

INDECENT CONDUCT IS THE CHARGE

TWO WELL KNOWN YOUNG MEN UNDER ARREST

Marshals Capture Quartette, Two of Whom Are Women of Shady Reputation.

Two prominent young men of the city, in company with two women who had become somewhat conspicuous during the day, were hauled in by Marshals Snodgrass and Brown Saturday evening, the charge against them being indecent conduct. It is alleged in a complaint that the party had been drinking freely and that one of the women conducted herself hardly in her conversation with the city ordinances. The women in the case gave their names as Ruby Smith and Mrs. Breed. Their reputation is unsavory. It is understood that they have forfeited their license. The trial of the men will come up tomorrow before Police Judge on account.

Another Creamery for Springfield. Springfield is being recognized as a virgin field for creameries. Within a week two concerns have announced their intention of entering the field here. The second institution is to be in by Chas. Barkman, a Brownsville creamery man.

ILL WILL RESUME OPERATIONS

Own Lumber Co.'s Plant Will Start Sawing Tomorrow.

The Brown Lumber Co.'s mill, which has been shut down for a month or more, will resume sawing today or tomorrow. The logging camps have been moved during the layoff.

AFT SENTIMENT IS STRONGER

RESIDENT EXPECTED TO CARRY COTTAGE GROVE

Raw Votes Taken Show That Roosevelt Will Probably Come In Fourth Best at the Polls.

That Taft is leaving Roosevelt and the Wilson further behind as election probabilities is evident in Cottage Grove. Even Wilson and Roosevelt partisans concede that the president is gaining. If carried Cottage Grove in the primary, and will without question have plurality in the general election. At a political supper given last Sunday night by the Kensington club, ballots were as follows: Taft 21, Wilson 15, Debs 9, Roosevelt 7. There are a number who cast no ballots. En Taft adherents were surprised at the ex-president should have received fourth place. A straw vote of the employees at Chambers Lumber Co.'s mill Friday the result also favored Taft as against Roosevelt and Wilson. The vote was: Debs 14, Taft 6, Wilson Roosevelt 2.

Twenty Tons of Onions To Acre of Ground

Hansen Brothers Make This Ratio on One-Fifth Acre.

Twenty tons of big, solid onions to acre of ground is a crop that will pay for high-priced Willamette Valley land. This record has been made by Hansen brothers, who have a two-acre tract as the ball grounds. On one-fifth of acre they this year raised 4 tons of onions, the best producers. A large portion of them are of the Yellow Danvers variety. They have been offered 3c a pound for the crop, which would amount to \$1,200 an acre. The owners have been ten years preparing the ground for onions, but there is any quantity of natural onion ground in this vicinity on which this record can be equalled.

Straw Vote Favors Taft. It has just leaked out that on the extension of Salem people to the big Oregon Electric celebration a straw vote was taken on presidential and national candidates with the following results: Presidential, Taft 55, Wilson 45, Roosevelt 23. Senatorial, Hing 61, Lane 41, Bourne 16.—Register.

48 Inches Length of 4 Tubers

Four tubers measuring 48 inches in length, is another record made in raising potatoes by Cottage Grove farmers. J. L. Beatty brought in the prizes from his Maple Dell farm.

Child Not Seriously Hurt.

Comstock, Ore., Oct. 29, 1912.—We feel an explanation is due in regard to the accident to our little girl Vivian. She was playing around the machine, and leaning over the wheel a small wisp of hair, which was hanging over her face, caught in the wheel, pulling out a few hairs, not more than a dozen, also bumping her head, leaving a small red spot. Two minutes after the accident happened she was playing as before, having suffered no serious results from her experience. We are sorry it has been so badly exaggerated.

MR. and MRS. ROY GRIGGS.

BILL WILL RELIEVE GENERAL BALLOT

BOON TO VOTERS FOUND IN HOME RULE BILL

Consolidation of Cities and Division of Counties To Be Made Local Affairs by Meritorious Measure.

