

AND MORNING PAPERS.

"Today's news today," the motto of the evening paper, is peculiarly fit for Pacific coast publications of that class.

The most extraordinary phenomenon in the newspaper business during the past seven years has been the development of the evening paper in New York, Chicago, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Minneapolis, Baltimore, Washington and other cities.

OLIVE-DRAB FOR U S ARMY FIGHTING UNIFORM.

The great range of the modern rifle, which enables a soldier to kill his adversary with great accuracy at a distance of several miles, if he can distinguish him from the surrounding landscape, has led to a curious reversal of military desires in the matter of dress.

A board of officers of the United States army has selected an olive-drab for service uniforms. It is found to be, under average conditions, the least visible color at considerable distances, and which, after long-continued trials, the quartermaster's department has succeeded in making a fast color for service material to meet the requirements of cold climates, as well as for the cotton khaki used in the tropics.

The traditional blue uniform will be retained on both dress and olive-drab uniforms for both officers and men.

The Portland Telegram referring to the struggle of the people at Boston the other day to get a share of the limited supply of coal ironically remarked: "Let them freeze; can't they understand that this government is run principally for the benefit of the trusts?"

Dr Brown of the New York state lunacy commission says there are twenty-four thousand inmates in New York asylums, and that they are increasing at the rate of about seven hundred a year.

That police judge down at Portland is to be commended for the stand he has taken in refusing to sentence Chinese gamblers who may be convicted by juries, so long as the police fail to arrest white gamblers. Sauce for the goose should be sauce for the vander.

Robert H Roosevelt, uncle of President Theodore Roosevelt of the United States, is a democrat and is foremost in the fight to reorganize that party and put it into winning form.

ALPINE PEAKS.

Out here on the Pacific Coast we pride ourselves on our mountains and mountain peaks. We have plenty of the former and some very pretty snow-peaks. Hood is unapproachable for beauty when viewed from the valley, the low intervening foothills being to its decided advantage.

But the Alps; no wonder poets have sung about them! Here are some figures:

- Martime Alps, twelve peaks from six thousand to twelve thousand feet.
Cottian Alps, fourteen from ten to twelve thousand feet.
Dauphine Alps, sixteen from six to fourteen thousand feet.
Graia Alps, eighteen from eleven to thirteen thousand feet.
Pennine Alps, thirty-seven from ten to fifteen thousand feet.
Brenner Alps, twenty-seven from seven to fourteen thousand feet.
North Swiss, twenty-two from eight to twelve thousand feet.
Leptontine Alps, twenty-three from eight to twelve thousand feet.
Rhoetan Alps, fifty-five the lowest of which is 9,738 feet and the highest 13,294.
Lombard Alps, twenty-one from seven to twelve thousand feet.
Vidolietan Alps, twenty-three from seven to ten thousand feet.
Northern Noric Alps, thirty-one from six to ten thousand feet.
Central Tyrol Alps, fifty from eight to twelve thousand feet.
Styrian Alps, seventeen from six to ten thousand feet.
South Tyrol and Venetian Alps, twenty-one from eight to eleven thousand feet.
South-Eastern Alps nineteen from five to ten thousand feet.

There is the list. Who is there so plodding that he does not wish that from a central point he could look down on this grand array of nature's sublimest handiwork!

President Albert of the Salem Capital National Bank has a pretty good heart. When the Gilbert Bros. bank collapsed in that city in April the school children had \$835.53 in amounts ranging from a few cents to a few dollars on deposit.

Another right of married women has been "vindicated." A Newark man grew weary of the conversational powers of his wife and asked a magistrate to restrain her. The magistrate rebuffed him and held that Mrs Caudle can't be interfered with in her own home.

One man has been killed and another probably fatally injured by an electrical shock over a telephone in California. The "hello" girls could testify to othershocking things going over the wires.

A Butte, Montana, editor has fatally shot a physician. Perhaps the physician didn't take his paper. Now is the time to subscribe.

10 mills make one cent, 10 cents make one dime, 10 dimes make one dollar, 10 dollars make one eagle, 1 eagle makes all the money.

OLD MAN IN BAD STATE

Feeble Minded and Wighted With Years He Walked the Streets.

Chief of Police J S Stiles tells a sad story of an old man whom he found wandering aimlessly about late last night on the sidewalks. He accosted the stranger, as he looked helpless, and asked his name.

He did not know the name of the town he was in nor did he have any reason for visiting Eugene. The sheriff gave him a bed in the Madlock House. This morning he was seen roaming aimlessly about again in the streets.

When taken before the officers at the workhouse today he proved to be weak-minded. The driver of the Fall Creek stage knows his son on Fall Creek and will take him out that way in the morning.

A SENSATIONAL BIRTH.

A Child Born to a Girl on a River Boat Saturday.

RALPH, Or, Dec 15.—The arrival of the steamer Pomona on Saturday evening was accompanied by an occurrence which aroused the pity of the community. Among the passengers was a girl not more than 18 years old and her infant child born on the boat during the trip from Portland.

The girl, whose name is Anna Stewart, lived in Salem most of her life, but during the past year has been most of the time in Portland, at which point she boarded the boat on Friday night. There will be an official investigation of the whole affair.

The remains of Edward Poill, who died at Lowell Monday morning were brought yesterday to Eugene. The funeral was held this afternoon from the residence of the father of the deceased, J J Poill, at the corner of East Thirtieth and Hilyard streets.

