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ASHLAND, Or., Thursday, April 25, 1901

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VALLEY RECORD.

The People's Paper.

ASHLAND, Or., Thursday, April 25, 1901

Rambler Bicycles at Hooker's.

Try the new remedy for costiveness, Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Every box guaranteed. Price, 25 cents. For sale by all druggists.

Billy Smith, the American pugilist, who was knocked out in the eighth round of a contest with Jack Roberts for the 126-pound championship of England at the National Sporting club, London, died, after having lain in an unconscious state for three days.

The remains of Abraham Lincoln and the other members of his family, which, since March 10, 1890, when the work of rebuilding the Lincoln monument at Springfield, Ills., began, have been reposing in a temporary stone vault near the monument, were placed in the crypt in the monument which has been rebuilt by the state of Illinois at a cost of $100,000.

A dispatch from Frankfort, Germany, states that one of the most destructive explosions on record occurred at the electro-chemical works, near Greisheim, where smokeless powder is manufactured, and many were killed or injured. The catastrophe originated in a small fire which ignited several receptacles of acid, causing a terrific explosion.

Henry Huffman, an animal trainer, was killed by Big Charley, a moonster elephant, while the animal was bathing in the river near Peru, Ind. The elephant wound his trunk round Huffman and hurled him far into the stream, but the man returned to the shore uninjured. The next instant Huffman was grabbed by the big elephant, thrown to the bottom of the river and held there by the forefoot of Big Charley. The elephant then stampeded, broke down fences and kept everybody away from him. Some apples loaded with strychnine were thrown near him and he ate them. An hour later he lay down and was in terrible agony. A rifle shot ended his existence. Big Charley weighed more than three tons, was valued at $10,000, and in his lifetime had killed four men.

Dr. Parker, in delivering the presidential address to the Congregational Union, at its meeting in the City Temple, London, referring to King Edward, said, "God be thanked for Queen Victoria and God save her son, the king." He expressed sympathy with the Roman Catholics under the "despicable insult" inflicted upon them by the oath of accesssion. "The nonconformists," said Dr. Parker, "recognized the king as sovereign of the empire, but would never hail him as head of the church or defender of the faith."

The gravediggers at Holy Cross Catholic cemetery, Philadelphia, struck because one of their number had been discharged and they demanded his reinstatement. The superintendent advertised for new gravediggers, and of 50 applicants he put 25 to work. Though a few burials were delayed before the new hands started in, everything was soon in working order.

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OIL ACTIVITY.

Two Companies on the Eve of Boring Near Ashland—Other Oil Enterprises.

Prof. Thomas P. Robb, the Bakersfield, California, expert who was employed to examine the properties of the Southern Oregon Oil company and report on the probabilities of their finding oil in this section, returned to Bakersfield Saturday afternoon. He will probably return again in three weeks. Professor Robb gave the following report of his trip, which speaks for itself:

The indications of oil around Ashland are as favorable as the Kern river field and superior to the oil fields of Sunset and McKittrick. Lack of time prevents me from further investigation at present but I am very sanguine that the oil bearing anticlines found here indicate oil in quantities.

Respectfully,
Thos. P. Robb,
C. E. and M. E.

The Southern Oregon Oil company have practically agreed upon the list of tools and machinery wanted, and have submitted the same to the San Francisco branch of a Pittsburg house. The order to ship will be given shortly. It will be a Standard rig, and will cost $3500 laid down in Ashland.

The Guggenheim-Mack Co. have 10,000 feet of lumber ordered from the Ashland Manufacturing company and will begin putting up their dirrick the coming week. The site located is just above the Major Barron homestead.

Roadmaster M. H. Burckhalter, Commercial Traveler J. C. Eubanks, Butcher J. A. Strobeck, W. W. Van Arsdale of the Siskiyou Lumber and Mercantile Co. of Sission, the Standard Oil company's manager at Sacramento and another railroad man of Sacramento will this week file their articles of incorporation for an oil company that will begin operations with a plant about one mile up Cottonwood creek from Hornbrook. They have 2000 acres of good land to sink their well in and expect to be able to commence boring by the first of July. The company will be $1,000,000, with shares at per value of $1 per share. They will sell treasury stock at 10 cents per share.