Hidden away among 37 other measures on the general ballot, "Number 348 Yes" has just begun to receive the attention it deserves. It is designed to relieve the ballot now senselessly encumbered with legislation referring to consolidation of cities and division of counties, matters which should by their very nature be left to the voters in the territory affected. The Portland press, seeing in the measure a long felt want, is now unanimous for its adoption. Portland and other growing cities are affected by the provisions relating to consolidation of cities and towns. Counties threatened with division also feel favorable towards the bill because of the provisions against wild cat and fly-by-night county division schemes. No territory with less than 1,000 square miles, 4,000 population and \$4,000,000 assessed valuation can be divided if the measure becomes law. No county division move is likely to be made out of spite because of provision for the deposit of a bond for several thousand dollars before proceedings can be started. The provisions for those wishing divisions are just as fair and will not defeat any meritorious proposition. In fact the bill is so eminently fair to both sides that no opposition has developed to it. The provisions for county division provide for the appointment by the governor of a commission of three disinterested men (not residents or property owners in the territory affected), whose proceedings are all thoroughly advertised, who hold open meetings in the territory affected where and when they see fit and receive all testimony submitted. The expenses of this commission are guaranteed by the petitioners. The old county must make its case before this commission. If the commission decides against the proposed new county, all proceedings are dropped. If the report is favorable, THE COMMISSION DETERMINES THE BOUNDARY LINES for the proposed new county and the governor calls an election in the proposed new county only. A favorable vote from 60 per cent of those participating in the election is required to create the new county. New counties must have 500 square miles of territory, 2,000 population and \$2,000,000 assessed valuation, leaving the same amount in any county from which territory is taken.

ASKS MERCHANT TO MEASURE FOOT SO SHE CAN SEND AWAY FOR BABY SHOES

To be asked by a customer to measure her baby's foot so she would know what size shoe to send away for, is a new experience to Ben Lurch, but he complied with such a request during the past week. The woman did not send away for the shoes, however, as Ben sold them to her just as cheaply as she could have purchased them from a catalog.

No Single Tax for Him.

C. A. Traer of Spokane was in the city this week looking over several real estate propositions. He says if the single tax fails to carry he will locate here, but if it carries he will wait till the law is repealed.

Taft, Wilson or Roosevelt?

Men of all political stripes have declared Taft to be the most maligned man for the least cause of anyone in the public eye of the day. Bryan has said it, Wilson has said it, John Sharp Williams has said it. All these men are his political enemies, but they declare him honest and morally upright.

Those who oppose him say Taft has done nothing. If they could be convinced that his has been a great progressive administration they would vote for him. For the benefit of such as these The Sentinel gives below what Teddy himself claims to have done in 7½ years and what Taft claims to have done in less than half the same time. Compare the records carefully and then answer honestly: "Is or is not Taft entitled to re-election for what he has done?"

Achievements Claimed by Taft in 3½ Years.

Postal savings banks established. Parcels post established. Farmers co-operative banks made a live issue. Workingman's compensation act brought to successful issue in the supreme court. A deficit of \$58,000,000 transformed into a \$30,000,000 surplus. Government business methods modernized and reformed by economy and efficiency commission, saving millions of dollars annually. Postoffice department made self sustaining. Canadian reciprocity. Rejected by Canada through fear that the United States would derive the benefits. Publication of campaign funds and expenditures. Indorsement of commission's report and proposed bill concerning employers' liability. Railroads prevented from putting rate increases into effect without approval of Interstate Commerce Commission. Panama canal pushed to early completion without hint of scandal. White slave traffic practically destroyed. Extension of civil service by executive order. Practical conservation acts. Income tax amendment to the constitution submitted to state legislatures for ratification. Courts of customs appeals; undervaluations stopped. Nonpartisan judicial appointments. Further control of railroads through extension of powers of the Interstate Commerce Commission. Stock and bonds commission; valuable and exhaustive report submitted as basis for legislation. Court of commerce to review findings of Interstate Commerce Commission. Nonpartisan tariff board to report on the difference in the cost of production at home and abroad. Corporation tax, yielding \$30,000,000 annually; government examination of corporation methods provided. Reorganization of customs service, corruption eliminated, frauds exposed and punished and millions of dollars recovered. Nonpolitical methods used in taking the thirteenth census. Bucket shops and get-rich-quick concerns destroyed. New treaty with Japan ending racial controversies on the Pacific coast. Further extension of safety appliance act. Admission of Arizona and New Mexico to statehood. Bureau of mines established to safeguard the lives of miners. American capital and labor benefitted by extension of foreign markets. Abolition of peonage. Boiler inspection law passed by congress. Bond issue of complete irrigation projects in the west. Maintenance and extension of open door policy in China. Peace maintained in Cuba, South and Central America by friendly warning and intervention. Arbitration treaties with Great Britain and France. Veto of Arizona statehood bill because of recall of judges provision. Enforcement of Sherman anti-trust law without fear or favor. Veto of Democratic wool, cotton and free list bills as unfair, unscientific and destructive of the Republican principle of protection. Abrogation of discriminating passport treaty with Russia.

Achievements Claimed by Roosevelt in 7½ Years.

