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FINE FARM of 10 acres 4 1/2 miles from Gold Hill, on Gail creek, 1/2 acre in cultivation; small bearing orchard; house, barn and outbuildings; soil very rich; all under fence; good out-range; adjoining this place at a bargain. If sold soon, inquire of D. Horn on the premises or at the office of The News.

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GOOD farm on Gail creek; best in that section; cheap; Geo. R. Hammersly will sell it.

We have (3) acres in the suburbs of Gold Hill at a bargain.

**CONFECTIONERY STORE**  
CIGARS  
CIGARETTES  
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All Fresh Fruits in Season : :  
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Orders for bugles, carriages, surreys, hack and riding horses promptly filled.  
Horses fed by the month, week or day at reasonable prices. The best of care taken to prevent accidents, and will not be responsible for any that may occur.

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## Insurance.... That Insures

Insurance Companies. I have stood the Test of Time; that carries risks at the Lowest Possible Rate; that pays losses in the Quickest Possible Time; is Represented in Gold Hill by Geo. R. Hammersly & Sons. It is the far-famed

## Connecticut & Firemans Fund

A Share of the Patronage of the Public is Respectfully Solicited

Roller Barley  
Feed...  
Graham Flour...  
Corn.....  
Meal.....  
Fine Family Flour  
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A Full Supply of Undertaking Goods. Funeral Car to those who Want It. South Side, Gold Hill, Oregon.

## For Sale

40 Acres of land within one-half mile of thriving railroad town, fair dwelling barn and other out buildings, for sale at a bargain. Inquire or address,  
NEWS, Gold Hill, Ore.

## Blanks

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35c Per Dozen  
AT THE NEWS OFFICE  
Gold Hill, Oregon

## FRATERNAL

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.  
James Lattrell Post No. 71, G. A. R., of Gold Hill, Ore., meets in the School Hall on first and third Friday in each month. Neillie Darling, pres.; Mrs. Dunlap, senior vice-pres.; Mrs. C. A. Tine, junior vice-pres.; Mrs. Curry, secretary; Mrs. Myra McNeill, treas.

WOMEN'S RELIEF CORPS.  
James Lattrell women's Relief Corps of Gold Hill, Ore., meets in the School Hall on first and third Friday in each month. Neillie Darling, pres.; Mrs. Dunlap, senior vice-pres.; Mrs. C. A. Tine, junior vice-pres.; Mrs. Curry, secretary; Mrs. Myra McNeill, treas.

ANCIENT ORDER OF UNITED WORKMEN.  
Nugget Lodge No. 80, A. O. U. W., meets every Monday night in Schoolhouse Hall. Visiting brothers cordially invited to attend. J. A. Harvey, master; workman, W. H. Harvey, recorder.

ORDER OF PENDO.  
Oro Fino Council No. 257, Order of Pendo, meets at the I. O. O. F. Hall every other Thursday. Walter Dungey, Counselor; Alfred Lewis, Secretary.

DEGREE OF HONOR.  
Paradise Lodge No. 71, Degree of Honor, meets every Tuesday in School Hall. Visiting members cordially invited to attend. Mrs. Tilda Hammersly, G. of H.; Martin Melbourn, recorder.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.  
Gold Hill Hook and Ladder Company No. 1 meets on the first Tuesday evening in each month. Oris Crawford, president; W. A. Carter, secretary; Carl Phelps, foreman.

## PROFESSIONAL

W. A. CARTER  
Attorney at Law  
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## EVENTS OF THE DAY

### FROM THE FOUR QUARTERS OF THE WORLD.

A Comprehensive Review of the Important Happenings of the Past Week, Presented in a Condensed Form. Which is Most Likely to Prove of Interest to Our Many Readers

Two hundred miners at Leavenworth, Kan., have gone on strike.

The Peary relief ship has started on her trip to the Arctic regions.

The president has appointed Director Merriam as permanent director of the census.

The emperor of Corea has accepted an invitation for that country to participate in the St. Louis exposition.

Blanks for Indian war veterans have been issued and applications will soon be going in to the pension department at Washington.

The posse in pursuit of Tracy has returned to Seattle for a rest. The force will be reorganized and a more determined campaign inaugurated.

General Chaffee has been relieved of command in the Philippines and will be assigned to duty in the United States. He will be succeeded by General Davis.

Masked men held up a Denver & Rio Grande passenger train in Colorado. It is not known how much they secured, but the train usually carries a large amount of money.

By the finding of Merrill's body, the story told by Tracy has proven to be true. The body has been found a few miles from Chehalis, at the place Tracy declared he fought with his partner.

A boy passing through the canyon discovered it lying in the brush.

Fixing of a nation date has upset London society's plans.

The flood situation at Topeka, Kan., is becoming more serious.

Chicago as threatened with a food famine because of the strike.

A number of violent earthquake shocks have been reported from Venezuela.

The Vatican is anxious to establish diplomatic relations with the United States.

Two men were killed and another fatally injured in a train wreck at Peoria, Ill.

David P. Kronacher, assistant paymaster United States navy, was drowned off Ocean View, Va.

