

SITY OF OREGON WON MILE RELAY RACE FROM O. A. C. THIS AFTERNOON

of Oregon runners relay race from the Kincaid field this time of 24 minutes. At the finish the half a lap in the runner. out in the lead throughout the race. was composed of Reynolds, Downs, and Riddell. O. were as follows: Brown, McLaughlin

July, \$1.05 1-2; September, 98 7-8; December, 99 5-8.

PROBABLY FAIR TOMORROW'S FORECAST

Oregon—Probably fair tonight; light frost and westerly winds. Washington—Probably fair tonight and Sunday except showers near the coast; light frost in interior; westerly winds. Idaho—Fair tonight and Sunday; light frost tonight.

Marshfield has had a census taken in order to show that the population of the town is above 5,000, the limit required for the organization of an Elks' lodge. The total returns show the population to be 5,068.

J. W. Kerr, a recent arrival from Texas, will soon open a meat market in Fairmount and has contracted with James Randle to erect him a building 18x36 feet just east of the knife factory.

TAFT'S CABINET WILL BE SENT ON LONG TRIPS

Personal Inspection Will Be the Rule to Govern Actions

Washington, March 13.—If President Taft's desires are carried out his advisers will soon become known as the "travelling cabinet." Experience has taught the new chief executive that first hand information is best, and he will have each of the heads of the various departments make frequent tours of inspection. Secretary of War Dickinson will make an early visit to Panama to inspect the canal. Secretary of the Interior Ballinger will go to Alaska to investigate conditions in that territory. Secretary of the Navy Meyer will probably visit the various navy yards of the country to acquaint himself with the local conditions. Secretary of Agriculture Wilson will visit the various state experiment stations this summer, also inspecting the various packing houses in the West.

Miss Blanche Whittaker returned this afternoon from a visit in the mountains west of Junction.

FINAL STRUGGLE TO COME TONIGHT OVER HOUSE RULES

Regulars and Insurgents Are Busy Rallying Full Forces

Washington, March 13.—Both houses, Republicans and Democrats, are looking forward to the Republican caucus of house members tonight as a climax to the fight against the adoption of rules for the sixtieth congress. The insurgents are counseling among themselves today as to what course to pursue in regard to the caucus, and the regulars are endeavoring to convince every member of the necessity of standing by the party's action in the caucus. The Democrats are sending final appeals to all their members to be present at their caucus Monday.

The laying of the stone foundation for F. E. Chambers' new block on Olive street was begun today. The excavation will be finished sometime Monday and after that is completed Carson Matthews will transfer his force of men and teams to the Roney lot at Fifth and Willamette streets where a two-story brick will be erected.

BLACK HANDS OF ITALY KILL OFFICER WHO HAD BECOME THEIR TERROR IN NEW YORK

New York, March 13.—A special Cable Dispatch to the Herald from Palermo says that Lieutenant Joseph Petrosini, of the New York police department, was shot and killed early this evening near his hotel. The assassins are unknown.

Petrosini had come here on an important mission, which had for its object the protection of the peaceful Italians of America.

PETROSINI WAS "BLACK HAND" EXPERT

New York, March 13.—Petrosini was a "Black Hand" expert of the New York police department. He had incurred the enmity of all Italian crooks and said to have had more convictions for murder to his credit than any other detective on the force. Therefore it is believed that he at last fell a victim to those whom he had so relentlessly prosecuted. He went to Italy to establish bureaus through which he was to be prepared to keep complete records of Italian and Sicilian criminals for the purpose of preventing their landing in this country.

POLICE WILL BE REVENGED

A relentless warfare will be waged against the Black Hand society by the police of this and, it is hoped, other cities, as a result of the murder of Petrosini.

UNCLE SAM AND PRESIDENT DIAZ WILL INTERVENE

Negotiations Looking Toward End of Central American War

Washington, March 13.—The possibility of the joint intervention of America and Mexico in the interest of peace in Central America is believed now to be under serious consideration. The question at issue is the exact extent of obligations imposed on the two larger republics under the terms of the last Central American peace compact, at which the five republics agreed to submit any quarrel between themselves to arbitration. It will be under this stipulation that intervention will be based.

Would Embroil Costa Rica

Mexico City, March 13.—It is reported here on unimpeachable evidence that President Zelaya, of Nicaragua, is endeavoring to embroil Costa Rica in the present Central American difficulty. To that end, it is said, he is to have built a number of forts and stockades along the border to which he has shipped large stores of ammunition.

President Zelaya's troops are now occupying strategic points along the San Juan river and lake shore at Fuerte and Naraja. His motives are incomprehensible unless he hopes to force a federation of the five republics.

