

SUBURBAN

NEWS OF NEARBY TOWNS IN BRIEF.

OREGON CITY.

Wedding of Carey Johnstone to Miss Cuthbert.

(Journal Special Service.) OREGON CITY, July 24.—The marriage of Carey Johnstone, son of Mrs. Jacob Johnstone, to Miss Mabel Cuthbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Cuthbert, was solemnized at 10 o'clock in the church at Clackamas, Rev. Mr. Simpson, rector of St. Mark's Episcopal Church in Portland, officiating. The church was beautifully decorated and was filled with invited guests. Preceding the ceremony, Miss Mary Conyers sang the "Song of Thanksgiving."

In the mortgage foreclosure suit of J. T. Apperson vs. T. L. Charman, trustee, an order has been made in the Circuit Court confirming the sale of real estate to satisfy a judgment of \$11,955.22 and costs and attorney's fee. Any part of the land may be redeemed within four months, and unless this redemption is made, the Sheriff is commanded to deliver to the purchaser, J. T. Apperson, a good and sufficient conveyance of the premises.

Company A, Third Regiment, Oregon National Guard, returned Tuesday night from the state encampment at Albany, tired, dusty and footsore, but well pleased with their outing, which was profitable and enjoyable. Company A was the color company of the regiment, and was by far the most orderly company in its battalion. On Saturday evening, just before dress parade, the members of the company presented a handsome sword to Captain H. Leighton Kelly. The presentation speech was made by Captain Arthur Clothier, of F Company. Company A was known as the company that chased Tracy. Although the company had only been really organized within the past three months, yet its drill and work compared very favorably with the best companies in the guard. The strength of the company on the encampment was three officers and 45 men.

Rea, Norris returned yesterday from Albany, where he attended the National Guard Encampment as a member of Company C, Fourth Regiment, of Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith and son, Captain and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Freytag and child and Barton Barlow returned Tuesday from a 10 days' outing at Austin's Hot Springs. The trip is over 60 miles, the last 30 of which must be made horseback over a trail. The party camped out and report a very enjoyable time.

Miss Inogen Harding and Miss Antoinette Walden left yesterday afternoon for Nehalem, where they will visit friends for a fortnight.

Dr. W. E. Carl left today for Eastern Oregon for the benefit of his health and will probably be absent several weeks. During his absence his practice will be in charge of Dr. C. B. Seaman.

The marriage of Mr. J. U. Ross, who is connected with the Southern Pacific Company in this city as baggage master, to Miss Bertha Warren, of Linn County, was solemnized at Albany Tuesday evening. The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. C. Wire in the Methodist Church parsonage. The happy couple will reside in this city.

McMINNVILLE.

(Journal Special Service.) McMinnville, July 24.—A special meeting of the Board of Trade Tuesday it was decided to have printed 100,000 20-page pamphlets descriptive of Yamhill County for distribution in the East and a committee was appointed to solicit funds to defray the expense of having same printed. These pamphlets will be distributed by the Hamilton Bureau of Information, and the object is to induce immigration to Yamhill County and Oregon.

ASHLAND.

ASHLAND, July 24.—Judge C. N. Sterry, chief legal counsel for the Santa Fe Railroad Company for the division west of Albuquerque, New Mexico, and Norman Sterry, J. A. Graves, Selwin Graves,

HOLD GREEN CORN DANCE

Creek Indians Making Merry at Eufaula and Attracting Whites.

MUSKOGEE, I. T., July 24.—Eight miles west of Eufaula the "green corn" dance, the annual festival of the Creek Indians, before which none of the tribe are allowed to taste green corn of the year was held. The medicine men have lighted the great fire from which each of the Indians must take light for the fire in his own home if he would prosper another year, according to the old tradition. The emetic that prepares the Indian stomach for the new year's fruit maize, has been mixed in the mystic crucible of the medicine man and after it has been taken each Indian will begin the greatest of Creek festivities. The dance is always held in the full moon of July and not until then can the members of the tribe eat green corn. The feather dance of the squaws was also held. The town king has announced that the festivities will continue three days. White people from all over the nation are flocking to the scene.

QUICK VENGEANCE.

(Journal Special Service.) MEMPHIS, Tenn., July 24.—News has reached here of the killing of James Kinney by R. E. and A. C. Harrison near

INTERIOR

INFORMATION IN COMPACT STYLE.

