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SATURDAY.....JULY 6, 1907.

### Young Merchants.

The scrap iron pile behind the shed is guarded day and night; Each bit of junk, each ragged shred, Soon disappears from sight. And when we wonder, ask the cause

We get the quick reply Without a single instant's pause: "Fourth of July!"

"Say, can I have this bottle, ma?" He asks with plaintive tone Then down the alley out of sight He wends his way alone, Each iron bit, each wire strand, Each rag he may espy, He clutches with an eager hand— "Fourth of July!"

"Old iron" by day, but in the night His dreams are dreams of joy; Joy that is writ in flames that light The life of every boy. "Old rags, old bottles or old junk"— The pile is growing high, Means more crackers, rockets, punk, "Fourth of July!"

O, glorious Independence Day! Some people give us pain By telling boys the proper way "To make it safe and sane." Go to! We'll help them celebrate The old way, you and I, And fire off crackers early, late, "Fourth of July!"

—EX.

That truth is stranger than fiction has often been declared and truthfully; that real life contains more remarkable stories of tragedy and heart break than any related by novelists is also true, while the tales of horror sometimes penned pale into insignificance beside those enacted, frequently, under the very nose of the city police and within reach of thousands of law respecting citizens.

Young women in the smaller towns and in the country, surrounded by friends and acquaintances, may well have a care in joining the rush to the city on their own responsibility to seek employment.

A case too shocking, too terrible almost to believe, is that of young Alma Church, a Spokane girl, whose awful story is related in the columns of yesterday's Oregonian. It says:

"Held a captive in Chinatown dens for three years, the white slave of a yellow monster who guarded her night and day with jealous vigilance, Alma Church, an attractive looking young woman who says her parents are prominent Spokane people, was rescued from bondage worse than death by acting Detectives Kay and Kienlen, yesterday afternoon. She is now under the protection of the police department. A warrant was issued for the arrest of the girl's Chinese master, whose name the authorities decline to divulge. The rockeries of the Chinese quarter are being searched for him, but the Chinaman has so far evaded the officers." —Corvallis Gazette.

There is nothing quite so beautiful in this world as a virtuous, happy and contented home, remarks an exchange. Such homes are the cradle of true men and women. Criminality comes of blood taint for which parents are to blame. The mother more enamored of the dance than of her family, of giving functions than imparting instruction to her children is no less a contributor to the world's sum of criminality than the father teaching his boy the roads of vice. The child, young and tender, looks to the mother heart for its first tutelage, and the germs of peevish passion, deceit and gaming are those which form crime's foundation. The mother's training can dull the tendency to evil, but the father is

powerless to supply to the tender life the gentle caress, the soothing lullaby, the peaceful love-light and the very divinity that comes only from its fountain head, the pure, contented, gentle, trustful, tender mother heart.

Joseph Dorsey of Albany, was instantly killed while stringing wire for the Home Telephone company at Corvallis Wednesday. The wire he was handling came in contact with a power wire and 23,000 volts went through his body, causing instant death.

### Christian Church Convention.

The Christian Church convention in session last week at Turner, laid plans for a \$10,000 home for aged preachers and their wives to be located probably at Eugene. A Chinese mission costing \$40,000 is to be established in Portland, with \$20,000 already pledged. Money was pledged for evangelism of Portland and state points. The convention was well attended and representatives from Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana, Idaho, Iowa, Illinois and every state of the Northwest. The delegates were stirred to great things by such speakers as George B. Renshaw of Cincinnati; George W. Muckley of Kansas City, Mo.; James H. Mohorter, St. Louis and many from the Pacific Coast.

### Log Driver's Tent Burned.

At noon Wednesday the two large tents used for sleeping quarters by C. L. Williams' crew of loggers who were bringing down the big 4,000,000-foot drive for the Eugene Lumber company took fire and all the personal property and bedding belonging to the men were entirely destroyed. The men were eating their dinner about 300 feet below where the tents were located, and one of the lady cooks discovered that the tents were on fire. The men rushed to the conflagration as quickly as they could, but before they got there everything was a mass of flames and nothing was saved. No one could tell how the fire started. The word was brought to town by Merritt Devereaux and Mr. Pettit, who rode a log down the river. They left camp, which is two miles above the head of the Springfield race at 2:30 and arrived here at 5:20, riding the rifles better than with a boat.

### Unknown Tramp Found Dead Near Railroad.

An unknown man, presumably a tramp, was found dead near the river bank alongside the railroad grade at McVey Point, a short distance above Springfield Junction yesterday. Coroner Gordon was notified and the body was brought to Eugene late in the afternoon. An examination of the body and clothing failed to reveal the man's identity and he will be buried in the potter's field this afternoon as an unknown. The man's neck was broken. He evidently fell off the top of a car or was knocked off the grade by being struck by a train. He was aged about 35 years and had all the appearance of a tramp. He had black clothes, a black slouch hat and heavy shoes. He had black hair, a thin beard and was five feet, seven inches tall. Nothing was found in his pockets that would indicate where he came from or who he was. From all appearances he had been dead probably a day. —Guard.

