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Three Ladies Drown in Coos River.

Three young ladies, aged 26, 17 and 14, were drowned while bathing in Coos River near the mouth of the East Fork Saturday evening about 4:30 p. m. Several men were near the scene but none were able to save the victims. The accident was seen by many parties all of whom were unable to do anything. Several young men who were at the boat house, some 200 yards above the scene, ran to rescue the ladies, but upon arriving there they were so out of breath that they could do nothing. It was all over very quickly. The victims of the drowning were: Miss Hilda Sawyer, the 17-year-old daughter of J. A. Sawyer the hotel man of Allegany.

Miss Margarita Sawyer, the 14 year-old sister of Miss Hilda. Miss Ethel Galbreth, of Prairie City, Oregon, who taught in the public school of Allegany during the past term.

The three young ladies were in bathing some 200 yards below the C. E. Edwards boat house when Miss Galbreth got beyond her depth in the water. She cried out frantically for help and Miss Hilda Sawyer tried to assist her but she was soon in the same condition as Miss Galbreth. Then Miss Margarita tried to assist her sister and was likewise carried into the deeper water, resulting in the death of all three.

As soon as possible after the accident the bodies of the three unfortunate were taken from the water with boat hooks, a skiff being used in this work.

The bodies were quickly placed on the bank and every method known was tried in an effort to resuscitate the victims but without success. Miss Graye Gould was near the scene and she assisted in the work of resuscitation.

Dr. Horsfall was phoned for but it was impossible to obtain a boat at the time. He left for the scene about 8:30 p. m.

Dr. Richardson, who was at the scene. He immediately responded, but when he arrived on the scene medical aid counted for naught.

Miss Galbreth, who was the first to get into the dangerous depth, was taken out of the river without any signs of life. The Sawyer girls showed signs of life, especially Miss Margarita, whose life it was hoped for some time could be saved.

Capt. C. E. Edwards and J. E. Eewis the undertaker, went up to Allegany about midnight last night to bring the body of Miss Galbreth to this city for embalming and to await information as to disposition desired by her parents who have been notified of the death of their daughter. —Coos Bay Times.

J. P. Tupper and Ben Schuyler, having demanded the return of the money they paid for municipal liquor licenses following the late special election, were given warrants Saturday for \$300 and \$304.54, respectively. There was money in the treasury to pay all of Tupper's warrant and a part of Schuyler's, Baxter Bros. making use of their license. The jingle from fines paid for two recent scrapes, one particularly exciting, was also in the till to assist matters. —Sentinel.

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Mr. W. E. Jones, representing the American DeForest Wireless Telegraph Company, is in Marshfield in the interest of the company, which proposes to establish a station on Coos Bay. Mr. Jones states that his company is the only wireless telegraph company now doing business on both land and sea. The company has stations from New York to Denver and from Chicago to Cleveland on the North, to New Orleans and Galveston on the South, and is building new stations every week. Within twelve months it is expected that they will have stations in nearly all the principal cities in the United States. Several stations have also been built for the U. S. Government, all of which have been accepted, and are doing satisfactory work.

Mr. Jones has recently come from Alaska, where stations have been established at Juneau, Skagway and other points. The company has built a station at Eureka as well as all other important points on the California coast, and the stations now under contemplation at Coos Bay, Cape Blanco, Cape Flattery, Tillamook, and other points northward to the extremes of Alaska will form a complete chain of services along the entire Pacific coast.

Mr. Jones believes that the future of the American DeForest Company is extremely promising. The great advantages offered by the wireless system over the old system, in the saving of expense, and in the possibility of use on moving trains and ships, where wires cannot go, give their invention a prestige which will insure its complete success. Mr. Jones says that the company is now as far ahead in its development as was the Bell Telephone Company fifteen years after its beginning. Prof. Alex. Graham Bell, of the latter has identified himself with the DeForest Company and is taking great interest in its promotion. Mr. Jones states that the company is free from debt, and has money on hand to push improvements as fast as conditions will warrant. He believes that the plan of selling stock to the general public is one which will create wide interest and will materially add to the receipts of the company when the stations are all completed and in working order. It is further stated that the United States Government has taken an interest in the work to the extent of appropriating \$65,000 to the aid of the Pacific coast extensions. —Coos Bay Times.

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A large crowd from here will attend the W. O. W. celebration at Port Orford the 17th and 18th. The band, orchestra, dramatic company and base ball team all expect to go.

