

SUBURBAN NEWS OF NEARBY TOWNS IN BRIEF.

INTERIOR INFORMATION IN COMPACT STYLE.

OVER THE WIRES.

OREGON CITY.

(Journal Special Service.) OREGON CITY, July 31.—Judge T. M. McBride will open Circuit Court Saturday morning, and will hear a motion for a new trial in the case of Rebecca Turner vs. the Southern Pacific Company. This is a damage suit in which the railroad company lost.

pointed to represent their unions in the work of arranging for a carnival on Labor Day. Manager Howard has secured 300 buttons advertising the carnival, and these buttons are having wide distribution. An effort is being made to have the Portland union join with the unions of Oregon City in the celebration of Labor Day.

THE DALLES.

(Journal Special Service.) THE DALLES, July 31.—Sister Ignatius who has been superior for the past four years at St. Mary's Academy in this city, will be removed to the convent at Seattle. Her successor will be Sister Gertrude. Simeon Bolton, Deputy County Clerk, has returned from a ten days' outing at Trout Lake, where his wife and family are still residing. Mr. Bolton reports more fish being caught this summer than for many years.

FAIRVIEW.

(Journal Special Service.) FAIRVIEW, July 31.—Mrs. C. Bent and children, Clara, Maurice and Roberta, and Mrs. Amelia Stone left Monday morning for Chicago. The social given by the old folks of the M. B. church was a grand success. Ernest Hall was in Portland yesterday on business. Mrs. W. Graves visited Portland Tuesday. Miss Della Morrison gave a delightful party to a few of her friends Tuesday evening in honor of her 18th birthday. Games were played in the early part of the evening, after which ice cream with cake was served. A delightful time was enjoyed by all. Those present were: Misses Lucy Higgins, Margaret Tegart, Pearl Dolph and Florence Hall, Messrs. F. Tegart, C. E. Scott, E. Hall, P. Heckman and George Dolph.

TURNER.

(Journal Special Service.) TURNER, July 31.—Last Tuesday night some unconscionable hoodlums closed the waste-gate of the mill-race that runs through Turner and flooded the lower portions of the town. The head-gates were chained and padlocked, but the chain was broken and the gates raised. A reward is offered for information that will lead to the conviction of the perpetrators.

ASTORIA.

(Journal Special Service.) ASTORIA, July 31.—William Tulley, an employee of the De Force oil works was found on the beach here yesterday morning with his head badly cut. He was unconscious and at first it was thought he had been the victim of an assault, but a further examination into the case showed that he had fallen off an elevated sidewalk while drunk. He will recover.

EUGENE.

(Journal Special Service.) EUGENE, July 31.—E. C. Clement, inspector of the rural free delivery routes, is in Eugene for the purpose of establishing a second rural route from Eugene. He went over the proposed route Wednesday, and expresses himself as well pleased with it. He is conducting an ex-

amination today (Thursday) for the appointment of carrier and sub-carrier. There are 17 applicants for the examination. Postal Inspector F. W. Vaile, of Portland, has just returned from the Upper McKenzie country, where he has been with a view of establishing a daily mail service between Eugene and Foley Springs.

PENDLETON.

(Journal Special Service.) PENDLETON, July 31.—Mayor T. G. Halley has appointed T. C. Taylor, J. H. Raley, W. J. Furnish, Joe Dasler and James A. Howard as delegates from Pendleton to the fifth annual meeting of the International Mining Congress, to be held in Butte September 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.

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ASHLAND.

(Journal Special Service.) ASHLAND, July 31.—The Southern Oregon Oil Company of this city expects H. Hershberg, the Independence bank, and oil promoter, in Ashland soon, when it is expected a contract will be closed with him for the prosecution of drilling the company's well, on the Alfred place, to a depth of 200 or 300 feet. The conditions of the contract are not made public, but the company will make concessions for the use of their plant, which Mr. Hershberg has virtually accepted.

SCIO.

(Journal Special Service.) SCIO, July 31.—Hon. Jeff Myers of Salem has presented the Masonic lodge of Scio, of which he is a member, with a gavel made of maple which was cut from a tree planted by George Washington in front of his residence in 1762, and the handle is of ash, from a tree planted about the same time. On the gavel there is engraved a picture of the Washington home, which stands yet just as it was at the death of the Father of Our Country.

JOSEPH.