### DIED.

At his home at Lorane on Friday night, June 28, 1907, of heart trouble, William Crow, aged 66 years.

Deceased was one of the pioneers of the county, having come to Oregon in his young manhood across the plains with ox team. He was better known by his nickname "Bob" than by his real name. He leaves a wife and four children, Eliza, Elmira, Oral and Miss Pearl, who are all at home. He has been in poor health for some time but his death was unexpected and was a great shock to his neighbors and friends. Mr. Crow was one of the most widely known and respected citizens of Lorane. The funeral was held Sunday.

### Council Meeting.

On Monday evening the city council met in regular session the mayor and councilmen all being present.

The minutes of previous, regular and special meetings were read and approved. A petition was read from J. T. DeSpain asking permission to remove the wooden stand now occupying a position on the corner of Main and Third street to a location east of the depot. The petition was denied.

A remonstrance from property owners on Fifth street regarding the laying of a sewer along the east side of said street was read. This caused a lengthy discussion and was declared out of order from the fact that a former petition for said sewer had been allowed and bids advertised for and that those signing the remonstrance had slept on their rights in the case and had not filled the requirements of the law and ordinance. The remonstrance was therefore laid on the table indefinitely.

A bid for the construction of a sewer on Fifth street from Mr. Hart was opened and the contract awarded to him for the sum of \$869.04.

Report of the city clerk showed that collections had been made for the quarter amounting to \$674.26.

Report from the street committee regarding the improvement of River street led to a long discussion which brought out the fact that the order for improvement of said street was defective, inasmuch as it referred to River street as being a part of the old Territorial road, which it is claimed by those objecting to the improvement was not correct. City Engineer Mr. Lincoln Taylor was asked for his opinion, who stated that for forty years the street in question had been used as a public highway and known as River street, but he did not think that it was the old Territorial road. A motion was therefore made to reconsider the order for improvement and erase the words "Territorial road" which carried.

Ordinance No. 180 was read for the first time and on motion was put through the second and third readings and passed. This is an ordinance amending Section 10 of Ordinance No. 5 and imposes a license of \$10 a year on each billiard or pool table, regardless of whether there is any charge made for playing on them or not.

Councilman Porter made a motion that on account of the long sickness of Ex-Chief Underwood, that he be not required to pay water rate, until such time as he entirely recovers, and the same carried. The matter of the shooting of fire crackers and other Fourth of July celebration necessities (?) being confined to certain districts, Mayor Jones said that by the authority vested in him as Mayor, he would issue a proclamation and have the same printed and posted defacing certain bean laries where no fireworks of any description would be allowed.

The following bills were read:  
L. Taylor..... \$ 1.25  
Chas. Bruneau..... 3.75  
Griffin & Veatch..... 8.32  
Veatch & Schmutz..... .25  
H. B. Bailey..... 1.50  
Electric Light Co..... 221.85  
R. D. Tucker..... 1.50  
Powell & Tullar..... 5.00  
F. H. Snodgrass..... 60.00  
E. A. Wilkins..... 3.00  
G. Comer..... 1.00

Council then adjourned until Monday evening July 8.

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### WOMEN'S WOES.

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### MARKET REPORT.

PRODUCE.	
(Prices quoted are wholesale.)	
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Butter, creamery, lb	35c
Butter fat	20c
Eggs	17 1/2c
Chickens	11 to 13c
Onions, cwt.	\$4.50
Apples, bushel, according to quality	\$1-25
Chittum bark, old	5c
Mohair	29 1/2
Hides, green	7c
Salt hides, dry	8c
Potatoes	\$4.00
Cabbage, cwt	\$5.00
Turnips, cwt	\$1.50
Carrots, cwt	\$1.50
Parstnips, cwt	\$2.00

### HAY, GRAIN, ETC.

(Retail prices are quoted)	
Wheat, bushel	\$1.00
Wheat and vetch, chopped ton	\$26.00
Oats, bushel	50c
Bran, ton	\$21.00
Clean wheat chop, ton	\$33.00
Oats and vetch chopped, ton	\$25.00
Mixed, ton	\$24.00
Shorts, ton	\$28.00
Flour, valley, cwt	\$2.00
Flour (hard wheat, cwt	\$2.60
Rolled barley, per 75lb sack	\$1.10
Rolled barley, standard, sack	\$1.00
Hay, baled, ton	\$12.00

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