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Bernard Daly, Portland
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Hearst and Hisgen will be in Portland next Tuesday.

Try these, says Elbert Hubbard, the great lecturer and writer: "A kind thought, a kind word, a kind deed."

Fortunately for human happiness, only the courts insist on hearing the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth.

The sheriff's office reports the last half of the tax of 1907 pretty well paid in and very little of the tax on real estate will be left unpaid this year.

The sawmill proprietors and employes of the Pacific northwest ought to be pleased with "government by injunction." The rate injunction has so far gone in their favor.

A half day's tramp over the fields with dog and gun will convince any sportsman that pheasants are very scarce. A blind man could also "see" that what birds are left are awfully "gunshy."

The numerous Hearst publications have been personally represented throughout Oregon and Washington recently by Ray Washington Taylor, who is writing a series of articles showing agricultural, industrial and horticultural actualities in this portion of the United States. Mr. Taylor is on the staff of the San Francisco "Examiner," but his stories will be printed in all the Hearst papers.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS

W. A. Scott representing the mining and scientific press of San Francisco, is spending a day in our city inquiring into our mining resources.

Mrs. A. W. Kime entertained the C. W. B. M. society at her home Thursday afternoon. After the business meeting refreshments were served and all reported a very pleasant afternoon.

"Bryan got skinned" is the way the bowlers put it this morning. Recently the Taft men challenged the Bryan men of the commercial club to a bowling contest. The big event was pulled off last night resulting in a victory for the Taft contingent.

Sixteen and one-half acres of the Alex Spare tract on the east side of the river in South Cottage Grove, was sold to D. C. Baughman today through the Veatch Real Estate Company at \$205 per acre. The tract will be put on the market and sold in city lots.

MYRTLE POINT STAGE ROBBED AT ROSEBURG

"That's right old man, just quiet those horses, and you folks in side just throw up your hands and get ready to put a little in the contribution box. No harm if you behave, but cold lead if you don't."

These few hair-raising remarks greeted the nine passengers in the four-horse stage which runs between Myrtle Point and Roseburg, half a mile from the latter city, at 11 o'clock Wednesday night. Stage driver and passengers found themselves looking into the gleaming barrel of a 44-caliber Colt revolver, held firmly in the hand of a short, slight man with a white handkerchief draped over his face.

That the robbery was planned and timed perfectly is the opinion of the victims, and that it should have been pulled off in sight of the twinkling lights of Roseburg, ten minutes before the end of the run is what astonished the passengers as much as anything else.

The highwayman secured about \$60 in money, two gold watches, valued at \$2.35 and two revolvers. The stage had nine occupants, besides the driver, Tom Duncan. There were aboard W. C. Benham, manager of the route, and seven passengers, two of whom were women and whom the bandit did not molest. One of the women, Mrs. J. Barnett, of San Francisco, had \$1000 worth of diamonds in her stocking, and the other, Miss Rouey, of Coquille, enroute to Portland, had \$1500 in money. The mail was not touched. After the job the bandit ordered the stage to proceed on to Roseburg and then disappeared. Up to the present hour no trace of him has been found.

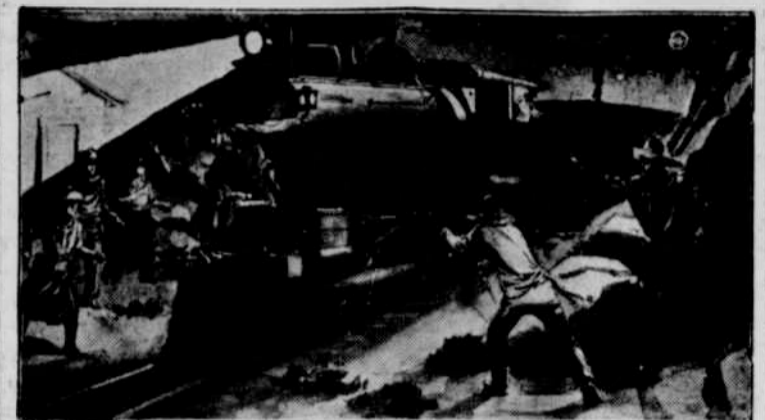
As the stage was ascending a steep hill near Roseburg it was suddenly halted by the bandit, who stepped from behind a stump at the roadside, revolver in hand. He made the five male passengers and Duncan line up on the ground with their backs toward him while he searched their pockets. W. M. Plum, of 845 Upshur street, Portland, was relieved of \$5, a gold watch worth \$110 and a revolver; Harry McChesney, of Kahlotus, Wash., gave up \$15 and an automatic revolver. John Hastings of Bridge, Or., before leaping from the stage dropped a purse containing \$800 among the mail sacks; and presented the robber with \$1; two timber cruisers, named Cross and Heald, of Portland, who got on the stage at Olalla, were next searched, the former giving up a \$125 gold watch and the latter \$30 in money. The robber then took \$3 and a watch of little value from Duncan and \$4.50 in money from Benham. The robber wore a white handkerchief over his face. He was of medium build and has a very soft voice.

