

Roseburg, Oregon
Population, 2000. The County Seat of Douglas County. Oregon Soldiers Home; U. S. Land Office and U. S. Weather Bureau are located here.

Roseburg



Plaindealer

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The most widely read newspaper published in Southern Oregon and consequently the most advertising medium. Large, modern, equipped Job printing department in connection. Established in 1868. Subscription, \$2 per year for Rural Weekly.

THE WILLIAMSON CASE
DRAWS TO A CLOSE
Jury Seems Unable to Agree. Out More Than Twenty Hours. Said to Be 11 to 1 for Conviction.

Portland, July 18.—Judge Bennett exploded a veritable bombshell of surprise in the Williamson-Gesner-Biggs trial this afternoon, when, upon the reconvening of court to hear the argument of the defense, the senior counsel arose and addressing the court announced that the defense had concluded to submit the case without argument.

Williamson Goes on Stand
Congressman Williamson had his inning on the witness stand in the land fraud trial Monday protested his innocence of any wrongdoing, and entered a general denial of the Government's allegations.

Judge's Charge to Jury
Portland, July 18.—The charge to the jury delivered by Judge De Haven at 3 o'clock was a comprehensive, fair and at the same time direct statement to the men as to what their duties were under the law.

Case Goes to Jury
The case was given into the hands of the jury at 3:15 o'clock, after which court was adjourned subject to returning a verdict or the call of the jury.

THE EAST SWELTERS
WITH TERRIBLE HEAT
Many Deaths; Scores of Prostrations; Hospitals Crowded and Police Patrols Used for Ambulances.

Milwaukee, July 18.—Five prostrations and two deaths from heat here today.
Des Moines, July 18.—Daniel Marmon, Mrs. Margaret Casper, her three months-old infant and John Doolittle, all of this city, are dead from the heat.

Chicago, July 18.—The crest of the hot wave has passed over Chicago, and relief is promised tomorrow. The torrid blast is central over the Atlantic states today. Three deaths were reported here this morning as a result of yesterday's heat.

Rain Affords Relief
New York, July 19.—Today was another scorcher in this vicinity, and no relief from the torrid weather is in sight.

REDUCTION PLANT IN MYRTLE CREEK MINE

W. B. Stewart, of the famous Continental mine, 12 miles east of Myrtle Creek, was transacting business in Roseburg Wednesday and favored the Plaindealer with a pleasant chat.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 19.—Eighteen deaths of babies and two of adults, the result of the weather, were reported here today.

LAURELS FOR COMPANY "D"

It is reported that five members of the Roseburg militia—Co. D, O. N. G., 1st Separate Battalion—are included in the eighteen state guardsmen who will represent the Oregon National Guard at the national shooting tourney to be held at Seagirt, New Jersey, in August.

"THE TRAIL" AND ITS SPICY ATTRACTIONS

Dancing as they do it in the Far East is now being done in the Far West. You can witness various styles of it on the Trail at the Portland Fair.



DORCHESTER HOUSE, HOME OF AMBASSADOR REID.

Whiteley Reid, United States ambassador to Great Britain, has rented Dorchester House, a famous London mansion, and will occupy it during his residence in England.

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under the tutelage of the leading instructors there, and last season she became a member of Kirally's "Louisiana" production of the Olden theater. Her talent was recognized early, and though that was her first stage experience, she was brought to Portland this season as the leading woman.

NEWS FROM FRONT ON FIRING LINE

Georgetown, Park, July 17, 1905.
THE PLAINDEALER—Well we are here and settled down to camp life. We are worked pretty hard and I include an order covering the routine of the camp so you see we are going some.

BODY OF BLACKMAR BEING TAKEN EAST

Boise, Idaho, July 17.—The widow of General Wilmon W. Blackmar, commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, who died here yesterday evening, and her sister, Miss Brewer, departed today for Boston with the remains of the dead general, traveling over the Union Pacific by way of Omaha.

AIRSHIP MAKES SUCCESSFUL FLIGHT

Portland, July 18.—Captain L. S. Baldwin's airship, Angelus, made the first successful ascent today at 2:30 and remained up a large part of the afternoon.

Teacher Wanted.

A principal is wanted for Yoncalla Public Schools. For particulars write to E. Helliwell, Clerk, Yoncalla, Oregon. (113-27)

COOS COUNTY DOES HERSELF PROUD AT FAIR
Exhibits Building Dedicated. Addresses Made by Prominent Citizens at County Building.

Portland, July 19.—Coos County is one of the most independent districts in the Nation. Coos County is politically a part of Oregon; commercially she is compelled to find in San Francisco and California her markets.

Sentiments such as the above were the predominant ideas of the speeches delivered today at the exercises in connection with the dedication of the Coos County building at the Lewis and Clark Exposition.

WANTED

A lady who knows how to make fancy shirts. Call for particulars at M. Blanchard's house, or address D. I. Blanchard, Roseburg, Oregon, Box 274.

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