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On Dust Storms
DENIZENS of the Willamette valley got perhaps their first experience with a dust storm Wednesday when a reverse gale blew through the Columbia gorge and showered dust over the lower Columbia region.

The reason the valley doesn't get more dust-storms is because the prevailing winds are southwesterly. They blow up through the gorge and start in about Arlington picking up fine sand and dust. More is taken on at Pasco and as they cross the summer-fallowed fields the fine volcanic ash is sucked in until the air is filled with dense clouds of dust.

In the dust country, housekeeping is a great chore. The storms deposit layers of dust all over the house. There is no way of sealing doors and windows to keep out the fine silt. After every storm the housewife must get busy with broom and mop and dust-cloth.

Continuing dust-storms are peculiarly hard on the nerves. The gloom, the flying dirt, the despair over blowing out of seeded grain, the whistling of the wind do get one. There is no escape. You smell the dust in the air you breathe.

A Marked Man
FROM our appraisal of the situation we would say that Hal Hoss, secretary of state, is the only one of the leading characters in the recent board inauguration who emerged with enhanced prestige.

U. S. customs officers caught an Englishman importing into this country a million lottery tickets on the Irish hospital sweepstakes to be run at Epsum. The deal was for the ticket chasers to get two free tickets for every ten they sold at \$2.50 each.

This king Prajadhipok of Siam who is now a guest in this country, is a pretty decent chap. For instance, he is traveling under the title of Prince of Sukhodai instead of his royal title of Prajadhipok, Defender of the Faith, King of the North and of the South, Descendant of Buddha, Supreme Arbitrator of the Ebb and Flow of the Tide, Brother of the Moon, Half-Brother of the Sun, Possessor of the Four and Twenty Golden Umbrellas.

The spectacle of high officials of a sovereign state engaging in a wordy brawl is something indeed to "make the judicious grope." It was the old hole game, some one trying to put the other fellow "in the hole." Let us have dignity and co-operation and not a free show for the mule-eared.

Dr. Doney is suggesting that mothers of students visit the campus on Mother's Day. The suggestion will be enough. Mothers vote on the sentiment; but how a dad hides out on "Father's Day."

We see by another banker that business has hit bottom again. That's the trouble, it has hit bottom so many times it is all black and blue.

Pennsylvania scientists have proved that tobacco is great stuff for chickens. Fine, now maybe we can advertise Chesterfields in our Poultry Journal.

"Hanged girl secretly wed" says C-J headline. How did she struggle her promise to obey?

Measles

By C. C. DAUER, M. D.
Marion Co. Health Dept.
As stated previously the rash of measles appears about fourteen days after exposure. Exposure must take place by direct contact, that is, the susceptible person must come in contact with one having or one developing the disease.

Measles may be mistaken for several other infections or vice versa. Scarlet fever may be hard to differentiate. However in scarlet fever, there is usually a white spot in the mouth that is seen in regular measles. The rash in measles always appears at the height of the fever, never when the temperature has become normal.

A measles like rash may appear after vaccination or following the injection of serums. Some drugs may cause a rash not unlike measles. Treatment of measles usually consists in rest in bed and making the patient as comfortable as possible. Your physician will prescribe special agents when they are indicated.

Yesterdays

Of Old Oregon
Town Talks from The Statesman Our Fathers Read

The university baseball team and the celebrated Ramblers of this city played a benefit baseball game on the university athletic field, the proceeds going to the San Francisco relief fund.

Chemawa beat Salem high 11 to 4 in a game at the Indian school grounds. Salem high players: c., Keenan; p., Hargrove; 1b., Fisher; 2b., Harrison; 3b., Roberts; ss., Perkins; lf., Byrne; cf., and Smith, rt.

W. H. Hillis will give an exhibition of fancy rifle shooting at the ground of the Salem Gun club, near the fairgrounds.

Dispatches from San Francisco indicate that order and system are gradually being restored in the stricken city. Large supplies of food, her water are being shipped in and temporary buildings are going up.

CLOVERDALE HAS NUMEROUS GUESTS

CLOVERDALE, April 22.—Mrs. Walter Low, Mrs. A. Ernest Lilly and Mrs. Fanny Bard of Salem, were guests of Mrs. George Miller at the A. A. Dumbek home Friday afternoon. Mrs. Miller is staying at the Dumbek home during Mrs. Dumbek's visit to her old home in Minnesota where she was called because of the illness of her mother.

Mrs. Clara Lee and Mrs. Hazel Arnett and three children, who have been visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Anderson, left for their homes in Ventura, Cal., Monday morning. Mrs. A. E. Kunke and children Joyce and Gordon spent the week end at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. Fillet, near Chemawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Cook and daughter Gertrude and Mrs. Arthur Kunke and son Gordon attended the Kellems evangelistic meeting at the Christian church in Salem Thursday evening.

Sloctemyer New Head of College

CINCINNATI, April 22.—(AP)—Selection of the Rev. Hugo F. Sloctemyer, 47, as the new president of Xavier university succeeding the Rev. Hubert F. Brockman, Sr., who died Feb. 12 was announced here last night.