Dolliver-Hepburn railroad act. Extension of forest reserve. National irrigation act. Improvement of waterways and reservation of waterpower sites. Employers' liability act. Safety appliance act. Regulation of railroad employees' hour of labor. Establishment of Department of Commerce and Labor. Pure food and drugs act. Federal meat inspection. Navy doubled in tonnage and greatly increased in efficiency. Battleship fleet sent around the world. State militia brought into co-ordination with the Army. Canal zone acquired and work of excavation pushed with increased energy. Development of civil self-government in insular possessions. Second intervention in Cuba; Cuba restored to the Cubans. Finances of Santo Domingo straightened out. Alaska boundary dispute settled. Reorganization of the consular service. Settlement of the coal strike of 1902. The Government upheld in Northern Securities decision. Conviction of postoffice grafters and public land thieves. Directed investigation of the sugar trust customs frauds, and the resultant prosecutions. Suits begun against the Standard Oil and tobacco companies and other corporations for violation of the Sherman anti-trust act. CORPORATIONS FORBIDDEN TO CONTRIBUTE TO POLITICAL CAMPAIGN FUNDS. Keeping the door of China open to American commerce. Bringing about the settlement of the Russo-Japanese War by the Treaty of Portsmouth. Avoiding the pitfalls created by the Pacific Coast prejudice against Japanese immigration. Negotiating twenty-four treaties of general arbitration. Reduction for the interest-bearing debt by more than \$90,000,000. Inauguration of movement for conservation of natural resources. Inauguration of the annual conference of governors of states. Inauguration of movement for improvement of conditions of country life.

Pension Claims Allowed.

Official notices have been received from the Commissioner of Pensions by Representative Hawley that several pension claims have been allowed, one being for John B. Bales of Dorena. Representative Hawley a few weeks ago asked the commissioner to take up applications under the pension act of 1912. These applications were filed by Mr. Hawley's constituents, who are veterans of the Mexican and Civil wars. The veterans whose claims were allowed received a substantial increase in their pensions. It is hoped by Mr. Hawley that by December the majority of the large list of claims which he has filed will be allowed. Many of these claims would not have been allowed until April or May if they had been taken up in their regular order but through the intercession of Mr. Hawley the Commissioner of Pensions has taken early action.

Potato Carnival Success.

The Potato Carnival at Harrisburg last Thursday was a pronounced success despite the heavy weather and large crowds were present from neighboring cities.

Vice-President Sherman Dead.

James S. Sherman, vice-president of the United States, died yesterday at Utica, N. Y., of brights disease. What provision will be made to fill his place on the Republican ticket is not known. The condition is without precedent.

Pound and a Half Quinces

Quinces weighing a pound and a half apiece were brought in by M. F. Babcock, who tills some of the fertile Silk Creek soil five miles west of the city. Mr. Babcock said they were as fine fruit of the kind as he had ever seen.

Tree Falls; Narrow Escape.

William Schmitt of Craswell had a narrow escape from death the other evening. He is operating Schmitt Bros.' caterpillar engine for the P. E. & E. on the grade between Eugene and Monroe and has been camping along the line. A storm came up while he was asleep in a tent and blew a tree across the tent, pinning him to his bed. He would have been crushed to death had not his trunk broken the force of the fall of the tree.

Advertising pays—in The Sentinel...

JUNCTION 2; COTTAGE GROVE 0

FAST VISITORS TAKE LOCALS INTO CAMP

Spirited Contest on Gridiron Results in Defeat for Home Team Through Fumble in Second Quarter.

In a spirited and warmly contested game Friday afternoon, the fast Junction City foot ball eleven took the local high school team into camp by a score of 2 to 0.

The only score made was by the visitors in the second quarter, resulting from a fumble on the part of Cottage Grove. Interest ran high, but on account of the heavy field the game was necessarily slow. The Junction City lads were somewhat the heavier, but won on their merits despite the fact that they were outplayed by the local lads at all times except the fatal moment when the score was made. The lineup—Junction—C., Young; rg, Reetz; rt, Vauthrin; re, Jensen; lg, Spur; lt, Strome; le, Hayes; Safety; qb, Flint; rhb, Hoppes, Capt.; lhb, Leathers; fb, Thompson. Grove—C., Anderson; rg, Fullmer; rt, Parker; re, Comer; lg, Southward; lt, Harms; le, Damewood; qb, Atkinson; rhb, Matthews; lhb, Brumbaugh, Capt.; fb, Sears. A return game will be played at Junction Friday.

Masonic Meeting.

There will be no Masonic meeting next Wednesday on account of following election day. A large attendance is requested at the last meeting in November. Third degree and banquet.