Gov. Chamberlain After the Southern Pacific.

Salem, July 24.—Governor Chamberlain is much incensed over the refusal of the Southern Pacific Company to sell a small piece of land near Drew, in Douglas County for a school house site. In response to an appeal to him for assistance, he has advised the district to bring condemnation proceedings and says that if necessary he will act as attorney for the district in the effort to secure the land.

According to the story told to him by the directors of the district, the only desirable location for a school house in that sparsely settled district is upon land owned by the railroad company. The district asked the company to sell enough land for a school house site, but after the request went from one officer to another it was finally turned down by Land Agent C. W. Eberlein, of Oakland, Cal., who says that the company cannot depart in the case from its general rule, by which it has withdrawn all its lands from sale. And that was what aroused the ire of the Governor.

"After this railroad company has received hundreds of thousands of acres of land from the Government," said Governor Chamberlain, "if it cannot sell a few acres for a school house in a distant school district I think we can find some way to compel it to do so. The legislature of 1905 passed an act authorizing school districts to bring condemnation proceedings to secure sites for school houses, and I have advised these people to proceed under that law. I have also called that act to the attention of the railroad people."

Sparks From the Plug.

The Kansas City packers estimate that the agitation against their methods will cost the houses in the city alone \$10,000,000 worth of business.

A Chinese student has won the second prize for oratory at the University of New York. Great heavens! Must our sons now be beaten in school by the Chinese as well as by the negroes?

"Every man should stick to his job," said John D. Rockefeller, just before he sailed for Europe. A good many people claim that they would have been glad to stick to theirs if John D. hadn't pushed them out.

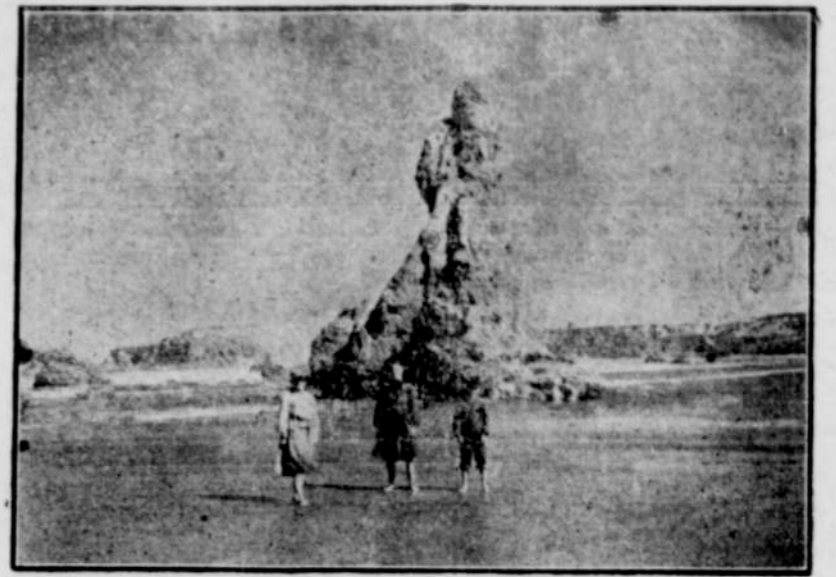
One of the Pennsylvania Railroad clerks who received a salary varying from \$30 to \$125 a month says he purchased \$75,000 worth of coal stock. Wouldn't he and the girl who can keep house on \$10 a week be able to save money, though!

A Kansas student says lower animals have the power of reason and imagination. When you are milking her, a cow always thinks that your neck was made on purpose for her to hang her tail on, and then she imagines that it rests on your change off and let it hang over your left arm into the milk bucket.

There will be fifty-three Sundays in this year, an occurrence that will not happen again for 110 years. This extra Sunday can be utilized in attending church, calling on your best girl, reading scripture, playing with the children, breaking a two-year old colt, sporting gophers or some other way. One hundred and ten years from this date you will probably be paying the penalty or enjoying the pleasures of the method in which you choose to spend the extra Sunday.

Several years before Mr. Lincoln received his nomination for the presidency he received a letter of inquiry from the east concerning the financial standing of a gentleman in his own town, and his reply was: "Dear Sir: I know Mr. H.—and his standing. He has a wife and baby that I think a fair valuation of might be fifty thousand dollars. There is a table in his office that I believe to be worth a dollar and a half, and there are three chairs worth about a dollar, and there is a rat-hole in the corner that would bear looking into."—Ex.

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