

# LANE SHEEPMEN RANGE TRAGEDY MAKE GUN TALK NOW RECALLED

### Threaten to Chase Dip Artists Off Ranches When They Come to Dip Flocks.

### CHIEFS OF THE SERVICE INVESTIGATE SITUATION

#### Admit Measure of Justice in Protest Raised and Will Apply Recent Law Only Where Disease Actually is Shown—Expense Chief Objection.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Eugene, Or., May 10.—Lane county farmers are protesting loudly against the new stock law which requires them to dip their sheep every year and to pay an inspector \$5 a day and his expenses to do the work. Some have gone so far as to declare that if the inspector comes on their premises they will meet him with a shotgun and order him off.

Dr. J. Christie is the deputy state sheep inspector for this county. He recently caused portions of the law to be published in the local papers, and the farmers became acquainted with its provisions by a number of them not to appear on their premises.

**Inspection Chiefs Investigate.**  
In order to get the matter settled and to receive instructions as to the procedure to be taken, Dr. Christie sent for Dr. W. H. Lytle, state sheep inspector; Dr. B. W. McClure, federal inspector; and E. N. Hutchinson, of the bureau of animal industry to come to Eugene. They arrived here yesterday to look over the ground and found the farmers as hostile as Dr. Christie represented.

It appears that the new law was framed expressly for eastern Oregon, sheepowners alone and the western Oregon farmers who own a few head of sheep each were not taken into account. Lane county farmers claim that they cannot afford to pay an inspector to dip their sheep, as the wealthy owners of eastern Oregon can.

**Resistant Policy Adopted.**  
Messrs. Lytle, Hutchinson and McClure thoroughly investigated conditions here, and while there is no official announcement, it is said they have agreed to let those flocks which are not affected go without dipping, but where it is found they are diseased the law must be complied with.

Dr. Christie while the inspectors were here tendered his resignation as deputy state inspector for the reason that on account of the hostility of the farmers in regard to the law he would be attempting to enforce it incur their enmity, thereby injuring his practice.

### COLONY OF SWEDES TO BUILD COLORADO CITY

(Journal Special Service.) Pueblo, Colo., May 10.—A colony of Swedes numbering 40 families have recently located in the southern part of Pueblo county and are starting a new town to be known as Larimer, 15 miles south of Pueblo. They have acquired 5,000 acres of land in the vicinity and are building 40 new cottages at the present time. The colony will be run on the cooperative system and 2,000 acres of sugar beets will be put in this year, all of which has been contracted for by the American Sugar Beet company. These people are from Minnesota. The breaking of the first 2,000 acres of land will be done with the aid of a gigantic steam plow, which these up-to-date emigrants have brought with them, and it is expected that only a few years will elapse before the new town of Larimer will be one of the thriving towns of the county.

### NEW POSTMASTER TAKES CHARGE OF OFFICE RUINS

(Washington Bureau of The Journal.) Washington, May 10.—Arthur K. Hall is appointed postmaster at Kent, Oregon, to succeed S. G. Donley, resigned. Dispatches from Kent this week stated that the fire which nearly wiped that town off the map destroyed the postoffice and Hall will not assume his new duties under the most auspicious circumstances.

### ACCOMPLISHED TEACHER DIES OF CONSUMPTION

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Astoria, Or., May 10.—Miss Ida La Prombouse of Pillar Rock, Washington, aged 24 years, died at St. Mary's hospital yesterday of consumption. She was very highly educated and very talented, having been employed by the interior department of the government in several Indian schools. She was a graduate of an eastern college.

### SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT OF MARION'S FINANCES

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Salem, May 10.—The semi-annual report presented by County Clerk Allen for the six months ending April 1, 1907, shows that the liabilities of the county April 1 were \$4,184.88 and the resources \$353,675.93, a balance in favor of the county of \$349,491.05. The amount disbursed by the county during the past six months was \$52,202.92.

### Spring Medicine

In thousands and thousands of homes—in cities, towns and villages—three doses a day of Hood's Sarsaparilla are now being taken by every member of the family.

### CLATSOP FRANCHISE TO ELECTRIC LINE PEOPLE

Astoria, Or., May 10.—The county court has granted a 30-year franchise to S. D. Adair and E. B. McFarland for an electric car line between Astoria, Warrenton, Flavel, Hammond and Fort Stevens, to be in operation within two years. The franchise must be formally accepted within 60 days.

### Brother of Sheepman Who Disappeared Comes to Claim His Estate.

### SHORTY DAVIS RODE FORTH TO UNTOLD DOOM

#### Supposed That His Enemies Cast Him and His Horse Together Into a Chasm in the Lava—Estate is Valued at Eight Thousand Dollars

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Prineville, Or., May 10.—C. J. Douris, a Greek, has presented his claim in the circuit court here for the estate of his brother, who mysteriously disappeared from his sheep ranch in this county nine years ago. The dead man, who was commonly known as "Shorty" Davis, is said by those who know him, to have been an Armenian. He chose the name of Davis to hide his identity for some reason not generally known here. C. J. Douris, the claimant, cannot speak English, and is accompanied by a man named Sophos, from San Francisco, an interpreter. His case is presented by Attorney A. E. Jayne of Hood River, and it is said will be a strong one, despite the fact that there is another claim upon the same property.

