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Notes and Comment

The travel press correspondent at Arlington telegraphing an explosion of dynamite whereby Thomas Johnson, of Minneapolis, aged 25, had both arms and legs torn off, says he was "killed instantly." We should think so.

Not much liberty of the press over in Spain. The editor of El Deluive, Barcelona, has just got a sentence of six years' imprisonment for printing a dispatch derogatory to the working king, Alfonso.

Mrs. George West was married to Alex. Charley near Oakville, Wash., Sunday. Chelalis Indians, the fair bride thought to be about an even hundred old, Alex. Charley thirty-five. Wonder if she had the "stuff" like in the Mrs. Yerkes-Mizner episode?

F. Augustus Heinze, Montana copper magnate, is reported short two to six millions, dropped in the last week in the New York copper market. That would hurt some of us.

A British Columbia dispatch says a supposedly murdered man for which another was hung on purely circumstantial evidence, protesting innocence to the last, has been seen in the far north. If true, terrible!

Borrow killed, and that suddenly, at Seattle the other day. Mrs. Bailey fell dead at the feet of a telegraph messenger boy after reading the telegram he had just given her giving the news that her son had been stabbed to death at Redlands, California.

Indian Territory has a bad case of a gas well afire. It has been burning since February 5, flames a hundred and fifty feet high and is visible forty miles. The intense heat generated is shown in the attempt to cap the well with a 2000-pound iron cap. Twenty feet away from the well the intense heat turned the big piece of iron to a white heat.

Dr. James A. Booth, deceased, of Spokane, showed his affluence more consideration than most men show their wives. He willed her his entire estate, amounting to \$3000, except one dollar each to his four children. It does not seem possible the will can stand, that is if the children have relative to look after their interests. It is unusual.

Lost in the mountains over in Washington two loggers killed and ate a stray dog that came to them, itself lost and hungry. They did not treat it as Mark Twain's character, who lost in the mountains with his dog finally compromised by cutting the dog's tail off for food. But in the latter case there was some compensation for the dog, as he got the bones.

The Pendleton East Oregonian has an article on C. A. Johns, of Baker City, Republican candidate for the nomination for governor, that places the gentleman in a very bad light. In his brief autobiography and appeal for votes Mr. Johns states that "excepting the millions he has the support and endorsement without regard to party, of practically every business interest in Baker county." The Pendleton paper says on the contrary Mr. Johns will receive the undivided support of the saloon element of his county. George Chamberlain will beat whoever is nominated against him, but the man who attempts deception would be the real victim.

Portland court divorces to the number of 236 were granted during the four months ending the last of February. Women sued in 199 cases and men in 37. Only one divorce was refused. Ninety per cent of the

cases brought by women were for cruelty and desertion. September 8th Judge Cleland granted 22 divorces, and Judge Sears 14 on June 15th.

F. Augustus Heinze, of Butte, Montana, he who sold out his copper mines to the rival Amalgamated company, controlled by Standard Oil magnates for \$25,000,000, knew so little as to be the lion in his own den. After dabbling for several weeks in copper stocks in the big New York gambling den, by courtesy designated an "exchange," Heinze according to all reports has two to six million dollars less than he started with. The great possibilities of this country, are shown by the fact that a dozen years ago this Heinze that can now lose millions and yet have many millions left, was working for a salary—had fewer thousands than he now has millions.

A Portland pawnbroker pays \$1.10 a month rent for a room with a frontage of nine feet and depth of twenty-one feet, Washington street.

Woman's self possession was shown at the county clerk's office, Portland, the other day when a man accompanied by his blushing prospective bride was getting a license. He passed over a "five" to the clerk for the bit of paper, and in his excitement was going away without the two dollars passed him in change. Not so with the woman. "Don't get excited," she exclaimed, "we'll need it all." And with reddening face as the deputy clerk smiled, some audibly, he picked up the change and hurried from the room.

There are certain rules with regard to the care of the eyesight which should be religiously followed. First, do not use the eyes in a poor or flickering light. Second, do not have the light directly in front or behind; the light should fall without interruption, from one side. Third, do not use the eyes much when you are tired or are recovering from an illness. Fourth, do not use the eyes when they become watery or show signs of indistinctness of vision. Fifth, do not work with the head bent over. This tends to gorge the vessels of the eyes with blood and produce congestion. Sixth, do not read lying flat on the back or reclining, unless the book is supported in the same relative angle and position as when erect. Seventh, do not remain a single day without glasses after you should put them on.

METEORS WIN BY EIGHT POINTS

The Chicago Meteors played a good game of basketball against the high school boys at the armory last night, but not as good as the Red Wing team which played against the U. O. here some time ago. Two or three times last night it looked as if the high school boys would win from the visitors, but more experienced and better team work told and the visitors won by the score of 30 to 22.

A big crowd witnessed the game and cheered vociferously for the local team. The visitors were also liberally applauded whenever a difficult basket was thrown. The Meteors say that Eugene has a better high school team than any of its class they have played on their present trip.

The preliminary game was won by the high school second team over Co. A's team by the score of 15 to 12.

