

of Second Story Windows--

27 Horses Perish

The Portland Journal of Monday

makes a possible death list of nine for the graft there is in it.

of ruins, sizzling embers and burn-

not known.

buildings were burned.

sounded.

street;

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Valley Can Be Made Far

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L. E. WILKES.

Senator Gearin, if the telegraphic

reports may be credited, has consid-

of voice that he was a Roosevelt

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Some perished while still asleep; Residence corner Third and Main; office up stairs over Delta drug store; hours, 8.30 to 12 m. 1 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m. Telephone to residence from Delta drug store. All calls promptly ans-wored day or night. flames, awoke only to find every avenue of escape cut off and expired

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Nathaniel P. Young, aged 35 years, cremated in East Side Transfer Com-Office: Morgan-Balley block, upstairs, rooms 12, 13 and 15. Residence pany's barn W. cor. Base Line and Second sts. Edward Dailey, aged 8 years, cremated Both 'phones. n rooms at 295 East Morrison street.

F. J. BAILEY, M. D.

where the "boss," insolent and ar- GROW ALFALFA bitrary, is not more or less firmly entrenched. The object of the di-IN PORTLAND reet primary law is to regain the prerogatives stolen by the "boss" and to lodge again with the people FIVE PERSONS ROASTED ALIVE the powers which rightfully belong IT WILL PROVE PROFITABLE. to every citizen in a free republic like ours. It means the enthrone-The Dairy Industry of the Willamette Many Are injured by Jumping Out

ment of the voters, the dethronement of the "bosses." It means the reign of the common people, the ruin of the corrupt "bosses," because of the annihilation of the

means whereby he has heretofore ble quarterly, (notices and resolutions evening says: Smouldering heaps been able to control politics, de- this section, and we believe farmers ence. When the shaving was over, bauch public sentiment and loot are making a mistake in not pay- the man who was missed and the ing flesh mark the charnel house the treasury. The "boss" always ing more attention to its culture. man who was kissed shook hands on the east bank of the Willamette has two occupations. His first and In other sections of Oregon and in and walked out to a nearby saloon lutions were passed tending to dis- of my home. I can also say that

to have lost their lives, a score of holding. His secondary occupa abundance and it is found to be others were injured, twenty-seven tion is that of office seeking. With very profitable. That it can be horses perished and a block of him the itch for office is so great grown here has been demonstrated buildings was swept away by a fire that during intervals, when he is by F. M. Hnidel, of this city, who that started at 3:45 o'clock this taking a vacation at the request of has samples of a crop raised on the morning. The property loss is the public, he will take some posi- Warren place just east of town, both about \$50,0000; the insurance about tion without pay, like councilman of the first and second growth of \$15,000 How the fire started is or mayor. But in such cases it is the same year from the same piece always noted that he is on the com- of land, and it will pay anyone in-

From five to fifteen bodies are mittee which purchases supplies, terested in this highly profitable still in the ruins, asserts East Side etc., ostensibly because of his busi- crop to step into his office on Main Battalion Fire Chief Holden. This ness qualifications, but in reality street and see its wonderful growth. Paul Shoup, Assistant General With the passing of the "boss" Freight Agent of the O. R. & N.

For nearly three hours the flames also goes his creatures, who if any and Southern Pacific Ry, says in a raged among the wooden buildings thing are still lower in the scale of letter to this office, that after a that comprised the block bounded being, especially the "crooked" thorough examination by represenon the south by Morrison street, on tellow who is anxious to get into tatives of the company, he believes the north by Alder, on the east by some public office. This creature that the dairy industry of the Will-Water and on the west by the Wil- must not only be "crooked," but amette Valley can be made more lamette river. Only one building he must also be a "pliant tool," profitable, and the production great-remains standing on the block, the willing to "take orders" from the ly increased through the growing dock and warehouse of the C. R. county boss, who in turn takes his of alfaifa. While many attempts Davis Fuel company. On the from the state boss. The "boss" have been made in the valley, and south side of Morrison street four and his tool in the legislature have in some cases with commercial sucalways regarded the election of U. cess, yet the valley can hardly be In its carly stages the fire claimed S. senator their especial prize, for classed as a producer of alfalfa as a its victims. Men, women and child- three reasons. First, the boss can crop. And for that reason the

ren slept peacefully in the midst of in this way pay his political debts; Southern Pacific Company proposes death and the entire block was en- second, the legislator may want an to plant twenty or more tracts, in veloped in fire before an alarm was office himself from the senator elect; different parts of the Willamette third, they may be out for the Valley, to alfalfa and endeavor to "boodle." For years the election cultivate it successfully. The ob-

the brilliant glare and the roar of the ple has been advanced by most ev- termine under what conditions and erybody. The primary law pro- in what sections of the valley altalfa tric Bitters have made me so strong and go anywhere one wished or the support of the majority without vides that an elector seeking the can be grown successfully; and, nomiation for state senator or rep- second, to give as wide publicity as resentative may incorporate in his petition the following, known as farmers interested may have the of me." Greatest remedy for weakvalue of their experience.

