

# OWNERS OF CANINE DOSE DAMAGE SUIT; VERDICT IS FOR \$770

## Jury Passes on Demand for \$25,000 for Injuries Sustained by Boy.

### DOG ATTACKED OTHERS

Defendants Contended They Knew Nothing of Other Acts of  
Vicariousness.

For injuries received when he was bitten in the face by a pointer dog, Edward Gresham, 8 years old, today gave a verdict of \$770 against Ernest Douglass and Frederick H. Miller, owners of the dog. The verdict was returned by a jury in Judge Gates' court. The boy, according to his father, sued for \$25,000, alleging that the injuries would disfigure the lad's face for life.

### DAMAGE SUIT IS ON TRIAL

## \$7500 Asked in Action as Result of Fatal Accident.

The first four suits that have been filed against the Southern Pacific company as the result of the death of four men when a train struck an automobile bus near Tualatin last September went to trial today in Judge Davis' department of the district court.

### FAIL TO OBTAIN A VERDICT

## Louis Benfield Jury Is Discharged This Morning.

The jury which heard the evidence for and against Louis Benfield, Portland fireman, who was tried for contributing to the delinquency of Marie Hodges, 16 years old, was unable to reach a verdict. The jury went out at noon Saturday and was discharged at 9 o'clock this morning by Judge Morrow. The jury stood nine for conviction and three for acquittal.

### Sentenced to Five Months Each.

John Donlin and Arthur Schmidding pleaded guilty to larceny today and were sentenced by Judge Morrow to five months each in the county jail.

### TREASON TRIAL OF IRISH KNIGHT REVEALS PLOTS

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ordered by Berlin to accompany Casement to Ireland in a German submarine. The collapsible boat, in which he and Casement left the submarine, overturned in the surf and Bailey and Sir Roger reached shore with difficulty. They went to a shop in a race, said the confession, where Casement was obliged to meet a rebel leader, who failed to appear. Bailey was arrested while entering an automobile which was to drive him to a meeting of rebels.

### LOCAL GOLDENDALE CITIZENS REQUEST A BRANCH RAIL LINE

## Delegation Calls on Executive Secretary George A. Hardy This Morning.

Residents of Goldendale, Wash., eager to see a rail connection for themselves with the Yakima valley, have sent a delegation from the Commercial club to Portland to secure cooperation for the promotion of a line from the North Bank's branch to the Tompkins, Fort Stevens and Western. The committee waited upon George E. Hardy, executive secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, this morning, and was entertained at luncheon by the Portland committee. In the Goldendale party are G. H. Baker, D. Leadbetter and N. B. Brooks. They are planning for a mass meeting at Goldendale May 24, which will be attended by delegations from all the towns of the Yakima country.

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the formal charge, in connection with which he reviewed the knight's life history. His eyes roved, occasionally resting on the presiding magistrate, then on the spectators.

### EUGENE GIRL NOW IN LEAD AS CANDIDATE FOR FESTIVAL QUEEN

## Miss Edell Fraasch Gains Advance Over Her Nearest Competitor by 2000 Votes, No Transfers Allowed

Two Leading Candidates Are Long Distance Ahead Third Contender—Standing of Aspirants Shown.

Miss Edell Fraasch of Eugene took the lead in the race for queen of the Rose Festival this morning. A count completed shortly before noon shows her in advance of Lillian C. Hendrickson, candidate of the Porters of America, by more than 2000 votes. They are more than 20,000 votes ahead of the next candidate.

### PUTER IS AGAIN AT WORK WITH CONGRESSMEN

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Letters, "Watch Out for Your Constituents." Two full pages are given over to criticisms entitled, "What the timber companies got—Act of August 29, 1912," representing a fine tract of tall timber, and "what is offered to the country, showing an array of big stumps."

### BROKEN RIBS PIERCE LUNG AND MAN DIES FROM HEMORRHAGE

## David Mitchelson Victim of Accident on Base Line Road Yesterday Morning.

An autopsy at the morgue this morning revealed that David Mitchelson, plumber of 1142 East Madison street, who was killed in the automobile accident on the Base Line road yesterday morning, died from an internal hemorrhage, the result of the three left lower ribs penetrating the lung. One other rib, on the right side, was broken.

### CHIEF NO SHIRT OF WALLA WALLAS MAKES CITIZENSHIP PROTEST

Washington, May 15.—No Shirt, chief of the Walla Walla tribe of Indians, residing on the Umatilla reservation in Oregon, has written a vigorous appeal in behalf of his people to Congressman Sinnott, opposing Senator Lane's bill to confer citizenship upon the Indians.