(Journal Special Service.) JOSEPH, July 31.—F. H. Drews of The Dalles, G. F. Rynearson and Albert Kinney have under consideration the erection of a smelter here. If enough capital can be secured a large one will be built, otherwise only a small plant will be put in at the mines at the head of the Innaha River. Mr. Drews thinks large fortunes are to be found right at our very doors, and that if capital can be interested some big mines can be opened and Joseph will become quite a mining city.

SALEM.

(Journal Special Service.) SALEM, July 31.—Gov. T. T. Gear is in receipt of a set of resolutions, passed by the Highland Grange No. 261, Patrons of Husbandry, at Highland, Clackamas County, urging him to call the special session of the legislature to enact the flat salary system.

Thomas Gibson, who was a couple of days ago arrested on a warrant charging him with beating his wife, was yesterday afternoon given a preliminary hearing before Justice Horgan, and was held to the Circuit Court in \$500. Bail was furnished by relatives and he was released.

John Tidwell was yesterday arrested for assault and battery. Tidwell's wife disappeared last week, and the general belief is that she eloped with a negro, with whom she once before went away. Tidwell became enraged at a neighbor, who should not have talked about his family, and assaulted him, with the result that the warrant was sworn out and the arrest followed.

Mrs. T. M. Kirby, wife of a farmer living on the Silverton road about five miles northeast of Salem, fell yesterday and broke her left arm, making the second time that member had been disabled.

C. W. Hellenbrand's restaurant was attached last evening, in a suit for \$16.50, due on rent. The action was brought by C. B. Moores, agent of the Moores estate, and the complaint alleges that Hellenbrand has neglected to pay the rental of the place he occupies for over four years. Hellenbrand claims that his fixtures and stock are not subject to attachment or execution, as they are the tools of his trade.

The first load of the season's flax crop was brought to Salem and stored in a warehouse at the mill of the Salem Flouring Company, where the new flax plant is located. It represented the entire crop of Neils Lunde, who lives in the Capital City Fruit Farms district east of Salem. Mr. Boase gave Mr. Lunde a little seed to experiment with, and the result was a small field of very fine flax. The fibre will be four feet long. Mr. Boase says it is some of the best flax raised this year, and equal to that produced in Belgium.

GRANTS PASS.

(Journal Special Service.) GRANTS PASS, July 31.—The Southern Pacific Company which recently abandoned its coal prospecting near Phoenix, in Jackson County, and took up the same work nearer this city, close to Asbestos, a few miles east of here, has struck a good vein of coal and the indications are very favorable for their opening up a rich mine.

The big suspension bridge which spans the Rogue at this city was recently condemned as dangerous, and the commissioners have now in charge the work of repairing it. New timbers are being put in and the bridge practically made over again.

Another dam, similar to the one being put in near this city, is being built across the Rogue near Gold Hill. The builder is Doctor Ray, the owner of the Braden mines, of the Gold Hill district. The dam will cost many thousands of dollars and will be used to furnish power for mines, and to irrigate the farms and orchards of that section.

MILTON.

(Journal Special Service.) MILTON, July 31.—Bricklaying is about to commence on the Strain building on Main street, which Assessor C. P. Strain of Umatilla is erecting. Two business firms will occupy the structure, which is another of numerous building improvements projected in Milton this year.

OVER THE WIRES.

Cholera is increasing in Egypt. Fifty deaths occurred yesterday in Cairo and adjoining towns.

William J. Bryan is today at New Haven, Conn., where he will deliver addresses on the political situation.

L. D. Zimmerman, postmaster at Lynnville, Ind., has been fatally shot by robbers, who got \$500 and escaped on a hand-car.

Goer Generals Botha, Dewet and Delaney sailed from Cape Town yesterday from England. They were given a great ovation.

Twenty thousand women and children participated in the big excursion given at New York yesterday by Ex-Chief of Police Devery.

President Castro of Venezuela, after many reverses, has gathered his forces at La Victoria, where he will make his last stand in a few days.

Luis F. Corea, Nicaraguan Minister to Washington, is to be superseded because the Isthmian canal is not to be built through Nicaragua.

Rain has occurred every day in July in the section near Mendville, Pa., and as a consequence the crops were damaged to the extent of hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Daniel Cronin vs. the City of Denver is a case filed with the United States court at Washington, to determine whether or not a city has a right to prohibit the sale of liquor to females.

The North American Copper Company, capitalized at \$20,000,000, has been incorporated at Trenton, N. J., by K. K. McLaren of Jersey City and Raymond Newman and Frederick Seward of New York.