Washington, March 13.—Just what action the United States will take in curbing the action of President Zelaya depends largely upon the reply of Mexico to the dispatch of last night of Ambassador Labarra, following his visit to the state department. This is expected today.

The navy department is co-operating with the secretary of state and is prepared to send marines to Nicaragua on short notice. There are 500 marines at Panama and 200 at Guantanamo, Cuba, and these, it is believed, will meet the necessities of the case. Several naval transports are available for immediate service in conveying marines to Central America, and it is understood they have received orders to be in readiness to get under way promptly.

Both Presidents Deny

New York, March 13.—The presidents of both Nicaragua and Salvador deny there has been any outbreak of hostilities between the two countries. Messages of inquiry were addressed today by the associated press to President Zelaya, president of Nicaragua, and General Figuerera, president of Salvador, concerning the report of warlike activity between the two republics, and the following replies were received:

"Managua, March 13.—The reports of war between Nicaragua and Salvador are without foundation. Peace reigns in Nicaragua.—Zenara.

"San Salvador, March 13.—There is no truth in the report that war has broken out between Nicaragua and Salvador.—Figuerera."

Gambut on the Way

Norfolk, Va., March 13.—The gunboat Marietta, with a full supply of stores and ammunition, passed out of the Virginia Capes last night, bound for Guantanamo bay, and is proceeding down the coast.

LESS ENGLISH REQUIRED TO ENTER UNIVERSITY

Only Three Years Now Necessary, Instead of Four

Only three years of English will be required for entrance at the University in the future, reducing the total of required high school work for entrance to nine and one-half units of years of class work. The total before this change, and the reduction in language requirement was thirteen, though the total of units to enter the University is still fifteen hours.

This action was taken by the University faculty after an investigation was made, with the result that it was found that the University of Oregon had a greater number of required courses for entrance conditions than other state universities.

VERDICT OF JURY IN COOPER-SHARPE CASE IS DELAYED

Nashville, March 13.—Judge Hart announced today that he could not complete his charge to the jury in the Cooper-Sharpe case before Monday afternoon. This delay is due to the failure of the attorneys on both sides to submit their instructions.

Consequently there will be no verdict before Monday night or Tuesday.

In 1908 eight years 1900-1908, Philippine purchases of American boots and shoes rose from \$310 in value to \$335,929, out of a total of \$149,356 and \$451,427. Such imports from other countries decreased.

Men's Clothing With Character and Extraordinary Value



This is the kind of clothing you can always find here. It is not the kind that looks well when it leaves the store and soon gets "tacky," but the kind that will look shapely and stylish throughout the entire season's wear. We never have been so well prepared to meet the immense demand for our special makes of clothing as now. We just have about everything new and more coming all the time. With the new oak wardrobes, which keep every particle of dust from the goods, every suit hangs independent of the others; and when shown it looks as shapely and as well as when it left the hands of the tailor. This is the home of the famous clothing made by Hart, Shaffner & Marx, absolutely all wool.

Our Suits Range in Price from \$6.50 up to the kind at \$15.00 to \$30.00

Men's Department is Teeming With New Wearables

Every day we are adding something new to the already large something "snappy" in the way of new ties, new shirts, new by the way, just ask to see the belt with the new buckle; it is a marvel of convenience. 50c and 75c

Light Weight Underwear

These bright, warm days remind you that your underwear is heavy? We have the largest stock of these goods that ever had our store; just about everything desirable and at the right Separate garments, each, 25c to \$1.25; Union Suits, 50c to \$1.50

Men's Clothing to the Hard Working Men

It's the kind the active boy and the kind the paragon like to buy—something "looking, yet serviceable." When you buy get Mrs. Hopkins brand; they are "boy proof" kind; the \$2.50 to \$7.50

Shirts for the Boy

Have a big line of caps 25c and 50c. Then the dressy headgear, all the shades for spring and each, 50c to \$1.50

New Spring Garments, Wholesome as Well as Beautiful

An opportunity will be missed if you do not visit our suit department of seeing the largest and best selected stock of Women's Suits that Eugene has ever possessed. Critics have pronounced our stock far ahead of any in our city. Quality, style, color, beauty in every garment. The work being done by expert tailors, it makes them shapely; look trim and smart through two seasons' wear.

