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ORDAINING SUNSHINE FOR THE HUSBANDMAN

Eastern Oregon Had a Wetting Down Yesterday, But All Is Serene Today—Palouse Fields Soaked—What the Official Forecast Is.

District Forecaster Beals is of the opinion that the rainstorm is on its last legs and that fair and warmer weather will be here again tomorrow. The showers last night were not heavy, only one-tenth of an inch falling during the whole night, but they were frequent and hence more or less annoying. Since the beginning of the present storm nearly one-quarter of an inch of rain has fallen here. A few showers may fall tonight but no heavy rain is expected. The weather map this morning says that westerly winds will prevail tomorrow and bring sunshine and a higher temperature. This will be much appreciated because it is generally conceded that the country has been favored with enough moisture to do for a while. The same kind of weather is predicted for the eastern part of the state, where the rain is said to be doing some damage to the wheat crop. A few days of dry and warm weather, however, will ward off the damage now threatened.

EASTERN OREGON'S RAIN.

Heaviest Ever, for This Time of Year—Clear Today.

(Special Dispatch to the Journal.) Pendleton, Or., Aug. 8.—A heavy rain fell in Umatilla county and all eastern Oregon yesterday and last night. It is clear today. It was feared much damage would result to the immense crop of wheat which is being harvested, but no damages are reported so far. With clear sky today and the warm weather the farmers will be able to resume the harvest tomorrow. The rain was one of the biggest ever known at this season of the year.

HEAVY RAINS IN PALOUSE.

No Damage Yet But Farmers Uneasy—Threshing Stopped.

(Special Dispatch to the Journal.) Gardfield, Wash., Aug. 8.—For twenty-four hours a general rain has been falling in copious showers over the Palouse wheat fields. All threshing has been stopped and it will be several days before it can be resumed. The ground is thoroughly soaked and the wheat so far has been done to the wheat crop, although farmers are very uneasy over the situation. The Palouse towns are full of harvest hands. The rain will be of great benefit to late potatoes and a big crop is expected.

IN YAMHILL VALLEY.

Rain Has Done Lots of Good and No Harm at All.

(Special Dispatch to the Journal.) McMinnville, Or., Aug. 8.—The Yamhill valley was visited by showers Wednesday during the day and night, and also yesterday. It was still cool and the clouds heavy yet this morning. The rain cleared up the smoke and settled the dust. So far there is no damage to crops. Threshing was held up Wednesday afternoon and Thursday morning and also against today. However, there is further rain this will be a great help to late garden truck and hops.

TWO LIVES

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pointed to an Iver & Johnson \$8-caliber weapon. He rapped nervously on the case and would take no other replies. "He was very nervous and his mouth twitched and he would not look up, but

kept glancing downward all the time. I asked him what he intended using the revolver for and he said self-protection and to kill me. I added something about going into the mountains. When I advised him to take a .32 caliber revolver if he needed one only for self-protection he said, "Oh, it does not make any difference about the length of barrel. All you have to do is to get close and shoot."

TO-TIE UP

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Montana, and St. Louis that the offices in those cities had been closed. It is expected that the strike will have spread to every branch of the Western Union system in the United States, and it is stated that a general strike of telegraph operators will be issued tonight from San Francisco headquarters which will call out all the operators on the Pacific coast.

CHICAGO AFFECTED.

Telegraphers Walk Out at Midnight in Sympathy With Ryan.

(Journal Special Service.)

Chicago, Aug. 8.—Telegraph keys on the Western Union tonight were silent here after 12 o'clock last night. At that hour, acting upon prearranged plans, a whistle was blown in the main office and the operators closed their key switches, rose from their chairs and with a lusty cheer, walked out. The strike against the operators was brought about by the trouble in Los Angeles when Operator Ryan was discharged by the company. Last night the matter was taken up before the executive board of the Commercial Telegraphers' union, which decided to go together with the removal in Los Angeles of the operators who refused to work with non-union men.

Called For Help.

"Almost directly afterward we heard her cry. Come Mrs. Sturtevant, help me."

Three shots followed immediately. I rushed to the door, but before I could get into the room because I did not know whether he had killed himself and was afraid he might harm me. I called for help and Levi Young, residing next door, came running in. We immediately started for the house. When we entered the room, both were dead. Death must have been instantaneous about the time the shots were fired. I knew there had been trouble between the two. Mr. Liebe used to drink but he had not been drinking last night. He had not lived up to his part faithfully but wanted Ryan to come back to him. We had not the faintest suspicion that the man who shot him last night because he acted coolly and collected. He was in a pleasant frame of mind just previous to the shooting. He chafed away as if nothing was bothering him."