F. L. Skaggs Dead

This morning T. G. Hendricks received the sad announcement by letter from his sister, Mrs. Skaggs, at Oakland, California, that her son, F. L. Skaggs, "Lafe," as he was better known here, died at Pleasanton, forty miles from San Francisco, Monday, March 5, of pneumonia. He had gone there on business about a hotel in which he was interested when he was stricken. The burial was to take place in a San Francisco cemetery, and was about 30 years of age. He grew up and received his education in Eugene and learned telegraphy at the Eugene depot, becoming a very proficient operator. He was afterward employed in the Portland railroad offices several years. He married in San Francisco, and has a wife and two little girls.

This death fills the cup of sorrow of his mother to overflowing—he was the last of five children. She will likely return to Eugene to reside.

Around the Courthouse

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Edward A. Powell to Ida Powell; 9.75 acres in sec 5, tp 18, s r 4 w. \$1. J. W. and M. F. Kirk to Claud D. Van Valin; certain lands in Lane county. \$3000.

Green and Nellie Pitcher to C. W. and Lena Pitcher; 40.83 acres in sec 3, tp 21, s r 3 w. \$200.

The Willamette Real Estate Co. to J. W. Starr; lots 6, 7 and 8, blk 56, Junction City. \$150.

Springfield Lodge No. 70, I. O. O. F., to Henry Sinner; lot 41, blk 3, Laurel Grove cemetery. \$15.

Ida M. Abbott to Lily Schafer; 100 acres in sec 32, tp 15, s r 6 w. \$2000.

Colonel F. and Angie Smith to W. W. Calkins; lot 2, blk 17, Fairmount. \$200.

Levi and Rosa M. Geer to C. M. Moxley; 90 acres in sec 30, tp 22, s r 3 w. \$1.

Levi and Rosa M. Geer to L. G. Moxley; certain land in sec 30, tp 23, s r 3 w. \$100.

Oregon & California Railroad Co. to L. G. Moxley; 40 acres in sec 31, tp 22, s r 3 w. \$200.

Charles R. and Jennie M. David to Ezra H. David; 11 acres in sec 7, tp 18, s r 10 w. \$100.

Ezra H. David to Charles R. David; half acre in sec 7, tp 18, s r 10 w. \$100.

Fred Fisk, sheriff, to A. H. and Ellen Lajoie; 20 acres in sec 12, tp 20, s r 1 w. Tax deed.

Alzina Korn to Margaret Alice Morris; 0.9 acres in sec 28, tp 15, s r 1 w. \$500.

Idaho F. Campbell to Frank Dunlap; certain land in Purkerson & Quimby's ad to Eugene. \$2.

Arthur L. and Dora E. Frazer to Allen Noffsinger; lot 5, blk 1, University ad to Eugene. \$125.

U. S. to Elmer A. Zachary; 100 acres in sec 32, tp 16, s r 6 w. Patent.

James H. and E. J. Belknap to L. G. Huling; certain land in sec 20, tp 16, s r 5 e. \$15.

Laban and Cora E. Lockard to Henry W. Ganser; 75 acres in sec 23, tp 18, s r 4 w. \$1400.

Florence Lodge No. 107, A. F. & A. M., to Wm. A. Cox; blk 316, A. F. & A. M. cemetery. \$6.

State of Oregon to W. A. Cox; 101 acres in secs 15 and 28, tp 17, s r 12 w. \$120.

State of Oregon to C. J. Cox; 80 acres in sec 23, tp 17, s r 12 w. \$100.

P. P. and A. B. Newell to W. A. Cox; blk 59, Chicago ad to Florence. \$1.

Lloyd F. and Eliza K. Mithollen to the Brown Lumber Co.; 156.83 acres in sec 20, tp 21, s r 1 w. \$1600.

Nettie and Wallace Wiley to P. F. Davis; 30.06 acres in tp 20, s r 5 w. \$121.

Estella A. Beard to F. C. Bean; certain land in Mapleton. \$1.

F. M. and Emma G. Wilkins to N. W. Getzen; lots 7 and 8, sec 32, tp 17, s r 3 w. \$425.

HUNTING LICENSES.

Harry Mitchell, of Cottage Grove; George M. Neet, of Fall Creek; James K. Sturtevant, of Panther; Adam Van Prooyen, of Leaburg.

L. L. Westfall, of Eugene; Earl Woodring, of Cedar Creek; Albert J. Willard and Horace H. Harms, of Cottage Grove.

C. C. Rutan, of Cottage Grove; T. N. VanProoyen, of Leaburg; H. C. Magnus, of Thurston; E. E. Bright, of Cottage Grove.

PROOF OF LABOR.

Edward F. Kresling and H. E. Robinson file notice of proof of labor on "St. John's" and "Ocean Wave" mining claims, Blue River district.

CIRCUIT COURT.

J. W. Shumate vs. Archie G. Potter; to recover money. L. M. Travis, attorney for plaintiff.

NOTARY PUBLIC.