P. W. King, Bernhard Zachau and Harry Graves, all of Los Angeles, arrived in Ashland in their private car last night, and will be taken tomorrow by John Hoover, to Spring Creek, on the Klamath Indian reservation, where they will enjoy a few weeks in fishing and camp recreation. This will make the fifth season that Judge Sterry with a party has left Ashland for an outing in Klamath land. "Doc" H. Gilham and family, of La Grande, arrived in Ashland yesterday and came with the intention of making this place their future home. Mr. Gilham is a Union County pioneer of 1852 and was the Republican nominee for County Judge at the last election, but went down to defeat with the rest of the ticket.

SALEM.

A Fourteen-Year-Old Boy Starts on Career of Crime.

SALEM, July 24.—Chief of Police D. W. Gibson, yesterday arrested Ernest Lane, a lad aged 14 years, on the charge of robbing the J. J. Longcore second-hand store on last Monday night, and the boy confessed the theft, and produced the articles stolen. The plunder consisted of two 22-calibre rifles, one revolver, a quantity of ammunition, a number of rings and other jewelry. There are several knives and razors missing, but the boy declares he did not take them. Young Lane was at work on a farm near the most orderly company in its battalion. On Saturday evening, just before dress parade, the members of the company presented a handsome sword to Captain H. Leighton Kelly. The presentation speech was made by Captain Arthur Clothier, of F Company. Company A was known as the company that chased Tracy. Although the company had only been really organized within the past three months, yet its drill and work compared very favorably with the best companies in the guard. The strength of the company on the encampment was three officers and 45 men.

Eugene Boase, who has had trouble in securing help to pull his flax, of which he has several hundred acres, has solved the question to his entire satisfaction. Yesterday he received his first shipment of Japanese laborers from Portland, and more are expected today, and with this labor he hopes to be able to harvest his crop without loss.

John Pender, the veteran horse-trainer and owner, has sold his 3-year-old filly, Lady Jones, and a 2-year-old, Bessie Jones, to George Misener, of Portland, receiving \$3000 for the two. These splendid animals have been shipped to Irvington track, Portland, where they will be put in training, and will later be returned to Salem to take part in the State Fair races.

GRANTS PASS

Chicago Excursionists Will be Entertained by the Miners.

(Journal Special Service.) GRANTS PASS, Or., July 24.—The Board of Trade of this city and citizens in general, are making preparations to entertain the 300 excursionists that will arrive in Grants Pass next month from Chicago. The excursionists will be here ten days or two weeks. The excursion will be conducted by the Golden Drift Mining Company, who own the Dry Diggins hydraulic mines, three miles above here, and who are building the dam across the Rogue below their placers. W. Ament, president of the company, is now in Chicago arranging for the excursion. Grants Pass will be their objective point, but the party will also visit other parts of the state, stopping at Portland for a few days. The annual hunting season for big game has now arrived and nearly all of the sportsmen of Grants Pass have hied for the mountains. A greater number of the hunters make for the wilds of western Josephine County and the country of the Lower Rogue. This section can only be reached, over the last twenty miles, by pack trail, and it is here that deer, bear, panther, wild-cat and all big game are

found in greater abundance than in any other part of the Oregon mountains. Grants Pass is experiencing a series of hot days—unusually hot, in truth, for July. During the past week the thermometer registered 100 in the shade nearly every afternoon, and on a few occasions got as high as 104. Weather of this sort is usually experienced each season in August, but seldom during July. True to Oregon, however, the nights are always cool, allowing no discomfort in this regard. The hot weather is good for the melon crop and for ripening fruit. There is a large acreage of watermelons in Josephine County this year and the prospects are very bright for an abundant crop of this luscious fruit.

Forest fires are again breaking out in the pine woods of the surrounding mountains. Fires are burning in the mountains of Western Josephine County, and are reported to be doing considerable damage, as much valuable timber is being destroyed. The fires are probably the result of the carelessness of prospectors or hunters.

Company H, Fourth Regiment, returned home yesterday morning from Camp Williams. The company did not make as good showing at encampment this season as in years past. Two members of the company were dishonorably discharged.

ALBANY.