Well Known at The Dalles.

Liebe was 35 years of age and his wife was 32. He was born at The Dalles, where he was well known. He was a past exalted ruler of The Dalles lodge of Elks. He leaves, besides his wife and son, a father and mother, a brother, Theodore, and two sisters, Mrs. George Campbell, of Spokane, and Miss Calista Liebe, of The Dalles. Two cousins, Carl Liebe and George A. Gundlach, reside in Portland.

Will Be General.

Operators Will Tie Up Whole System of Telegraph in Country.

(Journal Special Service.)

Los Angeles, Aug. 8.—About 20 operators went to work in the offices of the Western Union here last night, as a result of the strike precipitated by the discharge of Operator Ryan. It is believed that the strike now will be a general one and will result in paralyzing the business of the company until satisfactory terms are made. President Small of the Commercial Telegraphers' union, wired to the local union here that the strike was settled in 48 hours he would come here from Oakland to assist the men who were out.

Situation Unchanged.

Los Angeles Managers Claim Business Suffers Little Delay.

(Journal Special Service.)

Los Angeles, Aug. 8.—The situation in the telegraphers' strike in this city remains unchanged. It is claimed through the official channels of the Western Union that this morning the force of telegraphers on duty was augmented and that business is moving with an appreciable delay. It is also claimed that the usual number of wires to Chicago are in operation. At strike headquarters it is claimed that the Western Union has discounted the situation. There are no defections from the ranks of the strikers.

Portland Ready.

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has been declared on the Pacific coast. "I don't think there will be a strike," said Mr. Dumars this morning, "but if there should be the Portland office would be up in the air. I don't know of anything we can do to prevent it. Every town in this vicinity would be in the same fix and it would be a hopeless task to try to impress strike breakers. There would be none to be had."

Relay Offices Congested.

Mr. Dumars declared that he had received no instructions from New York regarding the business of the telegraphers' union and that everything he did would be upon directions received from the eastern office of the company. "Our business here is pretty well up, but the relay offices are chock-a-block and that is where the biggest damage will be done to the business interests of the country."

Now the Trouble Began.

According to local operators the trouble which originated in Los Angeles and now has spread to Chicago, New York, Cleveland, Kansas City, St. Paul and Denver is only nominally caused by the refusal of Operator Ryan to be reinstated. They say

Mrs. Sturtevant, although four cartridges were exploded. Another cartridge had been struck by the hammer but failed to explode. What became of the other five cartridges is unknown.

the facts of the matter are that the Western Union in San Francisco has shown no bonafide disposition to abide by their agreement made with President Small in San Francisco two weeks ago. The Western Union has quickly been at work ascertaining who were active members in this strike, say the operators, and on one pretense or another are getting rid of them. It can easily be seen from this that while they disavow any intention to discriminate it is in fact discriminating against the men who are opposite to the character of the man.

STANDARD OIL FINE TO APPEALS COURT

(Journal Special Service.)

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BAY CITY DOOMED IN FORTY-FIVE YEARS

(Special Dispatch to the Journal.)

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 8.—Professor F. Mason, of California, the noted astrologer, predicts that San Francisco will be utterly destroyed by an earthquake in 45 years. The city will be badly shaken up in seven years. Professor Mason is now in Vancouver. He says he has received spiritual warning of the catastrophe.

PARTIN ACCUSED OF DESERTING FAMILY

(Special Dispatch to the Journal.)

Roseburg, Or., Aug. 8.—C. W. Partin, of Portland, was arrested on the farm of C. H. Brown near Wilbur today by Constable Jarvis on a warrant issued at Portland charging non-support of his family. Partin was brought here to await the arrival of an officer to take him back to Portland.

STEVENS RENTS

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company's statements as vouchers. Where he has rented his own automobile, Sheriff Stevens has written out formal receipts as if he were an auto dealer, showing that he has received from the country each of the sums claimed for the use of his auto. Then Steven the sheriff, took the receipts signed by Stevens, the auto dealer, and presented them to County Auditor Brandes as vouchers entitling him, as sheriff, to receive \$82.50 for the rent of his automobile.

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