"I further state to the people of W. W. Cotton, who has had Kidney complaints. Sold under Oregon, as well as to the people of much practical experience in alfalfa

my legislative district, that during my term of office I will always vote for that candidate for United States readers interested who will cand senator who has received the high-their name and address to Mr. to this office for publication during during which there is any precipiest number of the people's vote for Shoup, Worcester Building, Port- the past month than we could print tation. I've often said that I've growing strength of the candidacy that position at the general election land, the pamphlet will be mailed between now and election time, but seen the roads dusty during every next preceding the election of a to them, and subsequently, as the without thought of compensation month. Not the same year, of couraging to the friends of governsenator in congress, without regard experiments progress, bulletins will for the labor and expense of carrybe issued from time to time, giving This certainly is a mighty stride information as to such progress, in the direction of electing senators and these also will be sent to adby direct vote, and in fact will do dresses furnished. chant, and if the office seekers wish taken to the Good Samaritan it if the people exercise their rights In closing his communication, and plain duty in the premises. Shoup adds: "The market for they must first show the color of What does Statement No. I mean? dairy products is practically unlim- their money. We are not here for Just this: On April 20th there will ited so far as Oregon 1s concerned, be republican and democratic can- since condensed milk, butter and get out of the newspaper business. in bloom. didates for nomination for the office cheese can now easily be transport. We aim to chronicle the news and of United States senator. The vote ed for long distances. I will call give our readers the worth of their of the people at that time will deyour attention to one home market. money, but we positively refuse to are trying to eliminate the word his partian loyalty is ill-timed. cide which republican and which as an example, open to Oregon, and do political boosting unless we are democrat, one only of each, shall that is Alaska. The movement of paid for it.-Springfield News. be placed on the ballot to be voted butter and cheese during the twelve

by the legislature? Is the legisla- difference between a quart of cran-

A woman in a neighboring town HE IS PROUD while on her way to the train stopped IN THE VALLEY at her husband's store and was told that he was at the barber shop, relates the Asotin Sentinel. She had only a minute and she rushed straight to the shop, bent over a man whose face was covered with lather, kissed him in the mouth, and charged him to write to her every day. Her husband happened to be in the last chair, and the astonished man she kissed never saw her before, but she boarded the There is little alfalfa grown in train without knowing the differ-

Independent.

A loafer on the streets, whose a neighbor's washing to make money to buy the children's shoes, asked a busy man the other day if he ever saw a bald-headed woman. "No, never did," replied the busy man, "and I never saw a woman walking around town with a cigar in her teeth and running into every saloon she saw. Neither did I ever see a woman sitting all day at the

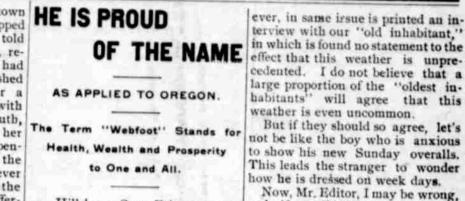
any man in town.-Ex. The Independent and The Portland Saturday Telegram one year for \$2.

A Healing Gospel. The Rev. J. C. Warren, pastor of

Sharon Baptist Church, Belair, Ga., says of Electric Bitters: "It's a complete physical relapse. I was possible to the results attained, that three more. It's made a new man

> guarantee at all drug stores." Price OC. "And There Are Others."

More political truck has been sent



wife was probably home getting out gon. The wielders of quills seem- increased this pride. I heartily clude to give our country a trial.

street corner on a dry goods box ways tried to show pride in my Portland in December last to take telling people how the secretary of birthplace and home, and try to his place in the senate, it was anthe treasury should run the national make the stranger understand that nounced with considerable volume finances. I have never seen a the much-abused "Oregon mist," woman go fishing with a bottle in while grossly exaggerated, is the supporter. In some quarters this her packet, sit on on the bank all price we pay for the abundant har- was intended to debauch republiday and go home drunk at night, vest, and immunity from other cans and make it possible to elect a Nor have I ever seen a woman yank more disagreeable and even dan- democratic senator next winter. off her coat and say she could lick gerous conditions that are found This is changed now, and by Mr. almost everywhere else.