The young people of this place are preparing for a Christmas entertainment.

RESOLUTIONS. The following resolutions were yesterday adopted by the junior class of EHS:

WHEREAS, The Almighty has seen fit in his infinite wisdom to take from us the brother of our friend and classmate Miss Mable Poill. And

WHEREAS, We desire to express in some way our feelings of sympathy and sorrow for her in her affliction. Therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the class of 1904 of the Eugene High School extend to Miss Poill and her family their sincere sympathy and condolence in their hour of sorrow.

Signed for the Junior Class: JACK RECHOLDT, BERTA EDLEY, JESSIE PADDOCK, Committee.

Personals.

Daily guard, Dec 17: MR Janney is in Portland. Jas Parvin, of Dexter, is in the city. Mrs C L Winter is home from Salem. M O Warner was a passenger south today.

G W Griffin is home from the Grove. Amos White is up from Coburg today.

W A Wann went to Monmouth, his old home, today. Al Churchill came down from Cottage Grove this afternoon.

C L Fitchard and J C Goodale went to Coburg and returned this morning. S B Friend went to Portland this afternoon to attend the funeral of the late Solomon Hirsch.

Mrs W E McEroy, who has been quite ill, is improving and is now able to attend the house.

THE INDIAN WAR PENSIONS

Has His Difficulties, But Commissioner Promises Prompt Action.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Senator Mitchell recently called the attention of Pension Commissioner Ware to a letter received from Judge J C Fullerton, of Roseburg, stating that some 50 Indian War veterans in his immediate neighborhood had applied for pensions under the Indian War veteran, act of 1st session; that many of them are poor, and are in need of the little sum that will come to them each quarter.

"There will be no unnecessary delay on the part of this bureau in adjudicating these cases of claims. I fully realize that these claimants are advanced in age, and also appreciate what Judge Fullerton says regarding their financial condition. It may be of interest to you to know that up to date \$54 claims of this character have been filed. No little amount of trouble and delay is experienced in getting the military service of these claimants, by reason of their failure to give in their declarations, the specific information necessary to enable the office to correctly determine their service. Fewer claims will be given all the attention which they require, and we expediently as the work is the bureau will permit."

UNITY NOTES AND NEWS

Booth-Kelly Logging Engines Ready for Work--Other Items.

FALL CREEK, Dec 15.—The Booth-Kelly Lumber Co have their two large logging donkeys set up ready for work. One of them is set up near the Kinsey place and the other near the McKersand place on Big Fall creek.

The county roads in this vicinity look as though they were quarantined, with sticks standing up with rags or paper hanging on them, showing danger. Having heavy logging engines over them has paralyzed the road.

Louis Mathews, of Lost Valley, is hauling logs for R C Edwards.

T W Reed, pension examiner, was in the vicinity last week looking after claims.

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DEATH OF EDWARD POILL

Well Known Eugene Young Man Died at Lowell Yesterday.

Word has reached the GUARD office of the death of Edward Poill, well known in this city. He passed away at the home of his father-in-law, A D Hyland, at Lowell, yesterday morning at 3 o'clock of tubercular.

Ed Poill was a son of J J Poill of this city and was born in Springfield, Oct 17, 1875. He attended the University at St. Louis. He was also at one time a student of the Drain Normal School. He was married in 1900 to Miss E L Hyland. He went to Arizona the next year for his health and returned June.

The widow and son survive him. The funeral will be held at 2 p m tomorrow at the residence of the young man's parents, corner of East 13th and Hilyard streets. The remains will be interred in the I O O F cemetery. Rev B F Rowland, of the M E Church, will conduct the service.

Cottage Grove Items.

From the News, Dec 17. T W Jenks has gone from Roseburg to Myrtle Point, where he is working in the lumber line of the Modern Brotherhood of America.

Leon Lewis was transferred last week from the Booth-Kelly mill at Coburg to the mill at Eugene. The change suits Lewis very well as he is now in good health.

Born to the wife of W L Roseburg, of the city on Dec 6, 1902, a girl of usual weight. All doing well.

A very pleasant wedding took place Dec 4 at the residence of Postmaster Fisher, of Coburg. The bride was his only daughter, Miss Harriet, and the groom a promising young man, Mr J H Spear, of Springfield, O. They have gone East.

Assessor Herbert Leib, of Eugene, was in the city Monday evening. Mr Leib says there is more inquiry right now about Bohemia property than ever before in the history of the camp and interest is rapidly increasing. It is to be regretted that the camp cannot be visited at this time of the year.

Grandpa Charon left Tuesday for Eugene where he will make his home with his daughter, Mrs O F Knox. Grandpa Charon also left here this week for Roseburg where he will live with his daughter, Mrs Alley. The old folks have quit house-keeping owing to their extreme age and will henceforth live with their children.

John Gray, formerly of Hagnaw, who accepted a position as manager of the Pacific Timber Co's store last week handed in his resignation last Saturday and returned to Eugene where his family reside. Harry Clarke, the general young clerk, who has been with them for some time, was immediately appointed manager to fill the vacant place.

Elmira Items. ELMIRA, Dec. 13.—In looking through your columns I find that this locality is not represented. If you have room in your paper perhaps a few items may be accepted. If not there is room in the waste basket.

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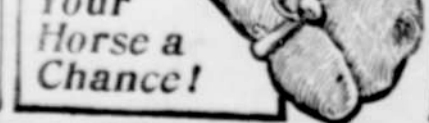
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