Lord Kitchener has returned to England from South Africa and was welcomed by the Prince of Wales.

A grand nephew of the great German Bismark is confined in the Tombs, New York, charged with burglary in the third degree.

A hot wave in France is resulting in many deaths.

Rain has checked the spread of cholera in the Philippines.

Bear Creek, a Wisconsin village, has been almost entirely destroyed by fire. Loss, \$100,000.

The death list in the Johnstown mine horror continues to grow. There were 600 men in the mine at the time of the explosion. One hundred and forty-three bodies have been recovered.

A Portland bartender shot and killed his wife, mother-in-law, and another man, and seriously wounded his father-in-law, and then gave himself up to the police and told them of his crime. His only regret was that he did not kill the rest of the family.

Tracy and the pursuing posse engaged in another bloodless battle in which 16 shots were fired by the officers and two by the outlaw. It is thought probable that Tracy was wounded, although it was so dark at the time that it was impossible to see the fleeing man.

The Panama canal treaty may be signed within a week.

Secretary Hay has induced the powers to vacate Tien Tsin.

The East is suffering from extreme heat. One day's record at Philadelphia and New York shows six deaths at each place.

## SWEPT BY FLAMES.

Grants Pass Visited by a \$50,000 Fire—Originated in Defective Flue.

Grants Pass, Oregon, July 15.—A fire which is believed to have had its origin in a defective flue in a hotel yesterday afternoon destroyed \$50,000 worth of property here. A southwest wind that was blowing a gale scattered the flying embers over all parts of the city and made it practically impossible for the firemen to keep the flames under control. The fire was a most remarkable one in that it did not sweep everything as it went, but skipped here and there, making the situation all the more difficult for the firemen and the citizens, who fought heroically to quell the destructive flames. Nearly all of the residences and buildings burned were insured for one-half or two-thirds of their value.

The fire originated in the old City hotel, on Front street. Flames were discovered breaking through the kitchen roof about 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and probably caused by a defective flue. Fanned by the fierce wind, the flames had completely enveloped the City hotel and the adjoining buildings before the fire department could reach the scene, notwithstanding their prompt response.

The Grants Pass brewery was next in the path of the flames, and in a few minutes was reduced to ashes. The blaze then leaped across the street to the railroad yards of the Southern Pacific, where are located the roundhouse, machine shops and wood yard. These were soon a mass of flames. Across the street were three residences, and these were next to go. By this time the whole city was in great alarm. The wildest excitement prevailed, for the solid business portion of the town on Front street and all of the residences of the city, comprising half of Grants Pass, seemed doomed, as they were directly in the path of the flames. Every available team, dray and truck in the city were brought into use in getting the contents of stores and residences to places of safety.

The mayor telephoned to Ashland for assistance and the fire department of that city was loaded onto a special train and hurried to the scene of the conflagration, where good service was rendered in saving the remainder of the town.

**SALISBURY RESIGNS.**  
It Was Expected, but Not So Soon—Succeeded by A. J. Balfour.

London, July 16.—The fact of the resignation of the premiership of Great Britain by Lord Salisbury has been officially given out. The prime minister laid down the responsibilities of his office July 11.

Within 24 hours his majesty elevated A. J. Balfour, the government's chief representative in the house of commons, to the position of premier.

While it was expected in political and commercial circles that Lord Salisbury's retirement would be coincident with the coronation of King Edward, it was scarcely looked for prior to that event. Consequently about the only surprise expressed as the news spread through London concerned the date, rather than the fact of the resignation. The real interest was not so much in reference to Lord Salisbury's withdrawal as it was in the appointment of his successor.

The liveliest speculation is rife as to the personnel of the new cabinet. The most discussed feature of the pending changes is the position of Mr. Chamberlain, the colonial secretary, who in many quarters has been regarded as the most promising candidate for the premiership.

As to Lord Salisbury's withdrawal, the main reason is considered by practically all well informed persons to have been a desire for a quiet life on the part of a man advanced in years, whose activities have been unusual and whose scientific tastes predisposed him to study and seclusion.

Although Lord Salisbury's resignation does not necessarily involve the reconstruction of the cabinet, it is believed there will be some changes. It is considered unlikely that some of the ministers will be made peers in order to make room for new blood in the cabinet.

**Waters Are Falling.**  
Topeka, Kan., July 16.—The flood situation is beginning to show some improvement. The Kansas river has fallen nearly four inches since 10 o'clock this morning, and the prospects are that the fall will be steady now until the water has reached its usual level. Railroad traffic on the Santa Fe and Union Pacific is entirely shut off between here and Kansas City on account of washouts near Lawrence. It is thought that the damage will be repaired sometime tomorrow.

**Collide in Malacca.**  
Singapore, June 9, via San Francisco, July 16.—A collision took place the night of June 6 in the Straits of Malacca, between the local steamer Tontonia and a Chinese junk. Both vessels sank almost immediately, and only 68 persons were saved out of 100 on board.

**Precautions Against Cholera.**  
Tokio, June 28, via San Francisco, July 16.—Owing to the prevalence of cholera in certain districts of Japan, the United States sanitary authorities will allow no one to go to Hawaii or America from the infected places without undergoing five days' disinfection at Yokohama. This order also applies to any person coming by way of Tokyo, as the disease has made its appearance in the capital.