The Iowa State Republican convention held yesterday in Des Moines, adopted resolutions of confidence in President Roosevelt. Changes in the tariff were recommended and the trusts were condemned.

U. S. Senator Thos. C. Platt of New York, after a conference with Roosevelt yesterday at Oyster Bay, made the statement that New York would give him a solid delegation for the nomination of President.

NORTHWEST NEWS.

Five-year-old Edith Baker was criminally assaulted by an unknown man in the streets of Missoula last night. Many men are scouring the city for the fiend who will be lynched if captured.

The people of Everett, Wash., have issued strong protests against the opening in that city of the Tracy-Merrill show which has been running in Seattle.

Companies A. C. D. and L. of the 15th Infantry, are due to arrive in Portland on Friday enroute to Vancouver Barracks.

Thirty-one iron claims at Valley, Wash., have been purchased by J. D. Farrell, an associate of J. J. Hill, for \$35,000. The reduction works will be built at Spokane.

On Monday night a stranger, badly wounded, applied for aid to Dr. Hale, of Ravenna, Neb. The physician thinks it was Tracy.

Every operator and lineman of the Yukon telegraph line has threatened to strike on the score of wages.

The Aberdeen, Wash., Woodmen of the World, will hold a street carnival there from August 27-30.

The Denver, Northwestern and Pacific Railway Company will commence the actual construction of their road from Denver about September 1.

W. C. Wells, commissioner of lands and works for British Columbia, today signed the contract for the construction of the Coast Kootenay railway at Victoria. The government gives a cash subsidy of \$4,000 per mile as well as a large land grant.

The steamer City of Seattle has arrived at Seattle from Skagway, Alaska. She brought \$12,000 in gold from the Treadwell mine on Douglas Island.

W. H. Townsend, of Omaha, was prostrated by heat there yesterday. The thermometer stood at 99 and the humidity was high.

OREGON BRIEFS.

Union experienced a \$35,000 fire yesterday afternoon. The planing mill of J. M. Hush and the Messenger lumber yard were entirely destroyed.

The Sumpter Valley Railroad will run a free excursion for old folks on August 21. The old people will be entertained by the people of Sumpter.

Mrs. Ellen McCormick, aged 70, an Oregon pioneer of '52, died suddenly yesterday morning at Shedd, near Albany.

J. C. Brady, the founder of the Yamhill County bank at McMinnville, is dead at Los Angeles, Cal., aged 71 years.

SCRAPS OF REFLECTION.

It is amazing how much trouble a human heart can hold without exploding.

It is even more amazing how many imaginary grievances some misguided mortals can conjure out of their own thoughts.

Then you'll wonder why you ever wept your nose red because the collar of your spring coat had a pair of crow's feet in its seams. You'll be amazed at your own foolishness for worrying over wall paper that didn't match the green rug.

When Death, the "black camel that kneels at every man's door," comes to the household and lays a solemn, quiet hand upon one of your loved ones; then when your gaze for a time is fixed, in breathless awe, upon that fearful chasm which stretches between this world and the next—when you would cheerfully barter all your worldly possessions for one more "clasp of the hand that is gone, or sound of the voice that is still," then will you look back upon your life and wonder what were the happenings that you had called troubles.

'PHONE MAIN 444 SEE WHAT YOU GET!

Y. M. C. A. NEWS OF THE WEEK SENT FROM NEW YORK BY F. W. OBER

NEW YORK, July 31.—Miss Mary B. Eaker has bequeathed the Dayton, Ohio, Young Men's Christian Association her homestead, worth \$100,000, situated on one of the best business lots of the city, and made the association a residuary legatee. The total gift will equal \$150,000. Upon this property will be erected a building to cost at least \$250,000. It will contain, besides the usual social and reading rooms, gymnasium, natatorium, and class rooms for 1,000 students, a hall seating 2,500 for the unique "Saturday Night Pops," the great nickel and penny entertainments given by this association. Dormitories to accommodate 250 young men will occupy the upper stories.

The cornerstone of the Buffalo, N. Y., association building was laid last week. The building will cost \$300,000. George W. Perkins, of New York, subscribed \$25,000 of the \$75,000 needed to complete the building as a memorial to his father, who was the founder of this association.

There are nearly one hundred association buildings to be erected throughout this country in the near future which are now provided for. At 20 railroad points buildings will be erected to cost \$62,000. Of this amount the railroad companies contribute \$37,000, and the balance is raised by railroad men and citizens.

At least one new building a week will be opened during the next year.

