KILLED IN FIGHT WITH COUGAR

John R. Goldson Accidentally Shot Through the Chest

Was Clubbing Wounded and Infuriated Animal With Butt of Rifle When Cartridge Exploded, Killing Him

John R. Goldson, residing at Goldson postoffice, 15 miles west of Junction and about 25 miles northwest of Eugene, was accidentally killed by a shot from his own rifle during a desperate encounter with a wounded cougar in the mountains five miles west of Goldson Sunday about noon.

Goldson, in company with ten other men, including Charles Bennett, Joseph Hyde and two of his brothers, was out hunting. He became separated from the others and some time afterward they heard several shots in rapid succession, the sound coming from the direction which Goldson had taken. They then heard him calling for help. They started toward him and soon heard another shot, then all was still.

FOUND HIM DEAD.

In a few minutes the men came upon Goldson's prostrate form with a bullet hole through his chest. He was dead.

A rustling of limbs in a nearby tree revealed the presence of a huge cougar and the animal was dispatched by a well-directed shot from the rifle of one of the men. Several bullet holes were found in its body, Goldson's aim being good, but not good enough to strike a vital spot.

A DESPERATE STRUGGLE.

The dead man's rifle was found lying by his side and the butt of the piece showed marks of the cougar's teeth, indicating that a desperate struggle had ensued between man and beast. The leaves on the ground were also torn up and scattered about as further evidence of the conflict. It is not known how the man was shot, but it is supposed that the animal, infuriated by it wounds, attacked him and thinking the ammunition in the magazine of the rifle had been exhausted, he used the gun as a club for protection and the remaining cartridge was exploded, the bullet entering his body.

The dead man's companions carried the body to his home, and his wife, whom he left early in the morning with no thought of danger, was almost prostrated with grief.

Mr. Goldson was aged about 40 years and besides his wife leaves a child a little over a year old. He was engaged in the sawmill business with his father and brothers at Goldson, and was well known in Eugene and about the county. He was a member of the Woodmen of the World camp at Junction, carrying insurance in the order.

The funeral will be held tomorrow at one p. m. at Smithfield.

Lawn Sterilized Fertilizer

If you wish your lawn a beautiful green, luxurious growth, free of weeds, at one half the cost you have been spending, get J. F. Schofield's lawn dressing. Leave orders at White's grocery, Fifth and Willamette streets, or drop a postal or letter to F. J. Schofield, Eugene, and your wants will be attended to. In 5 and 10 pound packages.

PLENTY OF LOGS IN THE SIUSLAW

First Freshet in Two Years Brought Logs Down From Upper River

The heavy rain this week raised the streams enough to bring down a large quantity of logs from the upper Siuslaw river and its branches.

The logs began to come into tidewater Tuesday night and came in large numbers for several days. Thursday morning the boom at Point Terrace was reported full and those brought down later were allowed to go on to the boom at Acme.

There were about 12,000,000 feet in the river and creeks above tidewater, and it is estimated about 4,000,000 feet of these were caught at Point Terrace and the rest are secure in the Island boom opposite Acme.

The loggers are happy at getting their logs out, and the mill men are pleased as they are sure of plenty of timber for next season's work. This is the first freshet in two years that has been large enough to bring down many logs from the upper river and tributaries.—Florence West.

SMITH-HENLINE MARRIAGE

The marriage of Miss Leona A. Henline to Nathan C. Smith was solemnized at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Hortense Henline, on West Eight street, Saturday evening, Rev. H. N. Mount, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiating.

Guests to the number of about 20, including the immediate relatives and only a few friends were present. The bride wore a veile over white taffeta silk and carried a boquet of white carnations. Miss Rena Hyland, who was bridesmaid, carried pink carnations. Claude Gaby was best man. The usual wedding luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith are both very popular among their associates and start out in the wedded state with bright prospects in life. The groom is employed in the Bon Marche store.

The neatest little resort in Eugene, the new "Club" saloon.

Cockerline & Wetherbee's CLEARANCE SALE.

