLEY.
Helix, Umatilla county, S. T. Isaac.—Harvesting has progressed satisfactorily during the past week; estimates made on fields thrashed indicate a yield of about 30 bushels of wheat and from 40 to 45 bushels of barley an acre, both of excellent quality. Light showers delayed thrashing slightly.

PLATEAU REGION.
Summerville, Union county, C. T. Colt.—Heavy rains since Thursday. Grain standing in field in every condition; thrashing machines were just starting. Grain is practically all ripe; yield promises good. Haying just finished and yield better than last year. The rains have been of great benefit to sugar beets and late vegetables as well as to corn and pastures.

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Wants to Join our Army.
LONDON, Aug. 18.—Times-expired South African soldiers have been the victims of a curious delusion which is causing the officials of the United States Embassy considerable annoyance. Former British soldiers who have served against the Boers have been applying in numbers at the Embassy for enlistment in the American Army in the Philippines. They all say a report was in circulation at Cape Town and Durban that the United States was enlisting ex-British soldiers for service on these islands. At the London Embassy scores of applicants have already been turned away greatly disappointed.

Looks Like Business.
MARSHFIELD, Aug. 19.—President J. W. Cook, of the Great Central Land Co., was in town on business yesterday. Besides being the head of the land company, Mr. Cook also has entire charge of the Great Central Railroad interests here during the absence of Chief Engineer Kinney. He reports the work at Empire City on the terminal grounds of the Belt Line road going forward as fast as possible.

Drawn to Oregon.
PORTLAND, Aug. 20.—J. S. Shahan, of Kansas, a guest of the Imperial, is here to look over the Coos Bay Railroad proposition. Mr. Shahan is a man of large means, and has in contemplation important investments in Oregon, particularly in the Coos Bay region if that section comes up to its advertised magnificence. He will depart from the city this evening on a tour of inspection, and will be absent for a week or two. The Coos Bay railroad seems to be attracting great attention throughout the country, and Mr. Shahan says that many men of large means are waiting to hear from him before deciding to come out and investigate for themselves.

Oregon and Other Poems
In the title of a little book containing my poems, which I have just had published, I am now selling it over Roseburg, and will mail it to any one who will send me 10 cents. Address—A. J. APON BARNES, Roseburg, Oregon.

DON'T WANT FAIR'S MONEY.
NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—William Smith, of Plainfield, N. J., a brother of Mrs. Charles Fair, has announced that he intends to accompany the body of his sister to California upon its arrival in New York. Mrs. Smith, his wife, will also make the journey to San Francisco. Preparatory to this trip, Mr. Smith sold out his bakery for \$500. In speaking of the estate, Mr. Smith said: "We do not want Mr. Fair's money and won't fight for it."

LOST GIRL FOUND.
EUGENE, Aug. 19.—Considerable excitement was the result of the announcement made Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. John Mattauer, who reside near Bangs' Park that they had lost their fair haired daughter, Marie, the day before. A careful tracing search was instituted and the little girl was found Sunday at the home of Louis Aya where she had gone. She gave as the reason for her absence from home that she did not want to take punishment which her parents had promised her for some trifling offense.

NONUNION MEN SHOT.
SCRANTON, Pa., Aug. 19.—Michael Connelly and Forest Crossman, said to be nonunion workmen employed about the Edgerton colliery, were shot from ambush today, presumably by strikers. Crossman was so badly injured that it was necessary to amputate his right foot. Connelly's condition is regarded as serious. The men were working on a water course near the breaker.

PROPOSE A GIANT EXODUS.
TOLEDO, Ohio, Aug. 19.—The Canadian government has instructed its homesteading agent here to proceed to the anthracite coal region and offer inducements to 30,000 or more strikers and their families to form a colony and settle in Canada on land to be donated by the government. Work will be provided for the men until they have prepared their land for crops.

DUCHESS OF MARLBOROUGH ARRIVES.
NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Society is stirred up over the visit of the Duchess of Marlborough. There is a general belief that Consue lo has brought with her the wonderful coronation gown she was to have worn at the postponed ceremony. The duchess arrived in New York today with Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr.

ANGRY WIFE'S HORRIBLE DEED.
NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Fearing her husband, from whom she had been separated for four years, was about to leave the city without paying to her several hundred dollars for alimony, Mrs. Claire Chenau drenched him with oil of vitriol and burned him so severely on the face, shoulder, back and chest that it is feared he will not survive. One of the man's eyes was destroyed.

TERRIBLE RIVER ACCIDENT.
VIENNA, Aug. 19.—While a column of soldiers was crossing the Amur river on a pontoon bridge today the bridge gave way. Five officers and 30 enlisted men besides 70 Chinese camp followers were drowned.

Boers Visit to England.
The half vanquished, yet largely victorious Boer Generals who visited England, greeted King Edward cordially; they understood that he has stood their friend, though in a sense an enemy; but they would not speak to Chamberlain. Him they hate, and like the sturdy, honest men they are, they make no disguise of their hatred. They will shed an honest tear over Queen Victoria's grave, and over Gladstone's; but they will "cast their shoes" upon Cecil Rhodes and Chamberlain's, when he shall find, a resting place in the dark house of human dust. Him they never will forgive, because they believe, and not without reason, that he and Rhodes plotted against their liberty. There is a good deal of honorable, admirable manhood in these Boers.—Telegram.

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