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THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1906.

Mrs. H. W. Dunham Writes of Her Experience in the S. F. Disaster.

Inasmuch as I have been interrogated so many times since my return relative to the earthquake in San Francisco, I deem it a duty incumbent upon me to relate my little episode in that mixup.

I was with my daughter and son-in-law Mr. Bruce on the third story of a building on Van Ness Avenue near the City Hall. The evening before the fatal morning there was nothing indicating that there was going to be an upheaval and a great calamity befall the city; little did I think when I retired in the evening that in the morning when the city was hushed in stillness that I would be aroused from my slumbers with a great vibration of the house. It would surge first one way then another, dishes and furniture falling in all directions and its certain destruction seemed inevitable. My first impulse was to get out but found the door jammed so that an exit was impossible, but others came and the building settled back to its former position, and when the door was opened there was a stampede for the street and there were some amusing incidents connected with it. There I was surrounded by strangers clad in my night clothes with buildings falling in all directions. Soon Mr. Bruce with the assistance of a shirone appeared on the scene with Hattie, who was an invalid. There we all congregated in the street, men and women clad in our night habiliments. I regained composure enough to get one wrapper and dress for Hattie, everything else was left for the flames to devour.

The City Hall, that beautiful structure that I had recently been accorded the privilege of being escorted through, was a seething furnace and elsewhere throughout the city, especially Market street, flames could be seen shooting heavenward illuminating the sky which heretofore was clear and transparent but now the fire demon was finishing the work of destruction that the earthquake had commenced. We were surrounded by fire except an outlet toward the city Park and everybody was beating a hasty retreat toward that haven of refuge. Mr. Bruce and shipmate assisted Hattie and I followed with the multitude. There did not appear to be much confusion or panic, everybody appeared to be dazed or dumfounded. There were no lamentations or regrets manifested over our misfortune, but everybody accepted their deplorable condition cheerfully. I was in company with gentlemen, strangers to me not dressed suitable for a social function. I perhaps will never hear of or see them again, but nevertheless they demonstrated themselves to be perfect gentlemen in all respects. Arriving at the Park there was a large concourse ahead of us and space was limited but any place that buildings were not falling and burning up was acceptable, and right there the acts of the good Samaritan was thoroughly emulated. Others more fortunate than us had saved some blankets and seeing the condition of Hattie contributed to her regardless of their own discomfort. Such acts I will always remember. All day and night we remained in the Park the ashes and embers falling over us all of the time. There was a continual explosion of dynamite blowing up buildings trying to check the onward march of the flames. That day and night spent in that Park will always be impressed on my memory for it was a trying ordeal, for all who camped in that Park the preceding day. The Red Cross appeared upon the scene of action and if there ever was any society that deserves the cognomen of administering angels, it is the Red Cross. Words are but idle expressions of the good they have done. Seeing the condition of Hattie they gave her all of the medical treatment possible and conveyed her to a remote place of safety, Mr. Holder's, where all of the hospitality was displayed that was possible under the existing circumstances. Rations were dealt out to us and I could fall in line in good shape to receive my proportion.

The city was declared under martial laws and Mr. Bruce attempted to get to the water front so investigate the possibility of us getting down there and getting transportation home. But every able bodied man was pressed into service notwithstanding how important his business. Mr. Bruce carried lumber with the cashier of Creeker Wadsworth Bank for two hours. The secretary of state was forced to carry brick and clear away debris, thus you can readily see why we are so dilatory in getting news to the outside. Once in the history of San Francisco the high and the low the rich and poor all met on a common level. Social position was cast aside and rent asqder. By Sunday they had the fire under control and confidence restored and then the question was, what was to be done,

with the unfortunate? Provisions were now coming abundantly and the Red Cross distributed to all but those who had a home to go to. Others they would get to the ferry and secure transportation for them out of the city, and I readily availed myself of the opportunity to get back to Oregon. They came with a buggy and took Hattie to the ferry and I walked down the streets. The sights that greeted my eyes will never pass from my memory. The aftermath of a cyclone is no comparison. Others more competent than I have given a minute detail, consequently I will refrain from commenting.

We crossed to Oakland and secured passage for Roseburg where we arrived all right at 2 o'clock in the morning, and, unaccustomed to "the ways that are dark and the tricks that are vain," were grafted at that hotel by the depot until friends came to our rescue in the morning. In conclusion let me say for the people of Roseburg: during my sojourn there, we could not have been treated better, the kindness and hospitality words cannot express and to them we owe a debt of gratitude we never can repay. Heretofore I had looked upon fraternal organization as merely a club or organization for men to congregate and pass away the time. Fortunately my husband is a member of several lodges and I had the necessary credentials to corroborate it, therefore the assistance and respect shown me is unestimable, and especially the Masons. I thank them from the bottom of my heart. Generally speaking all of Roseburg did all they could to alleviate our discomfort and especially Rev. Lake, Episcopalian minister, and ladies of his congregation and to them I want to return thanks for words of consolation and deeds of kindness and to Mr. and Mrs. Baily who took us in without money and without price and administered to our many wants, and when I think of it my heart fills with emotional gratitude and may the dove of plenty ever hover over them. There were not the good deeds heralded from the pulpits or rostrums but one enacted in the common drama of life, devoid of the ostentation and display and may no cloud appear in the horizon of life in their declining years. They emulated the acts of true christian humanity, pure and unalloyed. They took us in, clothed and fed us, administered to our many wants without remuneration. Such actions are often spoken of in romance and fiction but seldom realized in the common walks of life.

