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PACKERS CONVICTED

Attorney-General Consents to Admit Pleas of Guilty and Cleanse Record.

Chicago.—Four officials of the Schwartzchild & Sulzberger Packing Company, of Chicago, were fined an aggregate of \$25,000 by Judge Humphrey in the United States District Court here today. The fines followed a plea of guilty to indictments charging conspiracy to accept railroad rebates. The defendants were Samuel Weil of New York, vice-president of the company; B. S. Cusey, traffic manager; Vance D. Skipworth and Chess E. Todd, assistant traffic managers. Weil was fined \$10,000, the other \$5,000 each.

SAMUEL WEIL NERVOUS WRECK.
With the entering of pleas the declaration was made that unless at least one of the cases is immediately settled the life of Samuel Weil vice-president of the company and one of the defendants, is in jeopardy. He is said to be a nervous wreck, and fears were entertained for his life if he had been allowed to continue under the stigma of an indictment.

BOSS WITH MOODY'S CONSENT.
The plea was entered, it is declared, after a complete understanding had been reached between counsel for the defendants and Attorney-General William H. Moody. White in Chicago the Attorney-General was surprised of the condition of Vice-President Weil, and it is said agreed to the entry of a plea of guilty, with the understanding that the jail provision of the law under which the indictment was returned should be waived and merely a fine imposed. The same concession was made in the case of the other three defendants.

Arrangement does not affect the indictments pending against others. United States District Attorney Morrison filed a demurrer to the plea of abatement made yesterday by the packers defendant in the Beef Trust case. The demurrer alleges insufficiency of the allegations in the plea of the packers.

Parker Did Not Ask for Contributions in Person.

New York.—Perkins was recalled to the stand in the insurance case this morning. John P. McCullagh, a typewriter at the Albany office of Andrew Hamilton, testified preceding Perkins. He appeared to know little about the large checks said to have been handled by Hamilton for the New York Life Insurance Co. Perkins testified at length on "joint account" transactions.

McCall said he did not mean that Parker appeared in person to ask contributions, but reiterated the statement that his campaign man-

ger frequently called. He also said that Parker, as chairman of the Democratic committee several years ago, accepted a proffered gift.

Arrests and Convictions for Violations of Game Laws.

G. Brown, John Kieger, Fred Hencye, Benton County, killing pheasants in closed season \$15 each. W. O. Jeff fined \$25 for depositing saw dust in stream. Roy Chapman, Frank Caldwell, for killing birds \$15 each. Joe Gsulta for killing lark \$25. A. H. Gallagher, J. H. Gallagher Yamhill County, fined \$25 each for hunting without license. One arrest in Jackson county for killing a spotted fawn, and one for killing a silver gray squirrel. Elmer Harlow, Eugene, killing pheasants, \$15.

This list covers the arrests for the last week only. It is a risky thing to not obey the hunting laws, but many seem to be willing to stand the chance of not getting caught. Some of those doubtless that are arrested for hunting without a license were not aware of the new law concerning the license required, but it does not protect them. The license is a wise protection.

Upper Columbia Steamer.

Lewiston, Idaho.—The steamer Mountain Gem, owned by the Lewiston Navigation Company, has been secured by the Open River Association to run on the Columbia above Celilo. This boat is owned by Lewiston business men. She is now at Riparia and will leave for Celilo with the first rise of the river. Later she will ply between Celilo and Lewiston and also make trips to upper river points above Lewiston.

This announcement was made today by C. F. Allen, lessee of the boat. It is planned to take the first full cargo of wheat to Celilo from Lewiston in a very short time.

Indians Must Get Hunter's Licenses.

Salem.—That Indians' residing on a reservation must secure hunters' licenses if they hunt off the reservation, is asserted by Attorney-General Crawford, in an opinion rendered today. Mr. Crawford says that the law is general in its terms and since no exception has been made in the case of the Indian the man whose forefathers inhabited the country for a time whereof the memory of man runneth not to the contrary, must pay his dollar a year for the privilege of joining in the hunt.

Portland Day at Lewis and Clark Exposition.

For the above occasion the Southern Pacific Company will sell on Sept. 28th and 29th round trip tickets, good for 10 days, good on any regular train going or returning, will also be honored in sleeping cars under usual conditions. Rate \$1.00, children half fare.

JUMPS FROM S. P. TRAIN

A Crazy Man Jumps From train and is Hurt.