GUEST FROM NEW YORK
LYONS, April 22.—Miss Virginia Friedland of New York City and a daughter of Mrs. Mae Williams, is here on a visit. Mr. and Mrs. Worden drove to Salem Friday morning to meet her. John Worden and Ora Williams are Mrs. Friedland's brothers. She expects to spend some time in Oregon. It has been several years since she has visited her relatives in the west.

CHECKING UP



"A Knight Comes Flying" By Eustace L. Adams

Gerry's headlights were weaving around the dead houses, crawling toward the winding, leafy tunnel in the jungle. Dave shouted encouragement to his friends, but his words were blotted out in the thundering din of his engine.

The red tail light had disappeared. The livid trees and snake like creepers came to an end. The two headlights flung their beams far across the level expanse of the flying field. Half-way across the clearing was the truck, heading toward an airplane which idled just outside the hangar door.

The car quivered under the impact. A sprawling man, only inhuman, appeared briefly in the cone of the headlights and disappeared into the darkness beyond. The Hispano-Suiza roared on amid a fusillade of bullets that slammed against the steel body as if someone were half a day making abated they were half a day making vain endeavors to get into the river.

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BITS for BREAKFAST

By R. J. HENDRICKS
Arrival of the Whites:
In their book, "Ten Years in Oregon," Dr. Elijah White (and Mrs. White) told some interesting incidents of their arrival in the Oregon country in May, 1837, with the first missionary enforcement. Following are excerpts:

"Spring was approaching, and with it thoughts of leaving the pleasant home and friends to whom they had become much attached. They were sorrowful, but duty bade them on to the wilds of Oregon. . . . They were benefited by their residence on the (Sandwich) islands, for they had learned much of missionary labors, and the course which they must in part pursue.

"They embarked on board the Diana, Captain Hinckley, and found that, unlike the vessel they had before sailed in, this was provided with a variety of good, wholesome provisions. They were 30 days at sea, and had a very boisterous passage; but nothing more disastrous occurred than the death of their English cow, which to the children was a misfortune, as they were thereby deprived of milk.

"After they had been out a fortnight, and the weather had become somewhat calm, they felt a curiosity to open the three boxes which had been sent on board by Pilot Reynolds. . . . In the first they found a dozen bottles of wine, in the second eight of brandy, all invaluable in sickness, and in the third pepper, spices, cassia, tea, sugar, and every such article as Mrs. White needed on going to housekeeping.

"They had often seen Mr. Reynolds while at the islands, and endeavored to learn something of his former history. But in this they were disappointed. . . . White went into his store on some trifling errand, when she saw a native woman behind one of the counters. She was dressed in black satin, with a wreath of rare and beautiful feathers upon her head, and was a tall, fine looking creature, of rather noble appearance. After the usual compliments, Mr. Reynolds, turning to her, said, 'Mrs. White, the mother of my children.' This was a singular introduction, and she was reasonably surprised, especially as before she had never heard him mention his wife, and besides this was the first instance she had ever seen of a colored woman being the wife of a white man. (The Sandwich Islanders are not what we called "colored" in this country.)

"A young man who left Boston with them afterwards married a native woman. . . . Nothing of particular interest occurred till they neared the bar of the Columbia river, where lay the greatest danger they encountered. . . . They crossed under the most unfavorable circumstances that probably a vessel ever did. Their pilot had not been on the spot for 22 years, and the captain never had. When near it, the ship was obliged to lay to, on account of the violence of the storm; and when this had in a slight degree abated they were half a day making vain endeavors to get into the river.

"The captain, however, became more desperate and determined, continually fortifying his wavering courage by deep quaffs of brandy. At last they reached the place of peril, and he thundered forth orders to put the vessel forward. It was done, and they expected every moment that destruction would overwhelm them, for they saw and heard the roar of the breakers far ahead, and it was impossible to determine their precise situation, shrouded and enveloped as they were with spray. However, this nightmare was soon ended, for as Providence would have it, they struck the channel, although not yet out of danger; for, the wind lulled, and the obdurate resistance of the captain, fearful that they would be carried back into the sands, and thus inevitably perish, ordered the dropping of the anchors.

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BLAME NOT PLACED
CHICAGO, April 22.—(AP)—A coroner's jury refused today to place any blame for the rotary district tunnel fire on April 13 which caused the deaths of 11 men by asphyxiation and resulted indirectly in the death of a policeman.

For TEETHING troubles
Fussy, fretful . . . of course babies are uncomfortable at teething time! And mothers are worried because of the little upsets which come so suddenly then. But there's one sure way to comfort a restless, teething child, Castoria — made especially for babies and children! It's perfectly harmless, as the formula on the wrapper tells you. It's mild in taste and action. Yet it rights little upsets with a never-failing effectiveness. That's the beauty of this special children's remedy! It may be given to tiny infants — as often as there is need. In cases of colic and similar disturbances, it is invaluable! But it has every-day uses all mothers should understand. A coated tongue calls for a few drops to ward off constipation; so does any suggestion of bad breath. Whenever older children don't eat well, don't rest well, or have any little upset, a more liberal dose of this pure vegetable preparation is usually all that's needed. Genuine Castoria has Chas. H. Fletcher's signature on the wrapper. Doctors prescribe it.

