

MISS ANNIE CATRON



CATARRH MADE LIFE A BURDEN TO ME.

MISS ANNIE CATRON, 97 Main St., Cincinnati, Ohio, writes: "I have found Peruna a blessing for a severe case of catarrh of the head and throat which I suffered from for a number of years. I am only too pleased to give it my personal endorsement. "Catarrh, such as I suffered from, made life a burden to me, my breath was offensive, stomach bad, and my head stopped up so that I was usually troubled with a headache, and although I tried many so-called remedies, nothing gave me permanent relief. I was rather discouraged with all medicines when Peruna was suggested to me. "However, I did buy a bottle, and before that was finished there was a marked change in my condition. Much encouraged I kept on until I was completely cured in a month's time, and I find that my general health is also excellent. "People who prefer solid medicine should try Peruna tablets. Each tablet represents one average dose of Peruna. Man-a-lin the Ideal Laxative."

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STEPHEN MERIAU DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

(From Saturday's Daily.) Stephen Meriau, a resident of Eugene and Lane county for 21 years, died this morning at 10:30 at his home on the corner of West Seventh and Washington streets. He had not been well for three years, having suffered from Bright's disease. The deceased was born in Canada on September 28, 1831, and was nearly 79 years old at the time of his death. When he came to Eugene and settled he at once took a prominent place in the life of the community. He was the founder of Meriau's park, now called Bangs' park. Besides his wife he leaves five children, as follows: Mrs. Nettie Ryan, of this city; Mrs. Theodora Churchill, of this city; Mrs. Clara Heyer, of South Dakota; Mrs. Mae Baker, of Salem, and Mrs. Lila Bushnell, of Eugene. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from Day & Henderson's undertaking parlors, Rev. O. C. Wright conducting the ceremony, with interment in I. O. O. F. cemetery.

The Eugene Lumber Company's log drive of about 1,000,000 feet, from Lowell, is now passing Springfield and will be in the boom at the mill here in a few days.

SICK HEADACHE

Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and The Heaviness of the Stomach. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Headache, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Costive Bowels, Pain in the Side. TORPED LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable. SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature. REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

Advertisement for Barker's Good Timber Saw Mill, featuring a large illustration of a saw mill and text describing its location and products like flooring, rustic moulding, sidewalk, shingles, posts, and boxes.

BUILD ROAD TO TALL TIMBER FROM BROWNSVILLE

Albany, Or., July 22.—Final survey of the railroad to be constructed up the Calapooya river from Brownsville will begin next week. Announcement was made of this fact today by Brownsville men in touch with the promoters of the road. Stakes will be set for grading the line, and this work will begin in the immediate future. Piles of ties have already been placed along the course of the road for several miles.

The survey for the line will follow very closely the preliminary survey made some time ago, and the road will be built a distance of ten miles at first, from Brownsville to a point two and a half miles beyond Crawfordville. It will doubtless be extended later, but the line will be completed and in operation for this distance before any additions are made. The new road will connect with the Woodburn-Springfield branch of the Southern Pacific at a point half a mile south of the Brownsville depot and will run through the southern portion of Brownsville, and then will follow a direct line through Crawfordville, running all of the time on the south side of the Calapooya river.

The first ten miles of road must be completed and trains in operation before August 1, 1909, under the terms by which the right-of-way was secured. Deeds for the land through which the railroad will run have been placed in escrow at the time of the Brownsville, to become the property of the railroad company if the line is in operation by that time.

Plans for this new railroad have been discussed for several weeks, but only in the past few days has the definite announcement come that the road is assured. The road has been promoted by J. S. Talbot, of Portland, who successfully promoted the Dallas Falls City road. Talbot made the preliminary survey for the road and will be the active head of the general survey, which will begin Monday. C. H. Warner, a Portland capitalist, is said to be interested in the road, and it is presumed some Brownsville business men are interested in the enterprise. The new line will tap a big timber belt, in which several small sawmills are already located. It will also run through a good stock and dairying country, and will develop one of the richest portions of the county so far as natural resources are concerned.