The notarial commission of J. R. Campbell is filed.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Cyrus S. Richardson and Lou M. Dinehart. T. H. Garrett, witness.

MINING LOCATIONS.

Jane L. Cook files notice of locating "Buckeye" mining claim, Bohemia district.

R. W. Cook locates "Bird" claim, Bohemia district.

ELMIRA SAWMILL RECEIVES LOGS

Elmira, March 9.—During the last high water the large log drive for the Elmira sawmill was successfully landed at the mill. This drive represents a greater number of feet than was ever brought for one year's run before—in all about 2,000,000 feet of logs. The mill is undergoing a thorough overhauling preparatory to starting with the spring trade.

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Society Events

An event of some note in church circles was the annual church supper given on Wednesday evening by the ladies of the Congregational church. Supper was served in the basement of the church promptly at 6 o'clock. Young men attired in white duck waited on the tables.

The Amusement Club dance given last evening was fairly well attended. An enjoyable evening was spent in the different rounds of waltzes and two steps.

The Sigma Nu fraternity give a dancing party in Davies' hall this evening in honor of their young lady friends.

The Ladies' Aid Society met on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. A. E. Wheeler, corner Seventh and Lawrence streets.

The first of a series of socials to be given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church will be given tomorrow evening in the Sunday school rooms.

Robert Rountree, the funny man of the Oregon Glee Club, has returned to his Portland home and in a few days will leave with his mother for a two years' visit in Europe. "Bob," as he is known here, will be missed by his many friends.

AT SPRINGFIELD.

Fred Stewart was completely and agreeably surprised at his home, one mile east of Springfield, Monday evening, March 5th, it being his 15th birthday. The evening was very pleasantly spent in games, social chat, etc., after which a dainty luncheon was served. Every one voted it one of the pleasantest evenings spent this season and at a late hour departed after wishing Mr. Fred many more such happy birthdays. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Culver, Misses Alice Stewart, Lena McBee, Marion Harper, Louisa Bartholomew, Minnie Bartholomew, Lillie Gorrie, Teena Gorrie, Edna McPherson, Blanche Edwards, Tillie Hennings, Millie Hennings, Alveta Hennings and Messrs. John Seavey, Carl Carpenter, Francis Stewart, Fred Stewart, Earl Stewart, Allen Stewart, Alvah Armitage, Henry Armitage, Tom Gorrie, John Gorrie, Frank Bartholomew, Sam Bartholomew, John McBee, Melvin McBee, Lewis McBee and Master Harold Stewart.—The News.

LOCATION OF 17 NEW ARC LAMPS

The city council committee recently appointed to locate the 17 new arc lights have decided upon the following locations:

West Seventh and Charnelton; West Fourth and Lawrence; Clark and Lawrence; West First and Jefferson; West Fifth and Madison; West Eighth and Jefferson; West Tenth and Lawrence; West Fourteenth and Stewart avenue at the bridge; West Twelfth and Olive; East Fourteenth and Patterson; East Thirteenth and University avenue; East Fifteenth and Villard avenue; East Eighth and Ferry; East Fifth and High; East Third and High and East Twelfth and Alder streets.

FIRST-CLASS DRAPER AND UPHOLSTERER

Hugh O'Brien, a first-class upholsterer and draper of Portland, is in the city. Mr. O'Brien is employed by Tall & Gibbs, the leading house of Portland on this class of work, and as this house employs only first class workmen those who have any upholstering work to do are guaranteed satisfaction. Mr. O'Brien will call and word can be left at Gordon's Furniture Store for immediate attention.

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THREW CHILD'S BODY OUT OF CAR WINDOW

The following is from the Portland Journal of yesterday:

Because the conductor of a dining car refused to cremate the body of a new-born infant, the child was wrapped in a cloth and tossed from a window a short distance south of Eugene, according to passengers who reached Portland last night on Southern Pacific train No. 12 from San Francisco. Officials of the company, it is said, will start a rigid investigation.

"It was one of the most atrocious things I ever heard of," said one of the passengers. "A farmer by the name of Carl boarded the train at Galt, California, with his wife and children. They were occupants of the tourists' car. The man told several other passengers that they were moving to Canada, where they intended to reside.

"Tuesday morning, while we were some distance south of Eugene, the woman became ill. The husband rushed through the train in search of a physician. There was none on board, but a nurse who lives in Portland, and was on her way home, volunteered her services.

"The child was dead at its birth. The father implored the dining car conductor to cremate the infant's body in the range, but the conductor refused. Then the father sought other means of getting rid of the child. The child was wrapped in a cloth and tossed through a window. The bundle fell near the tracks, while the train continued on its journey."

The mother was removed to a hospital on the arrival of the train in Portland. Officials of the Pullman company and the railroad company have been notified of the deed.

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E. H. INGHAM WOULD GO TO LEGISLATURE

E. H. Ingham has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for representative from Lane county. He will announce his platform within a short time. Mr. Ingham was formerly proprietor of the Ax Billy Department store in this city, and is now president of the Ingham Vinegar Co., with factories in Eugene and Medford.

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