Douris claims to be the youngest brother of the deceased, and very much resembles the man now dead. In both appearance and manner, it is said by those who know the latter.

The estate consists of a sheep ranch of 200 acres, situated 16 miles southeast of Prineville on the Burns road, and notes and accounts, the total value being about \$8,000.

**When Douris Disappeared.**  
Douris was a victim of an old range war. He left his ranch on horseback to ride to a sheep camp, and was never seen again alive or dead. Not a trace of him or his horse and riding gear was ever discovered in the diligent search that followed his disappearance. His horse was tracked along roads and trails until his line of hoof marks bent aside into the sagebrush, and that was all that was ever learned. It is supposed he was dumped, with his horse, into the many chasms in the lava which seam this wild interior region.

### FORCING AN ATTORNEY TO SERVE HIS STATE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Olympia, Wash., May 10.—Wahkiakum county, which has for some time been without a prosecuting attorney through the resignation of C. E. Pagan and the refusal of any other attorney to serve on appointment to fill the vacancy, may be rehabilitated in respect of that office in accordance with the advice of Attorney-General Atkinson that the judge of the superior court may appoint any attorney to fill the office. There seemed to be little or no law to cover the peculiar case. The inference is that in advising that the superior court judge should appoint, the attorney-general had an eye to the fact that refusal to serve under such appointment might be held as contempt.

### WORTHY OF SPECIAL NOTICE

Miss Susie Barnes, aged 14, a Resident of Walnut Park, by Request of Her Teacher for Class Essays, Contributed the Following, Scouring the Prize:  
Walnut Park—Walnut Park, lying as it does well toward the northern end of Williams avenue occupies the most elevated part of that magnificent plateau which extends westward several miles to the junction of the Willamette and Columbia rivers, known as the peninsula; affords the best opportunity to be had in the city from which to view the wonderful mountains of the Cascade range, lying to the east, and the imposing cliffs of the Willamette to the westward. Here, also, during the rainy season is to be had much more sunshine, with less fog, than must be endured by those who are compelled to live in the lower parts of the city, especially along the riverfront. The bright flowers, beautiful birds, pure air, which often carries the distinct odor of the sea and cooling breezes so much enjoyed in the warm evenings of the summer, all tend to make Walnut Park, in my opinion, the best place in the city in which to own a home. SUSIE BARNES.  
B. M. A., May 6, '07.

### BAKER AND PENDLETON CONCERNS INCORPORATE

(Washington Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, May 10.—Among the articles of incorporation filed yesterday were the following:  
The Malheur and Baker County Telephone company, incorporators, R. Beers, Frank Nichols, Frank Elliott, Henry Wendt, C. Wendt, W. W. Lovelace, John F. Dooley, J. E. Hill and C. H. Morfett; main office, Malheur City; capital stock, \$5,000.  
Eared Shares Investment company, incorporators, James H. Raley, J. R. Raley and A. F. Raley of Pendleton; main office, Pendleton; capital stock, \$30,000.

### TWO BURGLARY JOBS IN ASTORIA—NO CLUE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Astoria, Or., May 10.—The Congue Post-Office company's store was robbed Wednesday night and \$100 worth of goods taken. The robbers gained entrance through a window at the rear. There is no clue.

### Two Burglary Jobs in Astoria—No Clue

Some time between midnight and 4 o'clock a. m. burglars broke into the Grotto, a saloon on Commercial street, run by Otto Mikkelsen, and robbed the register of \$140. Entrance was gained through a skylight in the billiard room. No clue has been obtained.

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### RUSH FOR RICH GRANT LANDS

#### Polk County Citizens in a Stampede to Southern Pacific Holdings.

### TO BE READ AGAINST SETTLEMENT OF STATUS

Method is to Post Notice of Claim of Prior Right to Purchase From Company—Also Providing for Possible Reversion to Government.

(Journal Special Service.)

Dallas, Or., May 10.—The determination of Polk county citizens to get some of the Southern Pacific's holdings in this vicinity has not in the least abated. People are leaving Dallas each morning in hacks and carriages, on horseback and even on foot to post notices on the timber lands selected by them. They are merely going upon the chosen quarter section and noting a notice claiming they have made application to purchase that particular piece of ground, under the act of congress creating the grant originally given to the company; that they are bona fide settlers and claim the prior right to purchase the land by reason of posting notices on the land. In some cases the "squatters" have cut four poles and laid the foundation for a cabin, as under the old preemption law.

Some 200 locators are anxiously awaiting the result of the United States attorney-general's investigation of the railroad grant in Oregon, as announced in recent dispatches. In the meantime they are leaving nothing undone to be first on the ground in case a ruling of the department is made that is favorable to a reversion of the valuable timber land to the government.

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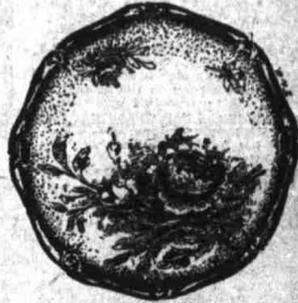


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