BUILDER OF FIRST STREET CAR LINE WAS HERE

H. W. Holden, who built Eugene's first street car line, was here several days previous to today at noon, leaving on the northbound train for North Yakima, Wash. Mr. Holden built the line in 1890. It extended from the Southern Pacific depot out Williamette and East Elm street to the city limits. The line was a branch out South Williamette to College Hill. The branch turned off Williamette street west on Seventeenth street and turned south on what is now an extension of Lincoln street. It ended at about Nineteenth street. The motive power for the cars on the line was a number of T-8s which were brought from that state. Wiley Griffin, colored, who is now here working for the paving company, was the regular driver of the cars, although on special occasions, such as commencement and circus days, he had several assistants. There were three or four cars operated on the system, which was anything but a success. The line was discontinued in operation for about six years, although it never paid operating expenses. The cars were taken off and a little later the rails were sold to W. B. Dennis, owner of the Blue Butte quicksilver mines above Cottage Grove, with which to build tramways for the transportation of ore to the furnace. The line of ore was then transferred, were cars. If we remember correctly, were cars. It was the company that then operated the excavations were being made for Eugene's present up-to-date electric car system last summer the workmen encountered many of the ties of the old car tracks. Some were in a good state of preservation, while others were badly rotted.

Holden has been engaged in railroad construction work and in the building of irrigation ditches since leaving Eugene. He is now at North Yakima, Wash. He was here to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. H. H. Stickney.

OVER \$40,000 BEING SPENT ON SCHOOL

President E. C. Sanderson, of the Bible University, is making improvements at his institution this year that will amount to more than \$40,000. Besides the fine new stone building, which will cost in the neighborhood of \$35,000, there is a heating plant on which about \$6,000 will be expended, and improvements in Rehm hall which will amount to \$1,500 or more. Rehm Hall, which was named several weeks ago after a benefactor of the school, Mrs. L. E. Rehm, of Helix, a town in Eastern Oregon, is being turned into an eight-story boarding house, and the chapel in the building will be used, as will one class room. The hall will accommodate about 20 girls. The large stone building is now being prepared for plastering, the outside work being almost completed. The chimney for the heating plant is also being erected.

DAVIES BLOCK SOLD TO C. S. FRANK

(From Thursday's Daily Guard.) The two-story brick building on East Ninth street, occupied by R. W. Newland's department store, was sold today to C. S. Frank, with the provision that the probate court must ratify the deed, as the property is in the name of John Nelson Davies, son of John Davies, his guardian. The purchase price is \$21,000. The description of the property as given in the deed is as follows: "Northwest corner of lot 2 in block 14 in that part of the city of Eugene which was originally donated to Lane county by Charles Mulligan and wife, containing thence east 60 feet, thence south 160 feet, thence west 60 feet, thence north 160 feet to the place of beginning, in the city of Eugene."

MARRIED

At the residence of the bride, 622 Pearl street, Eugene, Wednesday evening, July 22, 1908, Edward G. Swift, of Pleasant Hill, and Miss L. C. Swift, of Pleasant Hill, were united in marriage by Rev. J. S. McCallum officiating. They will reside at Pleasant Hill, where the groom is engaged in farming.

CIRCUS MAY SHOW HERE NEXT MONTH

Barnum & Bailey's circus is working toward the coast, and it is not beyond the realm of possibility that it will show here this summer. Advertising car No. 1 has reached LaGrande and Pendleton, in charge of Harry B. Graham, and as the natural route lies down the coast Eugene, being a line town and a convenient stopping place, will probably be made a show town, as usual.