The prices are decidedly less than you would naturally expect. Every button, every seam, trimmings, linings, contain style rarely seen. The price range is from \$18 to \$45

Dresses For The Home

Decidedly French looking models designed to make the figure look tall and slender; all in one piece. A woman can dress in a minute—nothing to adjust; they are all ready. Each, \$10.00 to \$19.00

Messaline Dresses Will Bring Joy

Charming colors, green, tan, and the biscuit and brown style; faultless fit; as good as skill can make them; finish perfect to the smallest detail; prices range from \$24.00 to \$37.50

Good News From the Hosiery Department

Your hosiery is insured here, your feet guaranteed against poison. Six pairs of our Antiseptic Hosiery guaranteed to wear six months. A fine Silk Lisle Hosiery, absolutely stainless, and fast color; the most satisfactory hose for comfort and wear; 3 pairs, \$1.00 Six pairs in a box, guaranteed for six months without holes, \$2.00

Children's Wash Dresses

These ready-to-wear garments will be appreciated by the mothers. Made of gingham, percale, calico and duck. Dresses of plain gingham, 1 to 3 years, each, 25c Dresses of dark calico, red or blue, 1 to 3 years, each, 35c Light percale dresses, 5 to 10 years, each, 75c Chambray gingham dresses, light blue, tan and red, 8 to 14 years, each, \$1.00

Extraordinary Values in Shopping Bags

New arrivals, new shapes, new colors, many sizes; special values at each, \$1.50

Wash Trimming Braids

To match the shades of wash materials for spring. They fill a long felt want; the yard, 12 1/2c to 35c

Trimmings For Wool and Silk

Thousands of yards of new, stylish trimmings in almost every wanted color or combination of colors; the designs are the most beautiful we have ever shown; the assortment is bewildering. We are showing more trimmings than the combined stocks of any three stores in town; it is simply immense. The yard, 5c to \$5.00

SUICIDES IN MIDST OF MONTE CARLO ORGIES

Sensational Ending of Career of Wealthy Young Parisian

Paris, March 13.—Fernand Ravenez, a wealthy young Parisian, whose career for the past few years has been almost a sensation, gave a supper to a number of friends at Monte Carlo last night. The pace was fast and furious, but Ravenez cried: "This is nothing; a big surprise awaits you at the end."

Just as the guests were preparing to depart he walked toward the gypsy orchestra, and suddenly drew a revolver and fired a bullet into his brain, dying instantly.

MINERS DECIDE ON CONVENTION TO SETTLE SCALE

Otherwise there is Nothing New in Situation in Anthracite Region

Philadelphia, March 13.—Members of the three anthracite district executive boards of the miners' union met today and decided to hold a tri-district convention of miners near Scranton, Pa., March 28. The convention will receive reports from the settlement committee, which met the operators here, and will adopt plans for making further efforts to obtain from the coal companies a new agreement to take the place of the present working arrangement.

Nothing on the surface indicates any change in the situation

OREGON ORATOR SECURES ONLY SECOND PLACE

Jesse Bond, the University orator, was accorded second place in the state oratorical contest at Corvallis last night, Clark R. Belknap, of Willamette University, being first. A. Napp, of McMinnville College, was third and Katherine McMillan, of Albany College, fourth.

Mr. Bond lost out by just one point. He received first on delivery from three judges and first on composition from one judge, making four first to Belknap's none, yet the latter won out on seconds and thirds. The judges were as follows: Geo. H. Williams, John P. Carroll and H. M. Calk Portland; on delivery—Judson King, B. A. Thaxter and B. F. Mulkey.

Mr. Bond and the delegates from the University returned home this afternoon. While Mr. Bond is receiving the congratulations of friends and fellow students upon winning second place, everyone feels that he was justly entitled to first.

PROMINENT CHURCH WORKERS IN EUGENE

Rev. W. B. Pinkerton is entertaining two representatives of the national and world-wide work of the Congregational churches over Sunday. Dr. C. H. Patton of Boston is home secretary of the oldest foreign missionary society of the country, and the one whose work in other lands is perhaps more successful and more favorably known than that of any other. He is admirably fitted to speak with authority and great importance to the church and to our land. He is a fine speaker. He and Rev. H. L. Hoyt, who speaks for the work among our dependent races, will use the time at the Congregational church tomorrow. You will miss it if you do not hear them.

HILL SECURES FULL CONTROL OF CROW'S NEST ROAD

Toronto, March 13.—The annual meeting of the Crow's Nest Pass Railway Company today announced that James J. Hill had secured control of the road.

St. Paul, March 13.—The report is untrue. The Great Northern is not making investments in the Crow's Nest mines in British Columbia, or in any other section.

The above was J. J. Hill's comment on the report from Toronto that Hill



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or his interests, had secured control of the great coal fields of the Crow's Nest Pass, north of Spokane, in Alberta.

There is railroad activity in that section and much speculation as to what companies are involved.

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