J. L. Coyle, of the Postal Telegraph, and Thos. Jones and David Horn, well known business men of Hornbrook have been leasing land and will soon organize a company to bore for oil in that section, expecting to put a drill in operation some time this summer.

Rape Charge Dismissed.

Geo. R. Justus, a man of family and raised in Jackson county, was charged with an attempt to commit rape and arrested on a warrant issued out of Justice Gall's court at Sams valley. His accuser and alleged victim was the 13-year old daughter of Levi Dawson of Trail creek precinct. The examination was set for Tuesday. Hammersley and Carter of Gold Hill represented the state and Judge Neil the defendant. Justice Gall dismissed the case after hearing the evidence.

Successful Ball.

The May day ball given by the railroad employees of Ashland at opera house was the best attended and swellest affair in recent years. The decorations were prolified and splendid and were emblematic of the craft through and through. La Dewhs orchestra furnished grand music and order was observed in good form. The supper was served in the green rooms of the opera house and the ladies of the Maccabees again scored a handsome success in this line. There were in the neighborhood of 400 ball tickets sold all told The proceeds above the cost of production go to Engineer James O'Malley, an invalid engineer.

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Probate Court.

Estate of Horace J Hicks. Inventory of appraisement, showing real and personal property to the value of $25,258.40, approved. Widow allowed $150 a month for 12 months.

Estate of Bessie Randall. April 30th set as day for hearing petition for sale of real property.

Estate of Lulu M Walters. Order made revoking appointment of J W Walters as administrator.

Estate of Jos Douden. Inventory of appraisement, showing real and personal property to the value of $2838.50, approved.

Guardianship of Sarah Harper. Petition of P H Harth for appointment of W V Jones as guardian presented.

Estate of Emily Tolman. Petition of administratrix for sale of personal property granted.

Estate of Samuel Randles. Lydia M Randles appointed administratrix.

Estate of Rosella M Berry. Semi-annual report of administrator approved.

Whooping Cough.

A woman who has had experience with this disease, tells how to prevent any dangerous consequences from it. She says: Our three children took whooping cough last summer, our baby boy being only three months old, and owing to our giving them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, they lost none of their plumpness and came out in much better health than other children whose parents did not use this remedy. Our oldest little girl would call lustily for syrup between whoops.—Jessie Pinkley Hall, Springville, Ala. This Remedy is for sale by all druggists.

The new British torpedo-boat Bailey in her trial course maintained an average speed of 30.2 knots during the entire trip, and at one time reached a mark of 31.2, thus eclipsing all records.

A head man of the Navajo Indians, named "Thomas," or Hosteen-bo-Eddy-Begay, was killed by three men of his tribe after a dispute over a pony trade. They buried the body on a high mesa.

Two disreputable women, Carrie Halmer and Lavina White, received 20 stripes from a whip wielded by Chief of Police John W. Ames in the city hall of Suffolk, Va. The women trembled with pain as the officer laid on the whip with all his strength. A curious crowd looked on unmoved. After the cowhiding the officials ordered the women to leave town at once with a warning that each would receive 50 stripes upon her back if she ever returned. The women left town by the first train, declaring they would never again set foot upon Suffolk soil.

Cottage Grove, April 29.—Four important strikes reported in the Bohemia district this week. Graber Brothers and Zinaker, in their 350-foot level, struck another rich lead which is two inches wide and literally lined with gold. Harlow and Stocks, who struck it so rich last fall, have tapped the same vein 50 feet deeper, and it is as rich as found above. Sears and Whipple, who have been driving a cross-cut tunnel, have tapped the leader at a depth of 150 feet. The vein is four feet wide and prospects free gold. A Mr. Brund, who has been developing his property for the last year, is reported this evening to have made a wonderful rich strike, showing free gold in crystal quartz.

TO TRY LIQUOR CASES.