50 minutes and feel like walking say as much for other states?

Hillsboro, Ore., Feb. 14, 1906, and if so, I'd like to be shown.

Editor Independent : - A short But I'm not from Missouri. I'm an time ago at a meeting of the Oregon Oregonian- a "Webfoot," if you courage the use of the term "Web- every opportunity I've had to comfoot" as applied to natives of Ore- pare this with other localities has

ed to agree that this term tends to agree with a traveling man whom I cast an unjust reflection on the cli- met on a train. On learning that mate of our state, and possibly to my home is in the Willamette valdiscourage some prospective immi- ley, he said, "That certainly is the grant, who might otherwise con- garden spot of God's green earth."

Personally, I believe that the harm done by the nickname is infinitesimal. When talking with erably cleared the political atmospeople in other states, I have al- phere in Oregon. When he left

Gearin himself, who from New During the last three years, in York last Saturday announced that my wanderings, I have talked with he would be governed by the acpeople on the subject of Oregon's tion of the democratic caucus of climate. In these talks I'm often senators. He will now refuse to met with the statement, "O, I can't support President Roosevelt's forstand the rain," or similar express- eign policy. Some of Mr. Gearin's ions of disgust. To these I re- friends commend his action on the Godsend to mankind. It cured spond, "Yes, the rain is often dis-me of lame back, stiff joints, and agreeable, but during the whole of ic support to his Oregon projects. my life I have never seen in Oregon They forget that while he may seothers, startled from their dreams by of senator by direct vote of the peo ject to be attained is, first, to de-

walk a mile. Two bottles of Elec- was not entirely safe to start out same course of action will alienate I have just walked three miles in tound it necessary to go. Can you which no legislation favorable to

Oregon can be enacted. Republi-Again, many suppose that during cans thus see that it is not safe to the winter it rains nearly, if not desert party, and further, that if ness and all Stomach, Liver and quite, all the time. To this we can their ideas are to be adopted and respond that while Oregon has a dry season, we've never known a failure of crops. Also, that the av-erage for the year is about 65 per cent of the days are fair, the other oregon.

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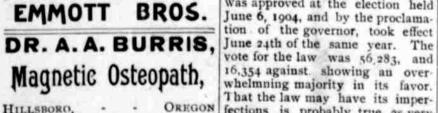
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Between 2d and 3d St., on Edson. is scarcely a county in the state

Woman believed to be Mrs. Cochra aged 65 years, cremated in roominghouse at 2871 East Morrison street. Unidentified man, taken from ruins of Alpine House.

miserably, calling vainly for help.

THE DEAD.

L. T. Dailey died after being taken to to my individual preferance." the hospital.

THE INJURED. L. T. Dailey, of 295 East Morrison hospital; was in a precarious condition

ast evening and small hope is held out for his recovery, Mrs. Nellie Dailey, of 295 East Morrison, severely burned about the head and arms; injuries painful, but not serious.

'Statement No. 1":

Floyd Dailey, a son, badly burned about face, arms and body. R H. Babcock, of Sherlock, Mich., a lumber dealer who took a room at the ill-fated Alphine House Sunday; suffer-ed a fracture of the left hip, sustained

y jumping from a window. Mrs. N. Edmunds, suffered sprained ing; she was picked up and carried to a Meats. Our delivery is prompt place of safety by Policeman Ernest and in all parts of Hillsborn Johnson.

Mrs. Mary McIrvin, jumped from window and sustained a badly sprained back and slight dislocation of the hip. Mrs. M. Brown, a widow, suffered a fracture of the hip in jumping from sec-Mrs. Hicks, who was burned about the face and neck, was taken from the burning building by Officer Johnson. She was sent to the home of friends ity of the people say they want in

Her daughter was also slightly burned. the United States senate be put there says the Boston Globe, "what is the Workings of the Primnry Law.