GERMAN GIRL IS BEHEADED

Frieberg, Saxony, July 22.—Grete Beyer, the 18-year-old daughter of the mayor of Frieberg, was beheaded last night some time between dark and dawn, in punishment for the murder of the man to whom she was engaged to be married. The executioner reached the city last night. He carried a box containing the ax with which he did his work and brought with him also a suit of evening clothes. The wearing of this garb is an official requirement of the executioner. The preparations for the execution at the prison had been completed, and the man did his work quietly and privately, departing as quietly as he came. The king of Saxony had refused a pardon.

D. of H. Elects

The D. of H. Election yesterday resulted as follows: Grand master, Harriet C. Looney, of Salem; chief of H. Sadie P. Moore, of Corvallis; grand C. of C. Ada Kuykendall, of Eugene; grand usher, Morna Hendricks, of McMinnus; grand recorder, Ollie S. Stephens, of Portland; grand receiver, Sarah J. Wagner, of Portland; grand inside watch, May Morehead, of Junction City; grand outside watch, Mae Gevurtz, of Portland; grand representative, Mrs. Hattie McCormack, of Marshfield; Mrs. Sarah Fastabend, of Astoria, and Mrs. Fidelia I. Mann, of Portland.

COMMITTEES APPOINTED

Jurisdiction—A. King, Wilson, Uppchurch lodge No. 126; Ed Weirlein, Industrial lodge No. 8, Portland, and P. A. DeArcy, Protection lodge No. 2, Salem. Finance—A. W. Allen, Uppchurch lodge No. 126, Portland; J. H. Feary, Uppchurch lodge No. 126, Portland, and J. M. Dixon, Fidelity lodge No. 4, Portland. Grand officers—A. S. Pennybaker, Protection lodge No. 2, Salem; W. O. Smith, Linkville lodge No. 10, Klamath Falls; F. L. Coran, Josephine lodge No. 112, Grants Pass. Arbitration—C. H. Stockton, Seaside lodge No. 12, Astoria; Joe Anderson, Eureka lodge No. 125, Portland, and P. F. Olds, Lafayette lodge No. 31, Lafayette.

CONFESSES TO MURDER OF HIS AUNT

New York, July 23.—August Eberhard, a nephew of Ottilie Eberhard, the Austrian woman who was shot to death Saturday evening at Eugene, Ore., has confessed to the murder of his aunt. He was arrested today at Astoria, N. J. He was found lying on a lawn in front of a farm house suffering from a wound which the police believe he received at the time the woman was shot. It is reported that he admitted his identity. The police are endeavoring to get a statement.

HACKENSACK, JULY 23.—AUGUST EBERHARD HAS CONFESSED THAT HE MURDERED HIS AUNT, OTTILIE EBERHARD.

This afternoon he took the police to the place in Little Falls where he had buried under a tree the \$2500 which he took from his aunt's body.

HORSE DIED OF PNEUMONIA, AND NOT OF GLANDERS

To the Public:—Considerable anxiety having been caused to horse owners by the statement of Dr. Hopkins of this city that a horse owned by Seavey Brothers and working in the Thornsbury hop yard, under circumstances that could excite many other farmers, was afflicted with the glanders, we deem it our duty to say to the public that the horse in question was not afflicted with the glanders but had acute pneumonia. We have had an autopsy on the carcass of this horse and know beyond question that such was the case. Hopkings, who had examined the horse, stated that this horse came in contact with this one while sick. We further say that the statement of Dr. Hopkins that he has a preventative for horses exposed to glanders is erroneous. There is no such preventative. Glanders when really existing

A. O. U. W. GRAND LODGE ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

Exceedingly lively debates characterized the meeting of the A. O. U. W. this morning, says yesterday's Journal. The various modifications and changes in the constitution that have been proposed during the present convention came up for discussion. Voices of delegates could be plainly heard all over the building during the heated moments of the morning's session, but when the executive session was over at 1 o'clock this afternoon all the delegates insisted that there had been no serious disagreement.

Change Constitution

The important change that has been made in the constitution is one concerning the reinstatement of members who have dropped out of the order. By the rule adopted today, after some excited discussion, the society will pay out of its funds assessments on memberships for a certain number of years. For instance, a man may voluntarily pay his dues for three, four or five years, as the case may be, and the lodge of which he is a member will continue paying his dues until he is finally dropped.