A Swede by the name of Peter Carlson jumped from the north bound overland Thursday Thursday night as it was crossing Fourth street coming into town, and injured his right side and shoulder and cut his head over the right eye and temple, severing a small artery. He got up and walked up the street and went in at Mr. Wallace's house. They took him in and telephoned for Dr. Kime, and he called Dr. Hockett to go with him. They thought best to take him to the office to dress the wound, as he was continually saying somebody was after him, and he had to get off the train, while otherwise he seemed all right. Mr. J. R. Thompson and Mr. Forrester went up to the office with them and the doctors commenced dress to the wound, when suddenly he caught sight of the blood and commenced to fight, saying that they were killing him. A struggle took place between the man and the four men. They tried to hold him in the chair, but could not, and he bit and scratched, kicked and fought until he had bitten Dr. Kime's little finger on his right hand badly, bit Mr. Forrester on the arm, kicked Mr. Thompson in the stomach, and tore up things pretty generally, when he subsided and allowed them to dress his head. On the way down to the jail he commenced again, and only after waking up everybody on the street did they get him locked up.

It seems that he is a fisherman from San Francisco and that he had been on a prolonged spree down there, and was coming north on the train with his brother. Tom Medley got on the train at Medford and says that the man was complaining of a severe headache, had his shoes off and was walking up and down the aisle all the time. He bought an orange thinking it would relieve him, and drank a great deal of ice water, but did not act crazy at that time. While Mr. Medley was gathering his grips to get off the man ran back to the open vestibule and jumped off. The man's brother staid on the train and made no attempt to look after him.

Yesterday morning the jail door was opened to give the man a drink and he tumbled 6 men over in a hurry, but finally put back.

On the arrival of the deputy sheriff a straight jacket was put on the man so that his injuries could be dressed. As he did considerable fighting, he was strapped in a chair so that he could be more easily handled. He was taken on the noon train to Eugene for examination.

End of the Premium Scheme in Roseburg.

Roseburg, Sept. 21.—After the brief stay of one month, the "Green Trading Stamp" man has gone from Roseburg, perhaps never to return. Unable to put him out of business by a prohibitory license, which, under the law, the city council could not impose, the merchants took the only alternative by buying him out. The price paid was the appraised value of the stamp man's stock of goods, placed at nearly \$500. The goods will be disposed of by bids. This action comes to

public notice through the proceedings of the meeting held by the "Roseburg Merchants' Association" in this city Monday night.

Constitution and by-laws were adopted at the meeting and under these the organization changes its name to the "Merchants' Protective Association of Roseburg." Henry Richardson and F. H. Churchill were added to the board of directors, previously announced, and Louis Barzee was elected permanent secretary for the term, which ends Jan. 1, 1906. The association will meet the third Monday in every month, the directors often as occasion may require.—Review.

Oregon News.

This year Oregon expects a pruned crop of about 4,500,000 pounds, or only one-third of the annual yield of about 13,000,000 pounds. Prolonged warm and dry weather and consequent lack of moisture are ascribed as the chief cause for the shortage.

General Summary.

The long dry spell was broken on the 12th by good rains which fell generally in the western and northern portions of the state. These rains were supplemented by showers in scattered places on the 13th, 16th and 17th. Some fall plowing and seeding has been done, but the soil is not soft enough for this work to become general. Light frosts occurred in exposed places on several days, but they did no harm.

Hoppicking is nearly completed and the crop is turning out better than expected. The rains did not injure the hops but they were detrimental to prunes, the picking and drying of which are well advanced. Reports indicate that the prune crop will be larger than last year, but the picking is not far advanced. Apples are ripening and indicate from fair to good yields.

Corn is nearly ripe and it is a good crop. Potatoes are generally free from blight and the prospects for a good yield of potatoes is much better than it was before the rains set in.

Fair Board Will Purchase Cases.

Salem.—The State Fair board has authorized the president to purchase such exhibit cases at the Lewis and Clark fair as they may deem best. The purpose is to take advantage of an opportunity to buy show cases and various other display devices at low cost and make them a part of the permanent equipment of the State Fair pavilion.

The State Fair board also elected Con. Havermeyer, of this city, custodian of the Fair grounds at a salary of \$500 a year.

Real Estate Transfers.

Mrs. C. A. Perkins to N. P. Nelson; lot 2, blk 1, Mrs. C. A. Perkins, suburban ad to Cottage Grove, \$150.

M. V. and M. A. Dwall to W. E. Brown trustee 1.1 acres in Georgetown, also 27.29 acres in same place also sawmill plant; also lots 2 and 3, blk 1, Jones' add to Cottage Grove also lots 3 and 4 in blk 4, Georgetown, \$14,500.