## NEWS OF THE STATE

### ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS OF OREGON.

**Commercial and Financial Happenings of Importance.—A Brief Review of the Growth and Improvements of the Many Industries Throughout Our Thriving Commonwealth.—Latest Market Report.**

A large box and basket factory is to be established at Eugene.

Salem hop buyers are closing contracts for the 1902 crops at 20 cents per pound.

Two Oregon postoffices were discontinued July 15.—Irma, Curry county, and Waldron, Wheeler county.

A blaze at Sheep Rock mine, four miles from Sanger, Eastern Oregon, destroyed the stamp mill, hoist and other buildings.

Citizens of Crook county are considering numerous plans of ridding the county of rabbits, which are the worst pest in Eastern Oregon.

Mountain climbers have started on their annual pilgrimage to the top of Hood. One party has already made the ascent. They report much snow and ice still on the side of the peak.

The county bridge over Hubbard creek, at Millwood, Douglas county, collapsed while a team with a load of lumber was crossing. The driver was fatally injured and both horses killed.

Citizens of Hillsboro held a meeting and a committee was appointed to secure a right of way for the electric railway to the Multnomah county line, the company having secured the right of way from there into Portland.

The proposed railroad into Malheur and Harney counties has caused timber lands in that section to be taken up rapidly. It is estimated that along the line of the proposed road 20,000 to 25,000 acres of land well covered by timber have been located since March 1.

Oregon counties, for the past year, have been paying out nearly \$5,000 a month for scalps of wild animals, principally coyotes. The county stands one-third of this amount and the state two-thirds. The \$50,000 appropriation made by the legislature of 1901 is exhausted and \$20,000 in claims are on file. The counties are relying on the next legislature for reimbursement. Lane county, however, has made an order that no more scalps will be accepted.

Hop buyers around Salem are offering 18 cents for the 1902 crop.

A sawmill with a capacity of 100,000 feet per day is to be built at Astoria at once.

Hop growers in Lane county anticipate more trouble this year than usual with lice.

The prospects are good for a heavy crop of both fall and spring wheat in Linn county.

The recent rains have brightened the prospects for the grain and hay crops around Prineville.

Cold storage men at Astoria are now paying 8 cents per pound for large fish, an advance of 1 cent.

Several cars of Willamette valley 1902 prunes have been contracted for at 5 1/2 cents in 25-pound boxes.

A. J. Webster has been appointed deputy fish warden at Astoria, to succeed Henry Bultman, resigned.

## PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat — Walla Walla, 65 1/2 @ 66c; bluestem, 67 @ 68c; valley, 66 1/2 @ 67c.  
Barley — Feed, \$22; brewing, \$23 per ton.  
Flour—Best grades, \$3.05 @ \$3.60 per barrel; Graham, \$2.95 @ \$3.20.  
Millstuffs — Bran, \$3.50 @ 16 per ton; middlings, \$21.50; shorts, \$18; chop, \$16.  
Oats—No. 1 white, \$1.20 @ 1.25; gray, \$1.10 @ 1.15.  
Hay — Timothy, \$12 @ 15; clover, \$7.50 @ 10; Oregon wild hay, \$5 @ 6 per ton.  
Potatoes — Best Barbanks, 75 @ 85c per cental; ordinary, 40c per cental; growers prices: sweets, \$2.25 @ 2.50 per cental; new potatoes, 1 1/4c.  
Butter—Creamery, 20 @ 21c; dairy 16 @ 18c; store, 15 @ 16c.  
Eggs—20 @ 22 1/4c for Oregon.  
Cheese — Full cream, twins, 12 1/2 @ 13c; Young America, 13 1/2 @ 14 1/2c; factory prices, 1 @ 1 1/4c less.  
Poultry—Chickens, mixed, \$3.50 @ 4.50; hens, \$4.00 @ 5.50 per dozen, 11 @ 11 1/2c per pound; \$2.50 @ 4.50 per dozen; ducks, \$2.50 @ 3.00 per dozen; turkeys, live, 13 @ 14c, dressed, 15 @ 16c per pound; geese, \$4.00 @ 5.00 per dozen.  
Mutton—Gross, 2 1/2 @ 3c per pound; dressed, 6c per pound.  
Hogs—Gross, 6 1/2c; dressed, 7 @ 7 1/2c per pound.  
Veal—7 @ 8c per pound.  
Beef—Gross, cows, 3 @ 3 1/2c; steers, 3 1/2 @ 4 1/2c; dressed, 7 @ 8c per pound.  
Hops—14 @ 18 cents per pound.  
Wool—Valley, 12 1/2 @ 15; Eastern Oregon, 8 @ 14 1/2c; mohair, 25 @ 26c per pound.

The insurance of the lives of children is forbidden in Montreal.

William McGovern made the eighth suicide in Meriden, Conn., in two months. A suicide club is believed to exist.

The congregation of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, unanimously adopted a pledge to contribute any part of \$2,000,000 that may be necessary to build an immense auditorium at Boston.