Ten Days More of Our Big January Sale!

Furnishing Goods Department.

See the shirt we are selling for **90c**

Don't pay others $1 and $1.25 for what you can get of us for 90c.

Ladies' and Children's Hosiery.

You will find the best Hose in the market in our Hosiery Department.

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No shoddy goods. These prices are on serviceable merchandise.

Our $10 suit for **$7.50**
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Hats for All.

No old hats to work off but new, up-to-date styles.

The best $3 hat on the market for..... **$2.50**

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

Advance Shipment of New Spring Dress Goods

Now here and open for inspection. All the newest swell suitings such as check wool Taffeta, Fancy Melange, fancy English suitings, tropical suitings, shepherd plaids.

Just the proper thing for spring suits. New spring shades. All the newest effects. You are invited to call and see them.

Cockerline & Wetherbee.

PLENTY OF MONEY FOR NEW LINE

Electric Railway People Have Hundreds of Millions

Willamette Valley Traction Company Backed by Moffatt & White, Bankers, of New York City

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 20.—The Oregonian is authorized to state the Portland-Salem Electric Railway syndicate (the Willamette Valley Traction Co.) has completed all financial arrangements and is supplied with large funds to push the road. Moffatt & White, bankers, of New York, have formed this syndicate, which is composed of men of undoubted strength.

Their aggregate wealth runs into hundreds of millions of dollars. Moffatt & White, well known members of the New York Stock Exchange, of large means, are interested in a variety of enterprises, including the development of the Washington power properties in Spokane.

The new Salem road will be about 0 miles long, will have 70-pound rails, and be constructed in the best possible manner to carry heavy freight and passenger trains at high speed. The bridge over the Willamette river will be a heavy steel structure of the standard required to carry 100-ton locomotives. Construction of the road will be entirely in charge of Barstow & Chambers, engineers, of Portland and New York.

AWAITS PORTLAND FRANCHISE.

An arrangement has been made with the Portland General Electric Company to supply power to operate the railroad. As soon as a franchise in Portland is secured construction will begin from both ends of the line and be pushed as rapidly as possible. As all the money has been raised, the managers of the syndicate will await a satisfactory franchise in Portland to push work vigorously. It is not considered advisable to construct the whole property until the franchise matter in Portland is settled satisfactorily. A new company will be incorporated in Oregon, but a name has not been selected yet.

TO SALEM IN AN HOUR AND A HALF.

Provision has been made to build extensions and branches from time to time, as business may require. No expense is to be spared to make the line a first-class electric road in all respects, and it is intended that regular trains shall make the trip between Portland and Salem in two hours, and it is hoped that through trains will make the trip in one hour and a half.—Oregonian.

L. T. L. No. 2 ORGANIZED

At the call of Superintendent H. W. Hall a number of citizens of East Eugene met at the Fairmount church Sunday and organized the senior order of the Loyal Temperance Legion No. 2 with a membership of 19. Rev. C. A. Wooley was elected president, with L. Liggett first vice president. Other officers were elected and committees appointed. The time of regular meetings will be announced later. All interested are cordially invited to attend.

A Correction

Mr. Mulkey will take possession of the Underwood residence for a lodging and boarding house the first of February instead of a month later, as incorrectly stated by the Guard.

Quality in Drugs

This store caters to people who appreciate high quality in drugs and drug store service. Our prices are always as reasonable as possible, consistent with the kind of goods and service furnished.

Hull's Red Cross Drug Store.

Fresh fruits and vegetables always to be had at the Fountain Grocery.

Hazelwood tamales have the true Mexican flavor. Only ten cents Friday.

Steam cleaning and pressing done right at City Dye Works, West Eighth street, next door to Eugene Laundry.

