

FITZ WENT DOWN

Jeffries Defeats the Cornishman by Chance Blow.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 25.—After one of the fiercest battles ever seen in the prize ring, Bob Fitzsimmons was last night knocked out in the eighth round by James Jeffries, the champion heavyweight of the world...

LABOR NOTES

W. E. Weber, secretary of the Retail Clerks' Union, has gone to Yachill County to spend a 10 weeks' vacation camping and fishing. At Wednesday's session in San Francisco of the American Federation of Labor...

DEATHS.

Magdalena Staufacher, 59, Union depot, on July 24, heart disease. Marie M. Arnold, 53, Good Samaritan, on July 22, strangled herina. The Edward Holman Undertaking Co., funeral directors and embalmers, 280 Yamhill, Phone 507.

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ACROSS THE RIVER

Robbers Loot Butcher Shops.

Two butcher shops on the East Side were robbed Wednesday night, presumably by the same parties, the robbers leaving their foot-prints in the sawdust of both places and after being compared were found to be exactly alike. The butcher shop of Colinsky & Sons, Grand avenue and East Pine street, was entered by cutting a hole in the upper screen door and then climbing over the iron work into the store...

Elevated Roadway Closed.

The city engineer had a force of men yesterday barricading the elevated roadway on East Sixth street and Bullwinkle street. The roadway is used by a large number of people in that vicinity, and the subsequent closing of the structure works a hardship on them.

For Hawthorne Roadway.

Work has been begun for the construction of the new elevated roadway on Hawthorne avenue between East First and East Water streets. At the present time the roadway will only be made six feet wide on each side of the Oregon Water Power & Railway Company's track.

Gravel for Umatilla Avenue.

A petition is being circulated and is receiving numerous signatures for the improvement of Umatilla avenue, from East Sixth to East Ninth streets. At the present time the roadway on the avenue is in a very bad condition, and should have been renewed some time ago.

Birdick-McKinney Nuptials.

A very quiet wedding was solemnized at the residence of Mrs. W. J. McKinney, East Tenth street, the other day. The contracting parties were Mr. Fredrick Birdick and Miss Rose McKinney. Only the immediate members of the family participated.

Stopped Boys' Swim.

Johnson Creek formerly crowded with a laughing, jolly lot of half-nude boys, is deserted now-a-days. The order has gone forth from the managers of the Portland Woolen Mills Company that no more swimming will be allowed in the creek, and several notices have been posted along the banks of the stream to that effect.

In Justice Seaton's Court.

The Ames Mercantile Agency has filed a suit in the East Side Justice Court against C. L. Patton and wife for the sum of \$18.50. The bill is for goods delivered. In the case of Donaldson vs. Clifford, the defendant has filed a motion asking for a more definite complaint in the suit for damages.

Bad Holes in Street.

Numerous complaints have been made by teamsters on account of the bad condition of the elevated roadway on East Morrison street between East Water street and Union avenue. When the task of filling in the street was begun holes had to be cut in the pavement to allow the dirt to be thrown through.

Moved Its Storeroom.

The Pacific States Telephone Company has moved its store and shipping room from its West Side headquarters to the Logus building, East Washington street and Grand avenue. The new location will be used until the completion of the company's new building on the corner of East Sixth and East Ankeny streets.

Progress on Large Main.

Quick progress is being made in the digging of the trench for the new 14-inch water main on East First street. The trench has already been dug as far as East Alder street and the laying of the pipe is following close behind.

A Peculiar Accident.

W. B. Ayer, a carpenter employed by Stokes & Zellmer, while building an elevator in a residence Thursday met with a very queer accident. Mr. Ayer was lifting the elevator with his head, the weight of the elevator being about 100 pounds, when he felt a strange pain in his neck.

Lock Game Worked on Him.

"Buncoed" is the word C. W. Hammer uses to tell about a visit he had with a couple of nicely dressed men in the City Park yesterday. Hammer was en route to Seattle from Iowa, and stopped over a day in Portland. He met a pleasant young man, who induced him to go to the City Park

EAST SIDE BRIEFS.

Harvey Wells has returned from a week's outing at Albany. R. P. Robinson, county superintendent of schools, and family are camping near Park Place, Clackamas County. Mrs. Elizabeth Trueman, wife of the bridge tender at the Burnside-street bridge, while walking in the yard at her home near Woodstock one day last week, slipped and sprained an ankle.

Will Stop Emigration.

A dispatch from Olympia, Wash., says: "The recent passage of the National Immigration bill which is expected to do so much for the Northwest will have one effect which has been generally overlooked. It will probably serve to stop the tremendous immigration from the United States into Northwest Canada by opening up great stretches of land for settlement under Government protection.

Filling in East Water.

Charles Cook has the contract for the filling in of East Water street in front of the property of Henry Weinhard between East Taylor and East Salmon streets. A large number of men and teams were at work this morning.

Poisoned by Crawfish.

William Stevenson and his wife, residing at Sunnyside, had a very close call from death from eating diseased crawfish one day this week. Stevenson had purchased the fish on the West Side and taken them home. After eating a few of them the party became very ill and a physician was summoned at once.

Montavilla.

Montavilla Lodge has decided to build a larger and more elegant hall building and has purchased the lot adjoining the old hall and after tearing down the old structure has commenced the erection for the new building. The new hall will be 30x50 feet and two stories high.

Building Permits.

S. Monaga, Thurman and Twenty-fifth, cottage; \$1400. J. C. Flinders, Twenty-third and Raleigh, cottage; \$550. William Cox, Wheeler and Hassalo, cottage; \$1500. A. Hallinger, Twenty-fourth and Reed, cottage; \$1500.

Marriage Licenses.

Charles L. Dresbach, aged 40, and Marian L. Kelly, aged 29, were licensed to wed today. Bertie Eurlston, aged 23, and Elizabeth Matthews, aged 25, were granted a marriage license today.



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