Summing it up as a whole the hospitality and generosity extended to us throughout our trying ordeal has demonstrated to us the overflowing generosity of the people we came in contact with to all of which we return our grateful thanks.

Mrs. H. W. DUNHAM.

DEATH OF MAGGIE SHINN.

The sad intelligence reached us May 9th, by a telegram that Maggie Shinn had died in Portland at 11 a. m., of pneumonia, and body would be shipped to Cottage Grove to await word from her mother who is a resident of this vicinity.

Her mother was notified at once and on hearing the sad news decided to have the body interred at Cottage Grove, so left on following morning for that place.

We are informed the body was embalmed and held until Sunday, May 13th until her sister Winnie, of Eureka, Cal., could arrive to be present at the funeral. Her sister Mary of Randolph could not make arrangements in time to be present.

The funeral began at 2 o'clock Sunday under the direction of the Rebekah Lodge, as she was a member of that order, and was held in the Christian church. Rev. Olsen delivering a short and appropriate sermon.

There was a large attendance present and a beautiful display of flowers was made at the grave, many beautiful bouquets having been sent from Portland by her many friends of that place.

Maggie Shinn was long a resident of Bandon and no doubt her many friends will be grieved to learn of her death. Prior to going to Portland she had lived some months at Cottage Grove, where she had made many friends and was highly respected.

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NOTICE.

By order of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Bandon, notice is hereby given that the said Town of Bandon proposes to make the following repair, grade and alteration upon the following named streets, to-wit:

Proposes to grade and macadamize and lay sewer pipes on First street in the said town of Bandon, from the county road on the west of said street to Wharf street on the east; and proposes to repair, reconstruct and rebuild the plank road or bridge from Lot Two (2) on the extension of First Street in said town to Atwater Street in said town and from the West end and on and along said Atwater Street in said town to what is known as Little Street or Pacific Avenue on the East end of said Atwater Street.

And proposes to open and grade Little Street and Pacific Avenue between Woodland Addition and Woolen Mill Addition in said town from Atwater Street on and along said Pacific Avenue and Little Street to Fifth Street in Woodland Addition to said town of Bandon.

And notice is hereby given to the property owners along or adjacent to such streets, or parts thereof, as the case may be, that such repair, rebuilding or reconstruction, macadamizing, grading and improvements aforesaid, will be made on and along the aforesaid streets as aforesaid, and the cost thereof assessed to the property owners along and adjacent to such streets, or parts thereof, in the manner provided by law, unless a written remonstrance against such proposed improvement shall be filed with the Recorder of the town of Bandon within ten (10) days, from the final publication of this notice, published in the Bandon Recorder a weekly newspaper published in the Town of Bandon, for ten days, or three issues. The date of the final publication thereof being May 24th, 1906. By order of the Board of Trustees.

A. D. MOISE,

Recorder of the Town of Bandon.

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TRESPASS NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that all persons are forbidden to hunt, fish, camp, or otherwise trespass, without written permission, upon the lands of the undersigned, Township 29 S., R. 14, Coos county, Oregon, under penalty of prosecution to the full extent of the Trespass Laws of this State. R. H. ROSS.

Notice.

To all members of the former M. W. of A. Camp organized by A. E. Woliver in 1901 at Bandon, who have paid Benefit Assessments for which they did not receive credit from the Clerk, you are notified to forward your receipts to Edward E. Oaks, District Deputy, Parkersburg, Or. J 1

Timber Land Act, June 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Ore. May 3, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Ebel M. Oaks, of Parkersburg, Coos county, Coos, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 6686, for the purchase of the SE 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section No. 14 in Township No. 28 S., Range No. 14 W., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the County Clerk and Clerk of County Court of Coos county, at his office at Coquille, Or. on Thursday, the 26th day of July, 1906.

She names as witnesses: John Walstrom, A. Carlson, Thomas Drane, E. J. Rose, all of Parkersburg, Coos county, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 26th day of July, 1906.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

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He names as witnesses: Lyman J. Davison, Gilbert G. Kennedy, Spray Osborn, John A. Kennedy, all of Bandon, Coos County, Oregon.

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