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WHERE MONEY COUNTS

Bob Gaines up in Seattle was convicted of murdering his daughter almost two years ago, and was sentenced to be hanged. Bob, however, is still alive, and probably will remain so for quite a while yet. His relatives were reported to be well to do, and his brother was a member of the board of county commissioners at the time of Bob's conviction, and is a pretty good politician.

Edward Hickman committed the most horrible crime of the century down in Los Angeles, was promptly tried and convicted and sentenced to be executed, but a lot of soft hearted people got busy, put up money for a fight, and now Hickman "may" pay the death penalty for his crime—sometime.

The bootlegger king of Cincinnati killed his wife and was acquitted of the charge because he had money enough to prove that he was insane.

And here in Clackamas county a school teacher by the name of C. V. Kilgore is accused of stealing a \$5 set of harness, is tried at a big expense to the county, and an expense to the accused said to amount to more than a thousand dollars, without a conviction. And now it is announced that Kilgore will be tried again.

If Kilgore is guilty he has all ready been punished far more for his crime than the punishment ordinarily meted out for a similar crime. If he is innocent, which at least some of those evidently believed who heard the evidence, Kilgore is a very unfortunate man.

If some of the efforts being made to punish a crime such as this were diverted to the task of convicting some of the poachers who are unlawfully taking fish from the streams of Clackamas county, there probably would be more convictions and less poaching.

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Since Decoration Day has come and gone again, the cemeteries have been cleaned up and really look inviting.

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Some of our friends are such good fellows that we can almost forgive them for having such fool notions about religion and politics.

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A Maine woman, 106 years old, attributes her long life to the fact that she has always minded her own business. What a terrible price to pay!

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Goitre is said to be becoming more prevalent among young women. Perhaps another argument against necking parties.

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If Al Smith is nominated at Houston we wonder if the democrats will try to make "Tammany" the popular campaign song of the year.

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Up in New York they are interested in something that will be more than one-half of one per cent, but down in Houston Al will have to get sixty-six and two-thirds per cent.

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An effective test for corn whiskey is recommended. Place a ten penny nail in the liquor and leave it for a day. If the nail comes out rusty, it is fit to drink. If it becomes bent in the middle you had better leave it alone.—Rolls County (Missouri) Record.

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The News, with more than six hundred subscribers and more than three thousands readers in what is logically the trade territory of Estacada, this paper offers an advertising medium to the merchants of this town, superior to that to be found in any similar community in this or in any state. The News will carry your message to at least 90 per cent of every customer or potential customer of your store. If you give this matter a little thought you will readily decide that you can't afford to not use the advertising columns of the News.

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ARE WE WORSE OR BETTER?

Recently we heard of a pastor who began his sermon with a statement which sounds quite familiar. He said: "There is lawlessness everywhere. Children no longer obey their parents. It is evident that the end of things is at hand."

Then the preacher told his congregation that the words were not original with him, nor even an utterance of the present day, but that they had been translated from an inscription found among ruins in ancient Assyria, dating centuries before the time of the patriarch Abraham.

Throughout all recorded history are evidences that such pessimism has existed from time to time as to the future of the race. Now and then an era of comparative

peace and quiet has been experienced, only to be followed by recurring outbreaks of violence and lawlessness.

While present day conditions are bad enough, it seems that on the whole they are better than those of the past. There is more thought given to the relief of suffering, to the betterment of industrial conditions, to the protection of the helpless and to other humanitarian enterprises than ever before.

Although the World war gave civilization a severe test, recovery has been rapid and the ground lost is being speedily regained. It must be remembered that war has marked the history of every generation of mankind, and the same is true of lawlessness, oppression, and every other manifestation of human imperfection.

It is reasonable to believe that these will always exist in greater or less degree, so long as good and evil struggle for mastery in the minds and hearts of men.

CURRINSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Niles Holland went to Portland Sunday to attend the graduation exercises of the 1928 class of nurses at the Portland Sanitarium. Mrs. Walter Looney accompanied them and remained over until Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Atchley of Sellwood visited the Frank Jones family on Sunday.

Carl Duus and family of Maupin near the Des Chutes river, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Walter Douglass, were shopping at the Currinsville store Tuesday.

Mr. Palmateer, wife and children, of Ione, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Githens, Mrs. Palmateer's parents. Mr. Palmateer reports fine prospects for a good wheat crop this year if the season continues favorable.

C. W. Fuller and Lee McKenzie shipped a load of hogs to the Portland market Tuesday on the Currinsville store truck.

The store truck hauled some sand this week for Mrs. Lou Hale and her brother, Robert Currin. This was for a top dressing for the family lot in the cemetery at Estacada.