A. O. U. W. Elects

The A. O. U. W. officers elected yesterday afternoon are as follows: Grand master, Philip Gevurtz, Industrial lodge No. 8, Portland; grand foreman, George T. Baldwin, Linkville lodge No. 110, Klamath Falls; grand overseer, Harry McClellan, Roseburg lodge No. 16, Roseburg; grand recorder, C. M. Steadman, Fidelity lodge No. 4, Portland; grand receiver, R. L. Durham, Hope lodge No. 1, Portland; grand guide, Sam Roake, Falls City lodge No. 59, Oregon City; grand inside watchman, Lester White, Cascade lodge No. 94, Detroit; grand outside watchman, Chas. C. Baird, Baker City lodge No. 100, Baker City; grand representative, W. J. Clark, Fraternity lodge No. 9, Gervais; Newton Clark, Riverside lodge No. 68, Hood River; I. Berchold, Friendship lodge No. 14, Corvallis.

HARRIMAN ABOUT TO COME FOR HIS HUNT

C. T. Day, the chief electrician for the Southern Pacific, arrived at Klamath Falls last night to look after the telegraph line between Pellissier Bay and the main line of the railroad, says the Herald. Mr. Day is spending the day going over the line and will leave for his home in San Francisco as soon as he completes his work. He, however, states that he will be back here next Tuesday, which may be taken as a sure indication that the Harriman party will be here by that time.

Mr. Day states that he has no positive information as to when Mr. Harriman will arrive here, but it is generally understood that when Mr. Day shows up at a certain place it is a general indication that the railroad magnate will soon be along.

Another thing that is conclusive evidence that the party will soon be here is that at Fort Klamath and at the Harriman resort all arrangements are being made for hunting trips and excursions. Horses are on the ground and bear dogs are in readiness for the chase. The large touring car is being held for the party and will go to the terminus of the railroad to meet the distinguished visitors. It is not known how large the party will be, but it is reported that Mr. Harriman will be accompanied by quite a number of Eastern friends.

MISS LYLITH MOORE, WHO FORMERLY HELD A POSITION WITH THE LOCAL TELEPHONE OFFICE AS TELEGRAPH OPERATOR, HAS RESIGNED A SIMILAR POSITION AT ROSEBURG TO TAKE UP HER WORK IN DRAMATIC ART.

The young lady is in the northern part of Douglas county this week filling a number of engagements. Upon her return to Roseburg she will leave shortly for Newport to enjoy several weeks' vacation, after which she will devote her entire time to her chosen profession, of which she has made such a pronounced success.

JUDGE HARRIS TODAY GRANTED A DIVORCE TO EDNA N. GARNER FROM BURTON GARDNER, ON THE GROUND OF CRUEL AND INHUMAN TREATMENT. THEY WERE MARRIED IN BENTON COUNTY JANUARY 4, 1903, AND HAVE ONE MINOR CHILD, LYNDEN JAY, AGED 4 YEARS, WHOSE CUSTODY Mrs. Gardner is granted by the court.

FRANK HAYWARD, AN EMPLOYEE AT SPAULDING'S LOGGING CAMP UP THE McKENZIE, WAS BROUGHT TO THE EUGENE HOSPITAL YESTERDAY AFTERNOON SUFFERING FROM TYPHOID FEVER.

Rev. Virgil Johnson, formerly of Eugene, now of Nashua, N. H., is to be married in that city on August 4, 1908, to Miss Marian L. Bolster, daughter of Rev. William Bolster, of that city.

GRASSHOPPERS IN LANE COUNTY FIELDS ARE STILL SMALL, THEIR DEVELOPMENT BEING LATER THAN USUAL, OWING TO THE COLD WEATHER. IN EASTERN OREGON THE INSECT BECOMES A REAL PEST, BUT HERE LITTLE COMPLAINT IS MADE AGAINST THE LOCUST.

