

MORE OREGON LAND FRAUDS TO BE PROBED IN PORTLAND

Federal Grand Jury Will Investigate Umatilla Indian Reservation Sales.

(By Associated Press.) PORTLAND, May 16.—For the specific purpose of inquiring into the alleged frauds in connection with the purchase in 1902 of lands on the Umatilla Indian Reservation...

SAY THAW IS SANE.

(By Associated Press.) POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 16. When the Thaw hearing resumed, Michael Cummins and Lawrence J. Creery, keepers at the Tombs prison, testified that Harry K. Thaw impressed them as being rational.

BOXING MATCH TONIGHT.

Much interest is manifested in the boxing contests which will be pulled off this evening at the Skating Rink on North Front street.

The preliminary bout will be between the trainers of the two principals in tonight's event. Dan Sullivan Dummy Rowan will go for a short time for points.

YOU MIGHT STAND on the dock. Rubber all day long but that would not enlighten you as to the Best Line of Rubber goods.

AT THE CHURCHES

ENGLISH LUTHERAN. WM. F. HOLL, Pastor. The English Lutheran church services will be held at the Redmen's hall.

BABE ESCAPES FIENDS' GUNS

(By Associated Press.) MATAWAN, N. J., May 16.—W. B. Shephard, a farmer living four miles south of Matawan, his wife and a servant named Jennie Gendy, were found murdered today.

FLEET LEAVES SOON.

Prepare to Leave San Francisco For North. (By Associated Press.) SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—Unless there is an unexpected change in the plans, the Atlantic battleship fleet will leave here for the north not later than early Monday morning.

A wireless from the armored cruiser South Dakota, returning here from her final test trip, reports that she broke all records for vessels of her class.

The cup offered by Spokane to the winner of the Magdalena Bay target practice will not be presented to the Maryland until next year at some Atlantic port.

WHAT makes Mother's chicken dinners so famous, it's the good coffee she serves.

SATURDAY EVENING GUARANTEE SNAPS.

- 6 Lots in Bangor, well located, for \$135 each. 3 Ten-acre fruit farms, \$500 each, easy terms. 135 Foot on 'C' street, including corner, \$800.

ALDRICH WINS ON FINANCE

Senate Leader's Currency Bill Adopted and LaFollette Defeated.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, May 16.—The Senate passed the Aldrich currency bill as a substitute for the Vreeland bill after considering it half an hour.

The Aldrich bill was amended however by the elimination of sections eight and eleven, former being Johnson reserve feature, and the latter LaFollette's provision prohibiting a national bank loaning money to corporation or investing money in stock of corporation in which officers or directors are officers or directors of the bank making the investment or loan.

WILCOX'S DANCE HALL CLOSES FOR ALL TIME.

Noted North Bend Resort Shuts Down in Compliance With Order of Judge Hamilton. The dance hall and saloon of J. C. Wilcox, which have gained North Bend much undesirable notoriety in the past and caused much turmoil there, closed last night for all time.

COQUILLE MEN BUY AUTOMOBILES IN 'FRISCO

George A. Robinson and W. A. Rose Bring Big Machines Home With Them From the South. Geo. A. Robinson and W. A. Rose of Coquille, who returned on the M. F. Plant today from San Francisco, brought with them two of the largest automobiles that have been brought into this section.

THE WEEK IN MARSHFIELD SCHOOLS

Monthly tests began Wednesday morning. Bert Tribbey of the Third 'A' has returned to school after an absence of several weeks. The children of the Third grade are planning a picnic for the first pleasant Saturday.

STREET CAR STRIKE TODAY

Employees at Cleveland, Ohio, Quit and Rioting Follows Dissension.

(By Associated Press.) CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 16.—A strike of the street-car men commenced at 3 o'clock this morning. About 300 men of the original three-cent fare line did not join and a large number of men who had been trained for service since the strike was threatened ten days ago, refused to leave their posts.

In a number of sharp clashes, several motormen and conductors were dragged from their cars and beaten. The chief of police is firm in the declaration that no rioting be tolerated.

Efforts are being made to run the cars on several lines. A large crowd gathered at the Lakeview barns and the police were forced to drive the crowd back with clubs. Many were slightly injured.

THOMAS COATS DIES AT GENERAL HOSPITAL

Missouri Man Succumbs to Illness Following Operation for Appendicitis—Here But Short Time.

Thomas Coats died at the General hospital at noon today after an illness of several days following an operation for appendicitis. He appeared to have undergone the operation in good shape but a few days ago suddenly took a turn for the worse and did not rally again.

CZARINA WILL TAKE COOS BAY PEOPLE TO SEE FLEET

MANY GO TO CITIES NORTH

The Breakwater left at noon today for Portland with one of the largest passenger lists she has had this season, the regular travel being augmented by those desiring to go to Astoria and Seattle to see the fleet.

