

# WEST SIDE ENTERPRISE

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## SHUFFLES OFF MORTAL COIL

**Paul Simmons Leaves Dallas to End His Life.**

## RELATIVES LIVE AT ROSEBURG

**No Trace of Missing Man Can be Found by Police of Either City.**

Paul Simmons, who up to a couple of weeks ago was employed in an implement shop at Dallas, is thought to have committed suicide at Salem or Eugene last week. He writes to his mother, Mrs. A. E. Simmons and Mrs. M. C. Weatherford of Roseburg and his brother, W. Z. Simmons of Wilburg, telling them of his contemplated destruction in the following words:

"You need not look for me; I've got consumption and can't be cured, and I'm going into the woods and kill myself."

Letters to his sister and brother were written from Salem and one from Simmons to his mother was written from Eugene.

The police have been busy in both cities searching for the missing man but up to the present time have been unable to find any trace of him and his relatives are of the opinion that he has carried out his determination to end his life. In the letter written to his sister was enclosed checks for baggage expressed to her from Salem and which consisted of a violin, trunk, and telescope grip. In the letter written to his mother he enclosed a money order and some small change. The money order was purchased at Eugene.

The Dallas Observer published the following: Fred J. Wagner, proprietor of the Wagner Implement Shop in this city says that Simmons entered his employ early last spring and during the whole of the time he was with him proved to be a sober and steady young man and an excellent workman. His health however was poor, and he gradually grew worse until it was impossible for him to continue his work and he asked his employer for a three weeks' lay off, hoping that after he had rested a while he might be able to resume his place.

He left Dallas a week ago last Saturday, and from that time Mr. Wagner heard no news of him, until the report of his supposed suicide appeared in the Friday papers last week.

## Cured Hay Fever and Summer Cold.

A. S. Nustbaum, Batesville, Indiana, writes: "Last year I suffered for three months with a summer cold so distressing that it interfered with my business. I had many of the symptoms of hay fever, and a doctor's prescription did not reach my case, and I took several medicines which seemed only to aggravate it. Fortunately I insisted upon having Foley's Honey and Tar. It quickly cured me. My wife has since used Foley's Honey and Tar with the same success." Dove and Williams.

## MONMOUTH

A very exciting game of basket ball was played here in the normal gymnasium last Friday night between the summer school girls and the town girls. The game was won in favor of the town girls with a score of 15 to 3.

Mrs. Rene Lucas of Portland is visiting friends in this city this week.

E. H. Hosner was a Portland visitor Monday on business.

E. W. Strong and family made a short visit to Corvallis Monday and returned Tuesday in their touring car.

Wendell Crowley, who has been on an outing at Newport returned home the first of the week.

A. F. Campbells, who were residents of this city during the last several years, have removed to Eugene where

Mr. Campbell will engage in the practice of law. He was formerly a teacher in the normal of this place.

Milton Force has gone to Eugene to enroll as a student in the University of Oregon. Mr. Force was formerly manager of the Acorn Book store of this city.

Paul Cone has removed with his family to the Campbell property.

A very enjoyable shower party was given Monday evening to Miss Norma Daniel at her home in this city, in honor of her coming marriage which was solemnized yesterday.

Lloyd Walker has gone to North Yamhill for a week's visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. Zook and family, who have been visiting in Portland for some time past, have returned to their home in this city.

Mrs. P. H. Burt and daughter, Lucile, accompanied by Miss Eva Applegate, have gone to Portland to visit with relatives of that city.

Percy M. Stroud and Miss Hope Rodgers, both students at the Monmouth Normal, were married Friday at the Methodist parsonage, the Rev. M. P. Dixon officiating. They will make their home in Monmouth, temporarily.

## For Sore Feet.

"I have found Bucklen's Arnica Salve to be the proper thing to use for sore feet, as well as for healing burns, sores, cuts, and all manner of abrasions," writes Mr. W. Stone, of East Poland, Maine. It is the proper thing too for piles. Try it! Sold under guarantee at all druggists. 25c.

## THE MERWINS RETURN HOME

After a three-weeks absence from Independence on their honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. M. Merwin returned to their home in this city Saturday last. They have had a very delightful trip and have stories of much interest to relate to their friends. In speaking to a representative of the Enterprise Mr. Merwin said:

"We left Portland July 11th at 9 a. m. arriving at San Francisco the 13th at 10:30 a. m. The sea was calm, but in crossing the bar more than half the passengers were sea sick. Otherwise the voyage was very pleasant. In San Francisco visited all of the places of interest our time would allow. In Golden Gate Park, where is the greatest museum in the west, are many fine pieces of statuary and thousands of rare curios from Pompeii, all the gift of M. H. DeYoung, editor of the Chronicle. A visit to San Francisco would not be complete without a visit to the Mare Island Navy Yard, the Presidio and Mt. Tamalpais. The railroad which runs to the top of this mountain is eight and a quarter miles long and rises 2533 feet and is said to be the crookedest road in the world, in one place tying a double bow knot. We also visited Santa Cruz, Palo Alto, Berkeley and the state university where is the finest art gallery in the state and where is located the splendid amphitheater which is made of stone and concrete and which has a seating capacity of eleven thousand. This was the gift of William Randolph Hurst.

"San Francisco is rapidly rebuilding but many years will be required to make it the city it was before the earthquake. It is estimated that there are under course of construction more than \$80,000,000 worth of buildings."

"How to Avoid Appendicitis. Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels and restores the natural action of the bowels. Foley's Orino Laxative does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. Dove & Williams.