There was considerable complaint today by the Lawrence men on West Eighth street west of Olive on account of the water being shut off without warning. It was shut off on account of the putting in of the new water on Olive street across West Eighth.

IS AN INCURABLE DISEASE. IT IS COMMUNICATED BY INOCULATION ONLY, AND AN ANIMAL ONCE INOCULATED CAN NOT BE SAVED. ANY MONEY PAID FOR AN ALLEGED PREVENTATIVE IS THROWN AWAY. THERE IS BUT ONE RECOGNIZED METHOD OF TREATING GLANDERS, VIZ: IMMEDIATE QUARANTINE OF SUSPECTED CASES AND THE KILLING OF ANIMALS DEFINITELY KNOWN TO HAVE THE DISEASE.

W. H. LITTLE, D. V. M. J. CHURCHIE, Dep. State Veterinarian.

KILLED BY TRAIN AT WOODBURN

Woodburn, Or., July 23.—A man believed to be Frank C. Mars, a laborer from Hot Lake, was killed by a southbound Southern Pacific train early this morning in the outskirts of the city.

RURAL FREE MAIL DELIVERY GROWING

The daily report of the Division of Rural Delivery, just made public by the fourth assistant postmaster-general, shows that from 57,464 petitions referred, 15,943 adverse routes established, 600 of which have from time to time been discontinued, leaving in operation 39,329 routes. Of this number 28,668 render daily service and 661 tri-weekly service. The 39,329 routes were being served by 39,195 carriers. On many tri-weekly routes one carrier renders the service, by alternating the trips, thus earning the same pay he would receive if securing a daily delivery of equivalent mileage.

After deducting assignments for establishment of rural routes on August and September 1, there will remain for action nearly 1500 petitions, which department officials say will be disposed of as rapidly as possible.

It was recently indicated that the exigencies of the rural service would require carriers this year to complete their leaves of absence by November 1, but Assistant Postmaster-General Degraw is authority for the statement that no change is now contemplated in the standing rule under which carriers after 12 months' service are entitled to 15 days' leave of absence with pay, "to be taken at any time during the year, when postmasters can best spare them," which rule, Mr. DeGraw added, is essential to a good administration, as it enables carriers on difficult routes to obtain relief during periods of intense weather—hot or cold—thus enabling recuperation at times when it is desirable, and in many cases quite necessary from the viewpoint of health.

AT QUESTIONS SUCH AS ARE NECESSARY TO TAKE THE ACTION TO THE SUPREME COURT.

Chicago, July 23.—United States District Attorney Sims today announced positively that a petition for a re-hearing in the case of the government against the Standard Oil Company of Indiana would be filed. Sims has received the following from Secretary Bonaparte: "I feel that you and your associates have done everything possible to protect the interests of the government and promote justice. I will write fully as soon as the opinion comes to hand."

LIGHTNING KILLS MEN IN NATIONAL GUARD CAMP

Gettysburg, July 24.—An all-night search throughout Camp Hayes, where the National Guard has been encamped for a week, and which last night was visited by a terrific electrical and wind storm, shows that three soldiers were struck dead by lightning and nearly half a hundred other persons injured. It was probably the wildest night which that historic battlefield has experienced since July, 1863. The dead were members of the Second Brigade, composed of regiments from the Western part of the state. The cots of the hospital tents are filled with injured, some of whom are women and children who had been visiting the camp.

GENERAL'S TENT WRECKED

The tent occupied by Governor Stuart was blown down, as were a number of others. Several friends were sitting with Governor Stuart when his tent collapsed, but the party managed to hold the canvas and all escaped injury.

THE CAMP IS FLOODED AND TELEGRAPHIC SERVICE IS PRACTICALLY CUT OFF. THE ENTIRE CAMP IS PANIC-STRIKEN. THE DARKNESS WAS IMPENETRABLE AND THE MEN RAN WILDLY ABOUT THROUGH RIVERS OF WATER SEEKING THE INJURED.