The Breakwater's passenger list was as follows: Mrs. Hocket, Mrs. Wernick, Miss Bernitt, Miss M. Bernitt, Mr. Sherman and wife, Mrs. H. C. Miller, H. A. Stahlnecker, John Stahlnecker, E. G. Wood and wife, Mrs. Sourwine, Frank Sourwine, Luther Cox, Mr. Hollister, W. J. Crabell and wife, Sidney Crabell, Sylvester Crabell, Miss Ida Crabell, E. Harvey, Geo. Harris, L. A. Standish, S. A. Mize, Fred Nelson, Mrs. Getts, Miss Ackerson, Mrs. Alice Allen, Theo Land, L. H. Hazard, John Lawrence, A. W. Varney, Thos Coke, Wm. Jacobson, F. M. Rummell and wife, J. W. Farwell, C. M. Pennell, Dr. W. C. Schultze, Mr. Adams and wife, Mr. Sharp, L. W. Planz, Mrs. Maloney, Miss Ella Maloney, Miss Gertrude Maloney, Howard Marloner, J. Van Curler, D. Van Curler, H. L. Marsales, W. Hudley, J. R. Goode, N. Smith, F. Patros, M. O. Monroe, K. I. Perky, Jno. Devany, W. Small, F. Palmer, C. G. Collins, R. I. Lockwood, N. Durand, R. Wallace, G. Helmer, N. Klingspiegel, F. L. Dean, O. M. Halverson, H. Yamea, M. Casimer, M. Durbon, Frank Kulsh, J. Blackwell, E. E. Raymond, Thos. D. Mangan, N. A. Kellar, L. H. Cook, P. J. McLaughlin, Mrs. L. E. Bliven, Miss Edith Bliven, Miss Edna Bliven, John Westerback, Chas. Vogel, Nels Martensen, N. Neitnummer, Joe Sullivan, M. Blank, J. F. O'Reilly, Ed. Olsen and A. Higginson.

The M. F. Plant arrived early this morning from San Francisco, bringing home many Coos Bay people who had been to the California metropolis to see the fleet.

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MISS MARY BLACK is once more able to be about after a brief but severe siege of illness, a fact that will be good news to her many friends.

WM. SLEEP returned today from San Francisco where he has spent a couple of weeks visiting and witnessing the festivities centering around the fleet.

F. S. DOW returned today from a short visit in San Francisco. Mr. Murphy who accompanied him away went on to Southern California and will not return for a short time.

D. F. FOOTE and wife went to Coquille today noon to visit relatives, especially H. S. Foote and family who have moved to Coos county from Louisiana.

F. P. NORTON and wife returned today from San Francisco where they have been witnessing the demonstration over the fleet and visiting friends in 'Frisco and at other California points.

THE REV. D. W. THURSTON returned today from San Francisco where he has been attending the annual session of the Pacific conference of the Baptist church.

J. R. GOODE, Judge Perky, Guy C. Barnum and the remainder of their party expect to return to their homes in Boise, Idaho, today.

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State examinations on Thursday and Friday of this week. Mrs. H. Sengstacken was appointed by the board of directors to conduct the examinations. Those making 90 or above in an examination in Agriculture in the Seventh grade are: Evelyn Langworthy, 96; Tom Paterson, 98; Agnes Sandquist, 101; Flora Payne, 99; Allen Nichols, 93; Hattie Wheeler, 96; Ralph Kruse, 95; Leslie Isaacson, 93; Fred. McCormac, 93; George Johnson, 93.

Steamship Is Chartered By Chamber of Commerce For Excursion.

The chartering of the Czarina yesterday by Secretary Walter Lyon of the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce, and the likelihood that President Evans of the North Bend Chamber of Commerce will secure the Redondo battleship fleet when it comes to anchor off Coos Bay Tuesday by a good sized delegation of Coos Bay people.

Whether Tuesday will be officially declared a holiday in Marshfield and North Bend remains to be determined. If the weather is nice, the towns will practically be deserted whether or not a holiday is declared.

"General Manager Mills informs me that the Czarina will be able to carry about 500 excursionists," said Walter Lyon, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. "The round trip rate will be \$3. As the trip will take a half day or more, altho' H H excursion should provide themselves with camp chairs and lunch baskets. The Czarina will be able to cut through the middle of the bar and unless it is very rough, little trouble will be occasioned by seasickness."

MARK DeFreeze of Sumner, is spending the day in North Bend. Miss Wanda Stephens of Marshfield, spent today with North Bend friends.

Mrs. C. M. Byler and daughter, Dorothy, returned today from San Francisco where they have been visiting for the past six weeks.

Mrs. Frank Spooner of Jennings Lodge, came down to Coos Bay to spend a week or so with her son, Langdon Spooner, who is timekeeper at the depot.

THE Rev. Mr. Howard of Astoria, the Southern Oregon Sunday school missionary, will conduct services at the North Bend Methodist Episcopal church Sunday at 11 o'clock. He will be assisted by the Rev. Burkhart, Rev. Lacey and Rev. Sumner.

MISS AGNES GULOVSON, who had to give up her position in the Marshfield schools last fall on account of ill health, is not recuperating as rapidly as was hoped. She is at her home in Portland and her condition is causing much anxiety among her friends.

CHARLES HARTMAN of Drain, is on Coos Bay on business. OSCAR GULOVSON returned today from San Francisco where he has spent a few weeks.

MISS FLORENCE ATKINSON of Coquille, was a guest of Mrs. Hazard in Marshfield yesterday. MRS. JAMES HAMILTON is expected home from Allegany where she has been visiting for the past few days.

MRS. EDWARDS of Allegany, passed through this city en route to Coquille to visit her sister, Mrs. W. H. Bunch. J. M. DAVIS, the well-known Coos River rancher, has returned from California where he has spent several weeks.

L. H. PRICE, proprietor of the Bandon shipyards, was in Marshfield today en route home from San Francisco. J. F. O'REILLY, the piano tuner, left on the Breakwater today for Portland where he will spend several weeks.