Most of the farmers who have a few days off on farming are helping the road supervisor, Lester Hale, on the road this week. They are taking up some of the old plank and putting in gravel.

Clyde McCoy says he has the finest market garden he has ever had. He has 10 acres in early spuds that are now in bloom. He also has 10 acres in early corn besides the other small vegetables. He has one and one-half miles of the finest waterfront on the Clackamas, a real beauty spot. Only those who have seen this farm can imagine what it is like.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Jones were visiting Mrs. Elva Looney Tuesday evening.

Neighbors, leave items at the Currinsville store if you wish them to go to your friends. Remember the Eastern Clackamas News goes to many states and people are always glad to read these items.

UPPER EAGLE CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Woodie, Edward Chapman and Mrs. Linnie Gibson were Oregon City visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Douglass and son Quentin made a trip to Portland Friday.

The farewell party given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Duus at the grange hall last Saturday night was well attended, about one hundred and twenty-five being present. Everybody seemed to enjoy themselves. Music was furnished by Frank Marshall and Mrs. Ben Dodson. A luncheon consisting of Dixies, cake and coffee was served. Mr. and Mrs. Duus will be greatly missed by Eagle Creek grange. They have been members for a long time and were very faithful. Mr. Duus is now the master of Eagle Creek grange and Mrs. Duus is the staff leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Douglass and children Reva and Quentin Douglass, accompanied by Edward Chapman and Mrs. Linnie Gibson motored out to Will Bell's Sunday and spent the afternoon.

GARFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Newman are the parents of a little son weighing 5 pounds. Mother and baby doing fine. The Newmans live on the J. J. Davis place in Garfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hobart, of Marquam, Ore., were over to visit Mrs. Hobart's sister and nephew, Mrs. George Dart and Kenneth.

Ruth Ayers is working for Mrs. Roy Still who is convalescing from an operation for goitre. She was at the Good Samaritan hospital in Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lemon and

family were Sunday visitors at the Walter Shriner home.

Claude Shriner is home after being in Portland working for the last six weeks at the Lone Fir cemetery.

Harold Taylor was at McMinnville for a few days. He accompanied his father home for the week end.

J. J. Davis came home Tuesday morning after being over on the coast the past week.

Mrs. H. A. La Barre was up to her home in Garfield Monday.

Rose Ann Moreland was in Portland the past week visiting with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Moreland were out Sunday and visited with their son J. C. Moreland and family.

Henry Anders and sons Byron and Leonard and daughter Helen were all up to Stayton, Ore., visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kelly last week end.

The Christian Endeavor of the Nora Memorial church in Garfield on Sunday evening, June 10, will be led by Harry Jerome. The subject is "The Christian Endeavor as Seen in Other Lands." Everybody welcome.

Mrs. Minnie Eash has been quite poorly the past week, we are sorry to report.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Phillips called on Mrs. George Dart Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Weatherly are at Rainier, Ore., attending the state grange convention which is in session there.

Garfield Grange meets on July 7 in the evening. The meetings will be held in the evening once a month until fall on account of the busy season.

BARTON

Richard Schumann, for over twenty years a resident of Barton, passed away at the St. Vincent's hospital last Tuesday morning from the result of a fractured skull obtained when he was struck by an automobile on the Hawthorne bridge. He sold his farm here only a short while ago and moved to Portland to make his home. He has no relatives living in the United States.

John McCracken of Portland visited at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. D. Wilson, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wolfe and daughter Virginia were visitors at the Brown home recently.

Several of the young people from Barton attended the Oregon National guard sham battle at Clackamas on Sunday.

The Barton people are busy harvesting and canning strawberries.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Zink and small son visited at the Odell home Sunday.

Martha Whitehead is picking strawberries at the Ross Wallace place.

Miss Lenora Hurst of Portland was a guest at the home of Hazel Reitzki Sunday.

George and Martha Whitehead were in Estacada Friday where George had the stitches in his knee removed.

Miss Adeline Pedersen returned to her home here after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Gus Whitehead of Bridal Veil.

Mrs. Kate Alley is clerking at the L. M. Pederson store.

George Brown is working for O. M. Richey.

WALTER STRUNK INJURED WHILE WORKING ON ROAD

Walter Strunk, while working on the road in the Springwater district Monday, was struck on the jaw by the johnson bar of a fresno scraper and was quite badly injured. He was unconscious for some time and was almost blind for several hours. He was brought into town Tuesday morning for treatment and is expected to be able to go back to work within a week or two.

An especially good children's day program will be held at the Eagle Creek church Sunday, June 10 at 8:00 p. m.

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July 1, 2 and 3—Harold Lloyd in "SPEEDY"

Admission: Adults, 25c; Children under 14, 10c