### Waco, Texas, Mob Lynchs Negro Boy

Waco, Texas, May 15.—(U. P.)—Stomping the courthouse, a mob estimated at 2000 strong, today seized Jesse Washington, 18, a negro, and burned him to death in city hall square for murdering Mrs. Elizabeth Fryar, 56, a farmer's wife.

be ill matched against the white man. In the course of the letter he says: "It took 1000 years to civilize the white man, if indeed the race can be regarded as civilized at this time; and it is not strange that the Indian, in less than 200 years, has failed to absorb either conservative ideas or business principles. It must be remembered that to our Indians neither land nor money signifies wealth; but to the Indian today, as to his fathers in years gone by, wealth is represented by horses, saddles, bridles, blankets and the regalia inherited from his fathers."

### JACKSON CLUB WILL HOLD BIG RALLY FOR CANDIDATES TONIGHT

## Meeting Designed to Make Aspirants Better Acquainted With Voters of Party.

### WILL OUTLINE POSITIONS

## Colonel Robert A. Miller Will Hold at Meeting Which Will Be Held at the Central Library Building.

The Jackson club will hold its first candidates' rally tonight at the Central library hall at 8 o'clock. The meeting has been called for the purpose of getting all Democratic candidates for office together and making them acquainted with the voters of the party preparatory to the primaries on Friday next.

### TO DEMONSTRATE WOOL INDUSTRY

Washington, May 15.—Special demonstration work in the sheep, wool and mohair industries will be carried on all projects an opportunity to submit proposals, he says. "It is sought to protect the projects by circulating jobbing centers at the same time, and where Indians neither submit nor right proposals at the right price to award them the contracts."

### INDIANS CLAIM MORE LAND

Washington, May 15.—Senator Lane has introduced a bill appropriating \$10,000 for an investigation by the secretary of the interior concerning the merits of the claims of Indians on the Warm Springs reservation in Oregon to adjoining land. The Indians allege erroneous surveys of the northern and western boundaries of the reservation have deprived them of considerable valuable land.

### DRIED FRUITS FOR ARMY

Washington, May 15.—Army specifications governing bids for the consumption of dried fruits by the army have been amended to include the evaporated product. This was done at the request of Congressman Sinnott, who was asked to introduce the bill by The Dailies Chapter of Commerce.

### CANNERY ON ACRETTE ISLAND

Washington, May 15.—Secretary Lane of the interior department has approved a lease to P. E. Harris of Seattle for a cannery on Acrette island, Alaska, reserving to the Indians 3000 feet within which to fish. The lease has been forwarded to Harris for signature.

### MMINNVILLE MEN BUSY

## Candidates for County Offices Are on the Jump.

McMinnville, May 15.—Candidates for county offices are working assiduously to get their names on the ballot in every district in the county. The race for commissioner on the Republican ticket is one of the fiercest in years. The aspirants are S. E. Cummins, of Carlton; R. C. Henry, of McMinnville; Lee Rowell, of Sherman; and the friends of Wm. Gunning, present incumbent, but barred from appearing on the printed ballot, are determined to write his name on the ballot. He (Wm. Gunning) is a resident of McMinnville on the day after election and will be able to qualify for the general election. He plans to run as an independent if not nominated.

### AUTO PARADE ANNOUNCED

McCormick, candidate for School Superintendent, to speak. Elmer S. McCormick, candidate for the Republican nomination for county school superintendent is planning to start his last week's campaign off with the old time swing tonight. There will be an automobile parade and street meetings will be held at the following places and hours: 8 p. m. Sixth and Alder, Tenth and Washington, Sellwood fire station, First and Sherman, Prince's theatre, Arleta, Montavilla, Woodlawn fire station, Wilshire avenue and Russell street, Mississippi avenue and Shaver street. At 8:30 o'clock meetings are to be held at St. Johns square, Lincoln, Lents and Twenty-sixth and Clinton streets.

### TO ELECT SCHOOL DIRECTORS

## Ballot Will Not Be Cast Until Next June.

The announcement of candidacy by different candidates for school directors at this time has raised a question in the minds of many voters as to their ability to vote at the primaries. The impression has gained ground that the school directors are to be elected at the primary election, nominating election of Friday next and that because of this fact no one who is not a property owner will be permitted to vote at this election.

### MASS MEETING FOR CUMMINS

## Iowa Candidate for President to Be Chief Speaker.

A Cummins mass meeting will be held Wednesday evening at 8:15 o'clock at the Baker Hotel on Broadway and Broadway streets, under the auspices of the Oregon Republican club, at which Senator Cummins will be the principal speaker. The meeting will be presided over by John McCourt, president of the club. On Thursday evening a second meeting will be held at the same place and hour, under the auspices of the Cummins' headquarters committee.

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## Week of Activities in Interest of Speechless Friends Inaugurated in Portland.

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