Every tent in Battery B was blown down, but no one in the battery was hurt. The regiment guard tent of the Tenth regiment was struck by lightning and 40 men of Company C were badly injured.

FIELD HOSPITAL FULL

The field hospital is full and men are lying about the camp on the ground waiting for aid. The Young Men's Christian Association tent, which was filled with women and children who had taken refuge there during the storm, was razed, but so far as known no one was seriously injured. The colonel of the Tenth regiment has turned his quarters into a hospital.

JEFFRIES WILL BE ALONG THIS SEASON

"Jim Jeffries, himself, as well as his party, will visit Eugene about September 1, on their way to their hunting camp up the McKenzie," said Alf Walker this morning. In the party will be eight or nine people, all of whom, from the information at hand, live in Los Angeles but one, and that person hailing from New York.

While Walker, who has always managed the trip, has not received any letter for a month, he is certain that the fine trip is certain again this year, and that the champion will be along, too. It is also thought that there will be no women, the trip being strictly a stag jaunt.

BOMB EXPLODED AT GOVERNOR'S SPEECH MEETING

Chicago, July 23.—A bomb which exploded in a tent in which Governor Dineen was addressing a political gathering at Garfield Boulevard and Princeton avenue last night. Women in the audience screamed and a number fainted. Men and women rushed for the tent doors and the governor and others tried to stop the panic. When it was seen that no damage had been done the excitement subsided. It is thought the perpetrators sought to take advantage of the excitement to rob the people in the audience. The police made a number of arrests, but later released those arrested for lack of evidence.

AMERICANS CONTINUE TO WIN HONORS

London, July 23.—In the final catch-as-catch-can wrestling at the Olympic meet O'Reilly, of the United Kingdom, who defeated Gundersen, of Norway, won.

SMITHSON WON HIS HEAT IN FAST TIME

London, July 23.—Forest Smithson, of the Multnomah A. C., of Portland, Oregon, won his heat in the 100-yard hurdles in 14 4-5 seconds.

CONSTABLE PLANK HAS RETURNED FROM LAKE CREEK, WHERE HE WENT TO ARREST FINEAN WATERHOUSE ON THE CHARGE OF ASSAULT AND BATTERY. HE MADE THE ARREST AND BROUGHT THE MAN 14 MILES ON THE WAY TO EUGENE, WHEN HIS UNCLE DEPOSITED \$50 WITH THE CONSTABLE AS BAIL TO INSURE HIS APPEARANCE IN EUGENE SOME TIME NEXT WEEK FOR TRIAL. THE CONSTABLE GAVE HIM A RECEIPT FOR THE MONEY AND WATERHOUSE WAS RELEASED.

The Southern Pacific put in force this week a new tariff providing for the reduction of the minimum weight to 20,000 pounds for cherries, plums, apricots, pears and other fresh fruits, in place of the former minimum of 24,000 pounds. The same tariff has been in force on the O. R. & N. The new arrangement was made by special permission of the railroad commission, and will remain in force until December 31, 1908.

MAX ZIMMERMAN WAS TO HAVE A MARKET DAY AT MEDFORD ON AUGUST 1, BUT IT HAS BEEN POSTPONED FOR TWO OR THREE WEEKS ON ACCOUNT OF SO MANY PEOPLE BEING OUT OF TOWN AND ON ACCOUNT OF OTHER ATTENDANCES.

A. E. Traylor, who resides seven miles west of the city, fell from his horse one day this week and broke his thigh bone. Dr. DeBar attended the injury.

FLYER MATCH, COUNCILMAN GEORGE MAYER, HON. ALLEN KATON AND ENGINEER F. C. KELSEY LEFT THIS AFTERNOON FOR FITCH CREEK, FROM WHICH STREAM IT IS PROPOSED TO OBTAIN THE WATER SUPPLY FOR THE NEW GRAVITY SYSTEM. THEY WILL RETURN TOMORROW.