(Journal Special Service.) ALBANY, July 24.—Prof. J. M. Martin left this morning on a trip to Seattle. Miss Winnifred Hawley, of Portland, is visiting at the home of County Treasurer Elkins.

Miss Nellie Hogue, assisted by a number of young ladies of Albany, last evening at her pleasant home in the First ward, entertained the members of the Baker City company in a delightful manner. Games were played and delicious refreshments served. Miss Hogue is a teacher in the High School of Baker City, and several of the young men are in her classes.

Let Payne, of Forest Grove, is in the city on a visit for business. His sister, Miss Frankie Payne, has been here several days the guest of Mrs. James Nanny.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Linchberger, of Santa Paula, Cal., are in the county on a visit. Mr. Linchberger was a pioneer in this state, of 1852, remaining here until 1887, when he moved to California.

The Albany Democrat says that there is a live dispute as to who is entitled to the possession of the warehouse at Philomath. It has been operated by G. A. Westgate, of this city, under a lease to the C. & E. The property is claimed by E. M. and E. G. Howell, of Oregon City, under a deed from a receiver. John M. Somers, formerly of this city, representing them, went to the warehouse Sunday of last week and took possession by force. A demand was made for it by Mr. Westgate's agent, E. F. Felger, which was refused. On Wednesday Mr. Westgate, Con Sullivan and a few others went to the place on a special train and the posse put Mr. Somers out of the building and the property is now being guarded by armed men.

EUGENE.

Burt Heaton, Murderer of Benton Tracy Was Hid by Friends.

(Journal Special Service.) EUGENE, July 24.—At a meeting of the Eugene School Board yesterday a letter of acceptance from Prof. Arthur Sneedon, who has been elected principal of the High school, was read. Prof. Sneedon is 22 years old and came from Pittsfield, Ill., where he was principal of the High school last year. He is a graduate of Illinois College at Jacksonville.

About the arrest of Burt Heaton, the alleged murderer of Benjamin Tracy, a story comes from Junction City, where the murder was committed, to the effect that Heaton was wounded by Tracy before he (Tracy) fired several shots from his own pistol, but there was a

not tickled over the proposition to issue a small sized postage stamp. He says that if it were practicable, he believes the Department would issue a rule prohibiting the use of the tiny envelope now so popular with society folk. However, as the small envelopes will be used, Mr. Madden has promised to see what can be done in the way of preparing a stamp that will not entirely obscure the envelope.

The Independence Light & Water Company will submit a proposition to install water works at Dallas.

Ed Wilcox has secured a verdict for \$700 damages against the Southern Pacific for injuries received last fall at Gas-ton.

BOOM IN SOUTH AFRICAN TRADE

Live American Merchants Are Ousting the British Trademen.

(Journal Special Service.) LONDON, July 24.—Inquiries at Cape Town into the trade situation in South Africa tend to show that the increase of American trade is solely owing to the way in freight rates from New York to South Africa. So far most of the increase is in produce and breadstuffs. American flour is ousting Australian and Argentine. All complaint of the conservatism of the British, who refuse concessions which are cheerfully granted by plant and energetic Americans.

MAY ISSUE SMALL STAMPS.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—Postoffice authorities are considering the advisability of issuing a series of small-sized stamps, of the 2-cent denomination, to be used on envelopes containing calling cards and small sized notes. The gentlemen who have requested the issue of the small sized stamps believe that there would be a popular demand for them, as large numbers would be used in the prevailing custom of using small envelopes for the transmission of calling cards and cards of congratulation or condolence, and in many of the little forms of correspondence demanded by social customs. The matter has been presented to Mr. Madden, the Third Assistant Postmaster General, who has been active in introducing a number of reforms in the service. Mr. Madden is

question as to whether he was firing at his assailant or to attract attention and assistance. The story runs that one of the bullets from Tracy's revolver struck his fleeing assailant, and that the latter found refuge at the home of a friend in the vicinity; that here succor and relief was afforded him for eight days, during which time he was kept in hiding; that at the end of that time, dressed as a woman and otherwise disguised he was taken away in a vehicle.

Company A, Fourth Regiment, O. N. G., of this city, has done away with drills during the heated term and will resume on the first Tuesday night in October.