Mrs. Feese Dead.

Word was received here today of the death of Mrs. Feese, wife of a former pastor of the M. E. Church in this city. Death occurred at Klamath Falls Oct. 25th at the age of 73 years. She was a follower in Ohio of Mother Stewart, one of the founders of the W. C. T. U.

County Assessor Keeney Is Happy

After giving the widest possible publicity by three weeks' conspicuous notice of the meeting in every newspaper in the County, The Lane County Board of Equalization was in session all last week to hear complaints that might be filed by taxpayers against their assessments, and notwithstanding that the assessment roll is made up of between 12,000 and 15,000 individual assessments, and that it is common for many to complain of taxes, there were but seven complaints filed, and when one considers the enormity and scope of the work of making an acceptable assessment of a territory of the size and nature of Lane County, such a showing as this is certainly remarkable and one of which Mr. Keeney has great cause to be proud. (Paid Adv.)

CURFEW ORDINANCE WILL COMPEL PARENTS TO KEEP CHILDREN OFF THE STREETS

The curfew ordinance which City Attorney Young has been instructed to draw up, will be presented to the City Council at its meeting Monday night. If passed it will go into effect at once.

As drawn up the ordinance imposes a fine not exceeding \$10 or 5 days in jail for parents whose children do not comply with its provisions. The proposed ordinance requires that children under 15 years of age shall be off the street at 8 p. m. from Oct. 1 to May 30 and at 9 p. m. from June 1 to Sept. 30.

Mrs. Edith Hill Booker will deliver an address in the Armory tonight on "The Interests of a Dry Town."

J. FRANK BURKE TO SPEAK FOR DRYS

ANTI-WETS TO HOLD RALLY IN ARMORY.

Portland Attorney and Temperance Orator of National Reputation Will Be Here Tomorrow.

J. Frank Burke, a well known Portland attorney and temperance orator of national reputation, will address a "dry" rally in the Armory tomorrow night. All the expenses are being borne by local anti-license people and no collection will be taken.

Mr. Burke will be the big gun in the fight by the "drys" to keep saloons out of Cottage Grove. He was to have debated here last spring with Eugene Chafin as to the proper method of fighting the saloon, but for some reason the meeting did not materialize, and there are many who will welcome this opportunity of hearing him.

About 125 attended the rally in the Armory Sunday afternoon and there was no lack of verbal pyrotechnics. Pledges were made for about \$60 to carry on the fight, which, in addition to that pledged before and since, gives the treasurer sufficient funds for the work.

MRS. W. H. HARRISON IS DEAD

Wife of Old Soldier Passes Away at Age of 81.

Mrs. Wm. H. Harrison died Saturday at the age of 81, old age being cause of death. The funeral was held Monday under the auspices of the W. R. C. and G. A. R., Rev. W. J. Gardner officiating. Interment was made in A. F. & A. M. in cemetery.

Mrs. Harrison was born in Scotland, coming to America in her younger years. Mr. and Mrs. Harrison moved here from Dakota 21 years ago. Mr. Harrison and one daughter, Mrs. Anna Eddy of Spokane, Wash., survive.

DOUBLE CROP WITH GRADED SEEDS

SPEAKER WILL PRESENT FIGURES TO PROVE IT

Expert From Portland Will Tell How to Raise Seeds That Will Greatly Increase the Production.

"Crops can be doubled by grading seed." This is the statement of R. W. Gill, a Portland seed man, who will address a meeting of the Lane County Horticultural Society Saturday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. assembly room at Eugene. The title of his address will be "Seeds and Seed Development."

The meeting is open to everyone and the officers of the horticultural society have sent a special invitation to Cottage Grove people.

Everything you can mention is in The Sentinel.

City's Growth Surprises Former Resident

W. P. Raysdale Says Grove Country Is a Hummer.

"The wonderful growth and development of the Cottage Grove country is a surprise to me," said W. P. Raysdale of the Palouse country while on a visit here last week. "But I should not be surprised," he continued, "for there is everything here to make one of the best countries in the world. For diversified farming, fruit growing and especially berry raising, I know of nothing that surpasses it. Of course the fruit business is more highly developed in the Washington country, but Cottage Grove need take no back seat, and then she has so much more in the way of lumbering, mining, etc."

Mr. Raysdale came across the plains in 1851 by ox team and first came to Lane County in 1853. Varmints, wild beasts and Indians were the principal inhabitants of the country at that time. The Indians were more dangerous than the wild beasts. The plentifulness of game, however, made the meat question one that was easily solved.

Mr. Raysdale left Cottage Grove in 1875, but has returned several times for short visits.