J. C. Long trustee to W. V. DeWald same as above.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Awbrey returned from their vacation Tuesday afternoon.

DOINGS OF CITY COUNCIL

Much Business Transacted at Special Session Monday Evening.

Council called to order by Mayor Veatch and all responded to their names except Councilmen Hines and Hogate.

Councilman Chamberlain, chairman of light committee, recommended that a light be placed at east end of foot bridge, and it was moved and seconded that report of light committee be accepted and light installed. Carried.

Ordinance No 117, was read first time and by motion was read second time by title. A motion to read same third time and place on final passage was lost. This bill relates to the liquor license and repeals section 2 of ordinance 5.

Ordered that the Cottage Grove Electric Co. be allowed to put in arc lights, and bring in special bill for difference between cost of the arc lights and the small ones now in use.

Moved and seconded that the recorder be instructed to recover value of timber cut on the city's land cut by Mr. McCoy. Carried. Mr. McCoy claims he bought timber from one Walters, who owned the land before the city bought the same.

Moved and seconded that Contractor Lea be allowed to change plans of water mains, and run 6-inch pipe up Fourth street to Kentucky street and connect with 4-inch main to mill street. Carried. Bids on the North Creek water mains was opened and the only bid on the table was a bid by D. Perini for \$1907.75. The Council thought this bid out of reason so same was deferred until the next meeting.

Bids on 6-inch sewer in 14th street were presented, one of J. H. Carpenter for \$198 and of H. C. Hart for \$173.30. Moved and seconded that the bid of Mr. Hart be accepted at \$173.30. Carried.

H. C. Hart asked for a renewal of a plumber and sewer builders' license. Granted.

Moved and seconded that the marshal be instructed to purchase flash lights. Carried.

Moved and seconded that vote by which Ordinance No. 117 was lost be reconsidered. Carried.

Moved and seconded that Ordinance No. 117 be read third time and passed to its final passage. Carried.

Vote on the same was unanimous and signed by the mayor.

Moved and seconded that the license of N. J. Cummings be revoked. Carried.

Moved and seconded that Messrs. Garoutte and Lemon be allowed to

widen gravel in front of their property on Fourth street. Carried.

Moved and seconded that a warrant of \$700 be drawn on the street fund in favor of Contractor Lea. Carried.

Moved and seconded that a warrant be drawn in favor of Contractor Lea on the water contract of \$500. Carried.

Bill of Allen Battles of \$16 for street work allowed.

Wednesday evening the members of the Rebbecah Lodge and their friends and invited guests met in a goodly company to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Lodge. Appropriate exercises were rendered, interspersed with some good music. Mr. W. H. Lincoln made a speech concerning the foundation, the progress and future of the lodge, after which a good social time was had with music, games, etc. There was a good attendance, although not quite as large as usual with the many people that were away. The order is a large one here and much interest is taken in their society.

One of the big days of last week was Thursday—Missouri day. Governor Joseph W. Folk of Missouri, with his military staff, arrived Wednesday and spent two days at the Exposition. President Goode gave a dinner in honor of the governor Wednesday evening, and the Missouri commissioners honored their governor with a grand banquet at the American Inn Thursday evening. Former Missourians in large numbers flocked to the Fair to take part in the Missouri day exercises and to meet the famous young man who now occupies the gubernatorial chair. Governor Folk was highly pleased with the exposition.

Carnegie Library Contract.

Afternoon the Carnegie library board opened the bids for the construction of Eugene's library building. There were only two bids, that of W. O. Heckert's being the lower, and the contract will be awarded to him. His bid was \$8,540.

Oregon Wife-Beater Whipped.

Baker City, Or., Sept. 16.—Robert Cecil, postmaster at Tipton, Oregon, early this morning paid the penalty for wife beating before a large crowd of spectators in the corridors of the county jail. He was given ten lashes on the bare back and blubbered like a baby.

Patent leather hats. They make good mirrors, girls. The Ideal carries them.

Levi Geer, wife and children left for Portland on Monday to enjoy the Fair for a week.



Don't Stay IN The Dark You can receive LIGHT on the new Fall Shirt Waists

By calling at Lurch's The most complete line of Fall Dress Goods ever imported in town,

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When you are in need of UNDERWEAR You will find the largest and best line ever shown in Cottage Grove at our store. Our line is complete in Ladies', Gent's, Boy's, Misses' and Children Up-to-date buyers are quick to recognize the selling merits of an article. We ask you to take advantage of the many opportunities offered at our store. HEMENWAY & BURKHOLDER Corner Main @ 3rd Street