AROUND THE STATE

Constable N. M. Long, of Ashland, received a telephone message the other night to be on the lookout for a man who was supposed to be hobnobbing his way through the Roseburg Plaindealer. The man was described as tall, slim, small faced and wearing a brown colored suit of clothes and a black derby hat. Besides other things he had taken, he had secured two checks made payable to the order of W. C. Conner, one on the First National Bank of Roseburg, and the other on the National Bank of Cottage Grove.

Mrs. Mollie Thompson of LaGrande met with a painful accident Monday evening. She was struck by the limb which fell from a large tree in the yard. The limb was about fifteen feet long and four inches in diameter at the lower end. Fortunately the lady was struck a glancing blow. Had the limb descended squarely on her head, it would undoubtedly have caused her death. As it was, the glancing blow cut an ugly gash in her scalp.

While C. H. Lansing and Cul Staples of La Grande were returning home from Hillgard they found a horse fast in the railroad bridge at Black Flat. The horse belonged to an immigrant, who was unable to get him out. Mr. Lansing made an immediate arrangement to flag the passenger train which was then overdue, but before the train arrived the horse was extricated and an accident averted.

A freak of nature in the form of a peculiar growth in a tree has been discovered in "Lakeview." A young pear tree with a number of pears the size of walnuts hanging on it, is just beginning to bloom for the second time this year. One peculiar feature of the phenomenon is that the blooms appear at the extreme ends of this year's growth.

Will Norman Al. Kent and Roy Sloper of Roseburg returned recently from a hunting and fishing trip to Brewster valley. Among the numerous wild beasts the boys bragged about was a huge panther, measuring 8 feet 4 inches—over all—encountered by Messrs. Norman and Sloper.

OREGON BRIEFS.

Yamhill County public schools have decreased largely both in population and attendance during the past year, according to the annual report just issued.

The Supreme Court at Salem, in a decision just issued, practically approves the payment of bounties on the scalps of seals, sea lions, sheidrakes, shags and cormorants.

Ernest Lane, a 14-year-old Salem boy, has been arrested for robbing Longcore's second-hand store in that city. He took rifles and ammunition, evidently desiring to follow Tracy's footsteps.

Details of the shooting affair at Klamath, on Monday night, show that J. A. McDonald, the saloon keeper, now under arrest at Yreka, Cal., deliberately killed at least one of his victims.

South Baker, which was annexed to Baker City by the last legislature, is to be connected to the main town by streets and sidewalks, in order to secure a free mail delivery.

Mrs. Martha Jane Cummins, an Oregon pioneer of 1832, died at Tualatin on Tuesday.

The Independence Light & Water Company will submit a proposition to install water works at Dallas.

Ed Wilcox has secured a verdict for \$700 damages against the Southern Pacific for injuries received last fall at Gas-ton.

Reduced Rates to Newport. Commencing June 15, the Southern Pacific Company will sell round-trip tickets, Portland to Newport and return, good via either East or West Side divisions, in connection with the Corvallis & Eastern Railroad. Three-day Sunday excursion tickets, good going Saturday, returning Monday, 4.50. Season tickets, good returning until October 30. Baggage checked through to Newport.

BOERS SPIRIT NOT BROKEN

(Journal Special Service.) PRETORIA, July 24.—There is a serious reaction from the optimism that prevailed at the end of the war. There are now evidences everywhere of the Boer determination to continue their own national life. The immediate opening of Dutch schools before the British have organized a system of education is advocated.

The Boers who surrendered in the course of the war and took service as national scouts under the British are objects of the bitterest hatred. Reports of beating, shooting and boycotting them are frequent. The Transvaal and Free State colors are freely worn, as are also the letters "Z. A. R.," similar to the British regimental badges.

The Boers demand the appointment of burghers on the Executive Council and Registration Committee.

And Hope Returned. As the patient returned to consciousness he saw that during a paroxysm he had kicked the covers off. Proceeding to replace them he remarked: "Ha, ha! Despite the doctor's doubts I will recover."—Richmond Dispatch.

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FOR THE MINERS

Mayor Williams Will Name 15 Delegates to Butte Convention.

Mayor Williams is in receipt of a letter from the Secretary of the International Mining Convention to be held at Butte, Mont., September 1-5, asking that he appoint delegates from Portland. The request is that five original delegates and one additional for each 10,000 of the city's population be named. This would make 15 in all, the Mayor estimating the city's population at 100,000.