CASE WILL NOT BE RE-TRIED BEFORE LANDIS

New York, July 23.—It was learned today from sources identified with the Standard Oil Company that the \$29,245,000 case will not likely go to the supreme court of the United States. Nor is it believed that the case will be retried before Judge Landis, as the Standard Oil Company will protest against it and ask that some other judge sit. The issues involve no constitutional questions.

AT HIS HOME IN EUGENE JULY 23, 1908, AT 7 P. M., JOHN M. ROBERTS, OF OLD AGE. HE WAS BORN NOVEMBER 19, 1824. THE FUNERAL WILL BE HELD SATURDAY AT 10 A. M. WITH INTERMENT IN THE I. O. O. F. CEMETERY. REV. H. N. MOUNT WILL CONDUCT THE SERVICES AT THE HOUSE. THE DECEASED LEAVES FOUR CHILDREN, AS FOLLOWS: CHARLES ROBERTS, OF LOS GATOS, CAL.; GEORGE ROBERTS, OF EUGENE, AND MRS. JAMES VANDENBURG AND MRS. ISAAC JONES, BOTH OF COTTAGE GROVE. HE CAME TO OREGON 30 YEARS AGO AND WAS A RESIDENT OF EUGENE FOR THE PAST 16 OR 18 YEARS.

MARRIED

At Walthamville, July 22, 1908, John W. Holmes and Miss Dora May Irvin. They came to Eugene and went to Newport on a honeymoon trip.

RHODES SAYS HIGH SCHOOL MORALS BAD

Albany, July 23.—That the high school offers the chief problem to those engaged in Christian work regarding boys, was the thought advanced in the summer Bible school here today by I. B. Rhodes, of Portland, secretary of the Oregon-Iaho Interstate Y. M. C. A. He pictured startling conditions from the viewpoint of a Christian worker in the present day high schools, and said the boys in the high school need Christian influence more than any others.

That the present conditions are due in large measure to the fact that high schools are "open" university students, was the opinion of Secretary Rhodes. High school fraternities received a denunciation at the hands of the speaker. Commencement festivities, continuing a whole week, with Junior prom, Senior dancing party, etc., were also listed as having a demoralizing effect.

Unclean athletics, with attendant immorality, were also mentioned by the speaker as a condition to be reformed. With a motto of "anything to win" the students take dishonest methods, he said, and are brought in touch with undesirable influences. He said investigations had revealed immoral conditions existing in many high schools that were starting.

KILLS HIS SWEETHEART THEN HANGS HIMSELF

Pendleton, Or., July 23.—Elsie Kennison, aged 18, was killed by her sweetheart, B. E. Stoffie, at her home in Echo town. Stoffie is being pursued by a posse.

There were no witnesses to the tragedy. He shot her in the mouth with a revolver and was seen to run from the house by an eight-year-old girl. Excitement is intense and lynching is talked of if he is not killed in a fight with the posse.

Later—Word was received from a friend that Stoffie had doubled back on his tracks to the scene of the murder and hanged himself on the premises.

Mrs. M. A. Withrow and Mrs. Geo. Wright left Eugene Tuesday for a trip to Yellowstone Park. Upon their arrival at Portland they were met by Fred Withrow, and immediately afterward he was taken suddenly ill at the union depot. Physicians were summoned and he was taken to the Good Samaritan hospital. The physicians state that he has a serious attack of pneumonia. Mrs. Withrow and Mrs. Wright will remain at Portland until Fred recovers, before they continue their journey. Fred is reported some better yesterday, and it is hoped he will continue to improve.

Constable Plank has returned from Lake Creek, where he went to arrest Fimean Waterhouse on the charge of assault and battery. He made the arrest and brought the man 14 miles on the way to Eugene, when his uncle deposited \$50 with the constable as bail to insure his appearance in Eugene some time next week for trial. The constable gave him a receipt for the money and Waterhouse was released.