NO MORE TRIPS TO CALIFORNIA

University of Oregon Football Team Will Play Only in Northwest

The athletic council of the university adopted a resolution at its meeting Saturday prohibiting managers of the various teams from arranging games or contests that require an absence of more than three days from recitation work. Heretofore the annual football trip to California has occupied about ten days, but no such prolonged absences from college work will be permitted in the future. The athletic council is opposed to the prolonged trip to California, and it is quite possible that the trip will not be taken, if even for a single game with Berkeley or Stanford. There is a general feeling among the students that athletic relations should be established and maintained with the University of Idaho, and it is quite likely that Oregon will meet Coach Griffith's eleven at Moscow next season. There is also a possibility of a game on Multnomah Field between Oregon and Stanford.

The matter of the recommendation of a football coach was left to a committee consisting of President P. L. Campbell, Manager Guy Mount and Captain William G. Chandler.

A Public Acknowledgement

I desire to inform the public that Frank E. Edmiston, who unintentionally shot me while we were hunting together, has paid all my obligations during my recent illness and has been kind to me in other ways. I take this means of expressing my sincere thanks to him and others for their kind assistance.

Eugene, Jan. 22, 1906.

LEE HOSELTON.

Business Briefs

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Sweet Pea seed in bulk.
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Finest liquors at Mayhew and Ware's.

Don't let your face grow old, sallow, hollow and wrinkled. If you care at all for beauty, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, tea or tablets. Linn Drug Co.

Hot tamales, boneless chicken tamales at the Smeede Grill.

Lost—A treat when you miss the French table d'hote dinner at the Palms next Sunday.

There are a few boxes left at The Palms for the big dance January 20. Come now if you want one.

Fritz's tamales at Otto's.

I am overstocked with music rolls and bags, and will give you 25 per cent off till stock is reduced. I have a fine line. Come and see. F. A. Rankin.

The French table d'hote at the Palms is only 50 cents. Come in next Sunday.

It's an easy thing to say,
And say it good and strong,
And say it pretty frequent,
Push Rocky Mountain Tea along.
Linn Drug Co.

You don't know what you are missing when you miss the French table d'hote dinner to be given at the Palms.

1000 lbs. onion sets just received.
Chambers' Hardware.

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Wood, wood, wood. At Eugene Transfer Co.

Success is stamped on every package. It is the most successful remedy known. It makes you well and keeps you well. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35 cents, Tea or tablets. Linn Drug Co.

For those wishing the best, C. L. Winter is in charge of the Winter Photo Co. Studio, and guarantees results. Chambers Block. 'Phone Red 1331.

With the services of their new cook The Palms is making a specialty of dinner. Try them and be convinced.

Rubbers!

Child's Rubbers - - 30c
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Also have the Boston Rubber Shoe Co.'s Rubbers, and guarantee them to be the best rubbers made.
Prices lower than anyone.

YORAN'S SHOE STORE
The Store That Sells GOOD SHOES.

Teachers' Examinations

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Lane county will hold the regular examination of applicants for state and county papers in the courthouse in Eugene as follows:

FOR STATE PAPERS.

Commencing Wednesday, February 14, at nine o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, February 17, at four o'clock p. m.

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, spelling, algebra, reading, school law.

Thursday—Writing, arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, bookkeeping, physics, civil government.

Friday—Physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition, physical geography.

Saturday Botany, plane geometry, general history, English literature, psychology.

FOR COUNTY PAPERS.

Commencing Wednesday, February 14, at nine o'clock a. m., and continuing until Friday, February 17, at four o'clock, p. m.

First, second and third grade certificates:

Wednesday—Penmanship, history orthography, reading.

Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, physiology.

Friday—Geography, mental arithmetic, school law, civil government.

PRIMARY CERTIFICATES.

Wednesday — Penmanship, orthography, arithmetic, reading.

Thursday—Art of questioning, theory of teaching, physiology.

W. F. DILLARD,
County Supt.

NEW
Bijou Theatre.
MAYO EVANS, Manager.

Program Changes Monday and Thursday.
HIGH-CLASS VAUDEVILLE

THE LEMONTS, Musical Artists.
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Whose fame and name as an original speaker, evangelist and man has caused such widespread talk and criticism.

Citizens' Entertainment Course.

Subscribers please take notice that the date has been changed from the original date to January 27.

Admission 50c and $1.00.

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