But the Mayor is in a quandary. Not being in the mining business himself and being of Blackstone than he is with digging his way into mother earth, he doesn't know whom to appoint. Some two or three inquiries have been already received, and all mining men who are anxious to represent the honor of Portland in Smoky Butte are hereby adjured to send in their names, addresses and qualifications to the chief executive, when, if they can make good, they will be duly entrusted with the duty.

MARINE NOTES.

After tomorrow boats will run only every other day to La Center and Woodland instead of daily as at present. It is said that it requires too long a time to make the trip to both places for the amount of business to be received.

The steamer Walker, of the Lewis River Transportation Company's line, which is being repaired by the Portland Ship-building Company, will be off the ways in a few days and put into service again.

The steamer America, which runs to St. Helena, is receiving a general overhauling. Both her machinery and woodwork are being repaired, and she will also receive a coat of paint. When the force of workmen complete the job she will practically be a new boat. During her enforced idleness the Republic will take her place.

The British ship Dimsdale arrived in from Newcastle yesterday, with a full cargo of coal, after a passage of 32 days. The Dimsdale has frequently loaded wheat here, but so far as known she is not chartered for an outward trip. The Brambletye and Euphrosyne are enroute with cargoes from Australia.

It is reported that sailors are more scarce on Puget Sound than ever known before. As a consequence ships are delayed in the port at Tacoma for weeks at a time. The British bark General Roberts, which has lain wheat-laden in the stream since the first week in the month, is still four or five men short of having a crew. Coasting vessels employing union crews also experience great difficulty in getting men.

The British ship Ardnamurchan has arrived at Queenstown after a run of 12 1/2 days from the mouth of the Columbia.

The Boat Steamship Company has just established an American line of steamers from Seattle and Tacoma to the Orient. Maurice Cheal, of the Frank Woolsey Company, has been appointed local agent. The company has five steamers.

After making two unsuccessful attempts to launch the schooner Lunnsmann, which has been built at Everett for San Francisco parties, a tug has been sent for before the third attempt is made.

The revenue cutter Bear has reached Nome after moving a band of reindeer from Siberian points to St. Lawrence Island.

The Hale & Kern Company will complete the work in about a month of removing the Silva de Grasse Reef.

The Oriental liner Indrasamba, which is receiving a cargo at the Mersey dock, will take over half a million feet of lumber to Hong Kong. Among her inward cargo were 30 hardwood logs which came from Borneo. The largest of them is valued at over \$200.

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For further information call at City Ticket Office, corner Third and Washington streets, Portland, Or.

A Discreet Lover.

He—I love you, darling. I swear it by those lofty elms in yonder park. She—Don't swear by those, Reginald. He—Why not? She—Because those trees are slippery elms.—Detroit Free Press.

DEATHS.

Charles P. Stahl, 25, 429 Eugene street, on July 23, drowned at Clatsop beach, 3ma Story Monteith, 44, 62 East Eighth, on July 22, heart disease.

Harriet A. Smith, 64, 415 Prescott, on July 20, drowning, suicide. Gladys O'Halloran, 5 months, 246 Ross, on July 18, bowel disease.

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IRVINGTON

Bids of contractors for building are now made on the same basis as they were before the strike. Parties desiring to build or to have me build for them this season should make early application and secure desirable locations. Houses will be built on plans furnished by purchasers and sold on the installment plan, whereby the monthly payments will hardly exceed the usual rental for a similar house. Deferred payments bear 6 per cent interest. The following statement shows the detail. Payments on the principal in excess of the monthly payments can be made at any time. More expensive houses and more than one lot can be arranged for on proportional terms.

For a house costing...\$3000 One lot land costing... 750 Total cost...\$3750 Cash payment... 275 Deferred payment...\$3475 or \$24.75 month

Table with columns: Total monthly payment, Total principal, Total interest, Total cost. Rows for 1st year, 2nd year, 3rd year, 4th year, 5th year, 6th year, 7th year, 8th year, 9th year, 10th year, 11th year, 12th year.

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Now is the Time. Because sweet briar became too abundant in Tasmania goats were introduced to head them off, as it were, by eating them, but the briar came out ahead by killing the goats.