Dealers in fruit trees report a splendid business this year, showing that more orchards than ever before in one season will be planted in Oregon during this fall and the coming winter.

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A PLAIN BUSINESS TALK.

Why men residing in the Willamette valley should desire to change their place of residence and seek newer and greener fields is certainly one of the mysteries of the human family, yet there are men and maidens of whom it is said contemplate such a change, and even firms conducting large mercantile establishments have permitted this terrible nightmare to creep in and so disturb the peaceful slumbers of its members that at regular intervals of from 30 to 60 days they are constrained to sacrifice their immense stocks of merchandise to such an extent they will even sell a pair of 50 cent overalls for 49 cents.

The cause of these periodical spasms of mercantile acumen is one of the mysteries that is up to the public to determine.

As for Wheeler-Thompson Co. we have no desire to discontinue business. Mr. F. D. Wheeler has no intention of changing his place of residence, H. O. Thompson is a permanent fixture and J. W. Wilson gave up a life long residence in his native state of Iowa a little over a year ago to become a permanent resident of our own beautiful little city of Cottage Grove. Consequently we expect to continue business at the same old stand, continuing to give our patrons the same high standard of values that we always have and will not under any circumstances permit competition to undersell us.

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Notice of Sheriff's Sale on Execution.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Lane, on the 30th day of September, 1908, on a judgment rendered in the Cottage Grove Justice court on the 28th day of October, 1907, in favor of C. E. Stewart, plaintiff, and against J. S. Milne, and Cora M. Milne, defendants for the sum of one hundred nineteen and no 100 dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum on \$164.00 from September 6, 1904, to May 20, 1905, and 10 per cent per annum on \$119.00 from May 20, 1905, until paid and the further sum of \$5.40 costs, and also the costs of and upon this writ, also attorney's fees \$25.00 and making transcript \$1; which said judgment was enrolled and docketed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court on the 1st day of November, 1907, and I was commanded that out of the personal property belonging to said defendant or of sufficient could not be found then out of the real property belong-

ing to said defendants on or after the said 1st day of November, 1907, I satisfy said judgment, costs and accruing costs. Being unable to find personal property with which to satisfy said judgment, costs and accruing costs, I did on the first day of October, 1908, levy upon the following real property belonging to said defendants on the 1st day of November, 1907, or subsequently, to-wit: The SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 13, Township 21, S. R. 3, west W. M. containing 40 acres, more or less, in Lane county, Oregon.

Now, therefore, in the name of the state of Oregon, and in order to satisfy said judgment, costs and accruing costs, I will on Monday the 9th day of November, 1908, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., to-wit: At 1 o'clock p. m. on said day at the southwest door of the county court house in Eugene, Lane county, Oregon, offer for sale for cash, subject to redemption all of the above named defendants, J. S. Milne and Cora M. Milne, right, title and interest, in and to the above described real property.

Dated this 6th day of October, 1908.
HARRY L. BOWEN,
Sheriff of Lane county, Oregon.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale on Execution.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Lane, on the 24th day of September, 1908, on a judgment rendered in the Cottage Grove Justice court on the 28th day of October, 1907, in favor of C. E. Stewart, plaintiff, and against J. S. Milne, defendant, for the sum of the thirty dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 25th day of November, 1905, and the further sum of two and 90-100 dollars, costs; also \$10.00 attorney's fees; also making transcript \$1; and also the costs of and upon this writ, which judgment was enrolled and docketed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court on the 1st day of November 1907, by which writ I was commanded that out of the personal property belonging to said defendant or of sufficient could not be found then out of the real property belonging to said defendant on or after the said 1st day of November 1907, I satisfy said judgment, costs and accruing costs. Being unable to find personal property with which to satisfy said judgment, costs and accruing costs, I did on the 24th day of September, 1908, levy upon the following real property belonging to said defendant on the first day of November, 1907, or subsequently, to-wit: The SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 13, Township 21, S. R. 3 West, W. M., containing 40 acres, more or less, in Lane county, Oregon.

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