## Why James Lee Got Well.

Everybody in Zanesville, O., knows Mrs. Mary Lee, of rural route 8. She writes: "My husband, James Lee, firmly believes he owes his life to the use of Dr. King's New Discovery. His lungs were so severely affected that consumption seemed inevitable, when a friend recommended New Discovery. We tried it, and its use has restored him to perfect health." Dr. King's New Discovery is the King of throat and lung remedies. For coughs and colds it has no equal. The first dose gives relief. Try it! Sold under guarantee at all druggists. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

## FOREST RANGE POSSIBILITY

**Pure Bred Sheep on National Forest Ranges.**

## EXAMPLE OF COTSWOLD

**A Noteworthy Example of What was Accomplished in State of Utah.**

Many sheep breeders, especially those of the east, will be surprised to learn that pure bred registered sheep may be raised and run on the open ranges of the west in large bands without any diminution in the grade or quality of the product as compared to the present dams and sires with which the flock were started. The first requisite, however, is that an entirely satisfactory range, properly protected from the intrusion of other flocks and upon which there is certain to be the necessary amount of forage, water, etc., must be assured. At the present time this condition exists only upon private lands and within the national forests of the west which are under the administration of the forest service.

A noteworthy example of what can be accomplished in breeding high-grade sheep on properly controlled open range is that of Allen Bros. who graze about 3,000 head registered Cotswold sheep within the Uinta National Forest in the state of Utah. These bands are the increase of about 200 head of prize winning stock from the Royal Stock Show in England and the International Show at Chicago, purchased and imported to Utah by Allen Bros. since 1892. They have been grazed within the Uinta National Forest since 1903, upon ranges which are practically ideal for sheep grazing purposes, being watered, grassed, and shaded, and protected from the grazing of other sheep. Careful breeding is developing a pure bred type of Cotswold entirely adapted to western range conditions, yet equal to anything raised under fences in the eastern United States or in European countries.

This is a sample case that demonstrates what range control within the National Forests is enabling the stockmen of the west to do. There are quicker and greater returns to be secured from the raising of high grade stock than from inferior mongrel breeds, but in many sections stockmen have hesitated to invest in registered sires and dams because of the uncertainty of securing ranges upon which feed and water are absolutely assured and without which such ventures would not be so remunerative or so successful as the running of inferior grades of stock better adapted to the severe range conditions that are commonly encountered because of overstocking and lack of control.

On national forest ranges the number of stock allowed is only what the range is sufficient to sustain under all conditions, and a stockman who secures a permit to graze stock on these ranges may embark upon the business of raising high grade cattle and sheep with every reasonable assurance of success.

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## Galloway Sustains Former Ruling.

Judge William Galloway has overruled a motion for amendment of findings of fact in the Krebs-Livesley hop suit, and has refused to stay execution, says a recent issue of the Oregon-

ian. Krebs has judgement for \$10,000 and is proceeding to enforce payment. The suit has attracted wide attention in hop circles because of the prominence of the parties and the magnitude of the contract. The contract provided for the delivery of 100,000 pounds of hops each year for five years at 14 cents. The contract has two years yet to run. Livesley is the purchaser.

## A Faithful Friend.

"I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy since it was first introduced to the public in 1872, and have never found one instance where a cure was not speedily effected by its use. I have been a commercial traveler for eighteen years, and never start out on a trip without this, my faithful friend," says H. S. Nichols of Oakland, Ind. Ter. When a man has used a remedy for thirty-five years he knows its value and is competent to speak of it. For sale by P. M. Kirkland.

## Poultry Show in December.

Dates have been fixed for the poultry show in this county for December 16, 17 and 18th. It is expected that the displays this winter will be superior to those of last year and that valuable cups will be given for prizes. It is expected that Elmer Dixon of Oregon City will be secured to judge the show. He was the judge last year and his decisions gave general satisfaction.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills will promptly relieve all kidney and bladder disorders. Sold and recommended by Dove & Williams.

## SALEM MAN BUYS PAPER

M. D. Morgan, who spent a few days in Independence on two or three occasions and who assisted this office in printing the ballots for the primary election in April, has bought the Harrisburg Bulletin. Following is his salutory:

"The new editor never has much to say outside of the paper. Chief delight is to make other people happy, but doesn't believe in spending his money to do it. Finds no delight in making enemies—never found it profitable. Likes pie, Chews and smokes. Pays for it. Married. Paid for it. Four children. Is willing any time to let them decide as to his worth and always will be if Harrisburg stands back of him.

"Stand five feet eight. Sits down all day if necessary. Weighs 170 smiling, a ton serious. When mad, will go anywhere at postage rates. Has received more compliments on his good looks than he ever did on his bank account.

"Has run newspapers before." Mr. Morgan was employed on the Daily Statesman for a year or more along with the editor of the West Side Enterprise. They were both out on the new year number of the Salem Statesman and have many pleasant memories of these associations.

## Attention, Asthma Sufferers!

Foley's Honey and Tar will give immediate relief to Asthma sufferers and has cured many cases that had refused to yield to other treatment. Foley's Honey and Tar is the best remedy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung trouble. Contains no harmful drugs. Dove & Williams.

## Convention of Postmasters.

The Postmasters of Oregon had a rousing convention at the Portland Commercial Club Friday and Saturday. Postmaster Minto of Portland presided and gave luncheon to the visiting fraternity. A special incident was the organization of the fourth class postmasters, with Addison Bennett of Irrigon as President and W. J. Clarke, of Gervais, secretary. Everybody felt that they had greatly profited by attending.

The new switchboard for the Home Telephone Co. will be installed within the next few weeks and the Company will then be ready to install telephones promptly. 4-11 tf



## When You Sit Down To a Meal

In this restaurant you are sure it will be excellent as to food, cooking and service. The surroundings speak for themselves, and the bill of fare tells wistfully of fine eating at little prices. Come in and bring a friend or two along. You will all be pleased.

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