To the Editor :-

ture greater than the people? And berries, a dozen eggs and a \$10 it it may thwart the people's wishes gold piece?" That's easy. The for United States senator, why not first is sold, the second is old, and The direct primary nominating Meat Market, we wish to announce election law so revolutionizes the for governor or any other omcer. The people may now under the law for governor or any other office? the third is gold. be the rulers in fact as well as in name, and it is confidently believed it is said, always paid for his local they will seize the opportunity and paper a year in advance. As a reuse it both wisely and well. Polit- sult he has never been sick in his ical leaders, so called, will be forced life, never had corns on his toes, nor under the initiative petition and was approved at the election held June 6, 1904, and by the proclamation of the governor, took effect vote for the law was 56,283, and the people comprising each political cussed.-Ex. 16,354 against. showing an overorganization, and not the "bosses," whelmning majority in its favor. will nominate the ticket from top to That the law may have its imperbottom. It behooves every repubfections is probably true, as very

few laws covering so wide a field of tive interest in this new primary law, to the end that when the ticket ment through actual experience in is made up it shall be worthy of. their administration. Be that as it and command the respect and supmay, it is now the law, made by a port of every member of the party. to guy him. "Got a lickin' didn't very large majority of people of the If the republican party, true to its you?"

ience to all its mandates. From to its confidence and abolish ma. do?" they asked, "Shan't tell," the time whence the memory of I am prepared to furnish plans man runneth not to the contrary broken line of success in this county C. E. KINDT. Kinton, Ore., Feb. 15, 1906.

> The Independent and The Portland sentative, and originally reasonably Saturday Telegram one year for \$2. effective, has during the past twenty

years become the vehicle by which Methusala was all right, you bet For a good old soul was he, They say he would be living yet. political bosses have usurped the rights of the voters until today there Had he taken Rocky Mountain Tea. All Drug Stores.

for by all the people of the state at months ending June 30th last from back and several fractured ribs by jump- the regular June election for United Puget Sound to Alaska, amounted Ford City, Pa., had his nand fright- to the wearer, and while many the legislature. And why not? matter and to co-operate with the Healer on earth for Burns, Wounds, that "the delightful weather of the Why should not the wishes of a Railroad company in an attempt to Sores, Eczema and Piles, 25 cents last two or three weeks is a surprise majority of the people be carried out increase the prosperity of this sec- at all druggists. in this as in other offices? Why tion. should not that man whom a major-

"Considering the price of things,"

to saddle their burdens upon us our health. If we were, we would

course. This may possibly be a ment ownership of the locks at Oreing them. The columns of the slight exaggaration, but all will gon City. An open river is a hob-News are the same to us as the agree that they have frequently seen by of Mr. Huston's and his election News are the same to us as the agree that they have frequently seen goods on the shelves are to the merrainy season. They will also re- energies and ability would be cenmember that farmers have sown tered on that object until it is acgrain in every month, and it is not complished. Huston is an able uncommon for fruit trees to bloom lawyer and would be a valuable serin February, but they are not now vant for the interests of Willamette

> But while the worthy editors and many influential men and women "Webfoot" as applied to the nat-

Frightfully Burned.

remove all opprobrium from the States senator. The one of these to 1,339,000 pounds." Mr. Shoup fully burned in an electrical fur- others bearing the sobriquet by word two, democrat or republican, who is writing to every newspaper in nace. He applied Bucklen's Arni- and deed are commanding the rereceives the highest number of votes the Willamette Valley, asking that ca Salve with the usual result; "a spect and admiration of all, now gress and under the direct primary would then be elected senator by publishers take an interest in the quick and perfect cure." Greatest comes The Independent, remarking they will hardly be mislead by the

Independence Enterprise: The of S. B. Huston for congress is envalley in Washington. He would be for the First district, a second Tongue. The attempt to question The people of Oregon have paid ives of Oregon, while I'm trying to dearly for the game of politics. power to look after their own interests rather than the interests of politicians. It's the man that can do the most for them they want in con-

The Independent and The Portland to the oldest inhabitant." How- Daily Telegram one year for \$5.

appeal of politicians.



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Portland and Return 85c. The Southern Pacific is now around trip tickets to Portland from Hillsboro for 85 cents, good going Satur-

chine and boss rule, as designed by said Bill, "but it pays to advertise."

o ning Sunday and Monday, givign Ilday Sunday and Monday in Portland. The same arrangement applies from Portland, giving all Portland people a chance to visit valley points at greatly reduced rates.

to recognize and heed public senti- the toothache, his potatoes never ment, and candidates will be com- rot, his babies never cry at night, pelled to keep, more sacredly than his wife never scolds, and he sucbefore, their anti-election pledges. ceeded in serving three terms on Best of all, and most vital of all, the school board without being

Billy Jones wrote on the blackboard: "Billy Jones can hug the lican in this county to take an ac- girls better than any boy in school." The tracher seeing it called him up. "William, did you write that?" she asked. The children waited for Billy to come out, when they began

very large majority of people of the state, and as such it demands obed- If the republican party, true to its you?" "No," said Bill. "Get traditions, shall take the people in- jawed?" "No." "What did she