Newark, N. J., will soon have its \$275,000 building completed; New Haven, Conn., one costing nearly \$200,000; Scranton, Pa., \$20,000; the Twenty-third Street Branch, New York, sold its building for \$750,000, and is erecting a magnificent structure to cost as much. Philadelphia Central has sold its building for \$1,000,000

and will erect another to cost probably \$800,000, and it is possible that Pittsburg, Pa., will do the same. East Side, New York, opens its \$100,000 building in a month. Edwin Bancroft Foot has given \$25,000 for an Association building for working boys at New Haven, Conn. Elmira, N. Y., has bought the old Elmira Advertiser property for \$100,000 and raised that sum and \$500 more to equip it in a few weeks. John D. Rockefeller has given \$75,000 for a building at Brown University, and \$50,000 is being raised at Madison University for a student building. The Eastern District Branch, Brooklyn, has just raised \$150,000.

Among the Associations erecting buildings, or soon to do so: Toledo, Ohio, to cost about \$200,000; Fall River, Mass., \$100,000; Chester, Pa., \$50,000; Roanoke, Va., \$200; Asheville, N. C., \$25,000; Little Rock, Arkansas, \$50,000; St. John, N. B., \$50,000; Catskill, N. Y., \$35,000; Orange, N. J., \$65,000; Columbia, Ga., the gift of Mr. George Foster Peabody, \$40,000; Akron, Ohio, \$40,000; Marietta, Ohio, \$32,000; Johnstown, N. Y., \$30,000; Lockport, N. Y., \$25,000; Harrisburg, Pa., \$20,000; Dayton, Iowa, \$55,000; Muscatine, Iowa, \$10,000; Portsmouth, N. H., \$25,000; Oskaloosa, Iowa, \$40,000; Ravenswood, Ill., \$50,000; Lafayette, Ind., \$25,000; San Antonio, Tex., \$50,000; Waco, Tex., \$40,000; Ann Arbor, Mich., \$30,000; Mankato, Minn., \$40,000; Chelsea, Mass., \$45,000; Terre Haute, Ind., has purchased the Terre Haute Club worth \$25,000. To this there might be added a score more of associations.

F. W. OBER, AS AN EDITOR. F. W. Ober, who will send to the Oregon Daily Journal each week a brief resume of Y. M. C. A. doings throughout the country, is editor of the Association Men, the official paper for the international Y. M. C. A. He knows more concerning Y. M. C. A. work pertaining to collecting information for publication than any other man in America.



BOER PRISONERS FROM BERMUDA NOW ON WAY TO SOUTH AFRICA.

Reports from Transvaal and Cape Colony state that there is a strong feeling of dissatisfaction among many of the burghers who have surrendered. Bad blood prevails between those Boers who surrendered under the peace treaty and those who capitulated during the progress of the war. An outbreak of hostilities is now declared to be a dread possibility. The above snapshot, taken in New York, shows a party of Boer prisoners from the Bermudas, who are now on their way to South Africa.

DAKOTA DEMOCRATS

FARGO, N. D., July 31.—Democrats of North Dakota assembled in state con-

vention in Fargo today and were called to order by B. S. Brynjolfson of Grand Forks. The convention will place in nomination candidates for Governor and other state officials, to be chosen this fall.

Advertisement for C. H. Prescott, Trustee, featuring a table of deferred payment terms for house construction. The table shows monthly payments of \$24.75 for a house costing \$2750, with a total cost of \$750.00. The table includes columns for 'Total cost', 'Total monthly payment', and 'Total principal paid'.

Advertisement for Old Kentucky Home Club O.P.S. Whiskey, featuring a bottle of whiskey and the text 'Favorite American Whiskey' and 'Blumauer & Hoch, Sole Distributors'.

Advertisement for Confeds. Reunion, No Cotton Combine, Kentucky Confederate Veterans Meet at Owensboro, and New York Men Fail to Close Options on Southern Mills.

Advertisement for A. J. Gil & Co., General Machinists and Repairers, Manufacturers of Sheaves, Pins and Loggers' Supplies, Pattern and Model Making, Laundry Machinery, Printers' Machinery, etc.

Advertisement for F. W. Balthes & Co. Printers, Second and Oak Streets, Both Phones.

Advertisement for Devers Golden West Spices, Coffee, Tea, Baking Powder, Flavouring Extracts, featuring an image of a man in a suit and hat.

Advertisement for C. Gee Wo, The Great Chinese Doctor, featuring an image of a man in a suit and hat, and text describing his medical expertise.