H. J. Mattoon Appointed Chief of Police and Secures the Evidence of Illegal Liquor Selling in Ashland.

Mayor R. P. Neil recently appointed H. J. Mattoon chief of police and he assumed the duties of his office Monday Mattoon has been working at the Neil creek saw mill of the Ashland Manufacturing Co. and came to town and with some friends began going the rounds of the saloons and testing their goods. It is reported that he and his friends tested the wares offered at the Ashland House recently purchased by H. Saloman of Redding, Houck & Dame at the Plaza corner, and High & Sonnichson, and that the evidence is in the hands of the authorities. It is also reported that the gentlemen who have been unable to get rid of their old stocks of liquor got onto the situation and sent out a word before Mattoon got around to the other places of business where a man can wet himself up in Ashland.

It is expected that arrests will be made in the near future, when the public will find out what the city administration has up its sleeve.

Mayor Neil is a slow mover and cannot be rushed, but when he acts it will be quite decisive. The responsibility of enforcing the laws that the liquor sellers are disobeying has been given to the mayor and officials, and they will move in the matter in due time. Up to the present time no arrests have been made.

Eyeglasses and Eyes.

Lippincott's Magazine: The question is often asked particularly by those who can recall the customs and experiences of 25 years ago, "Why do so many people now-a-days wear glasses?" The answer is easy.: "The increase in the number of spectacles worn is not to be regarded as an evidence of modern degeneration of the eyes but rather that a long felt necessity has been met." For it should be remembered that within the past quarter of a century much has been learned about the value of glasses, and the range of their application and usefulness has been enormously extended. Of course the eyes need more help now than formerly, as the amount of work they are required to do is much greater than at any previous period in the world's history. The sewing machine and many other inventions of its class save the labor of the hands only to add to that required by the eyes.

New employments, new amusements, and new fashions are continually being introduced to increase the exactness laid upon these sensitive and delicate organs. The steady decrease of illiteracy, together with the general cheapness of literature and a spread of taste for it, the enormous circulation of novel, magazine, newspaper, the ever increasing use of artificial illumination, all combine to overtax the eyes, and to weaken or possibly destroy the sight unless the required aid and protection be supplied through every means at our disposal.

Thus it happens that the sometime luxury of properly adapted glasses has come to be recognized and understood by very many of the present generation as one of the real necessities of their lives.

Dr. Darrin is prepared to test and fit the eyes with glasses in connection with his regular practice. He treats all forms of curable eye trouble as well as all chronic diseases, at the Hotel Oregon, Ashland, until May 26th.

Woodmen Lecturer Coming.

Prof. John P. Meakin, a dramatic reader and fraternal lecturer, at present laboring for the head camp, Woodman of the world, will lecture in the Chautauqua tabernacle, Thursday, May 9th.

A Singular Wreck.

The caboose attached to a southbound freight train left the rails Sunday morning about 4 o'clock at Olney Creek four miles south of Redding and in rolling down the embankment caused a lamp it contained to explode, setting fire to the car and for a few minutes the three men imprisoned in the car were threatened with incineration. Conductor John Turner and brakemen Dick Wells and Bob Cotter were in the car. Through strenuous work Cotter was able to force his way out and with an axe liberated his less fortunate companions. They were all more or less scratched and bruised, although none seriously, and Wells' hair was singed and his neck blistered by the fire. The narrowness of his escape can be imagined. The car was completely destroyed by the flame.

Remember the place to get your tinware, hardware and plumbing goods is W. N. Grubb & Co's.

Lakeview, a bustling town in southeastern Oregon, is very much interested in the report that the Nevada, California and Oregon Railroad may build up the west side of Goose lake, instead of the east side, leaving Lakeview out in the cold, as happened to Yreka when the Shasta Route was completed.

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Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, doing a dry goods and clothing business at Ashland, Oregon, have this day dissolved partnership by mutual consent, W. H. Bartges retiring and Chas. G. Miller continuing the business, assuming all indebtedness, and collecting all outstanding accounts.

—Chas. A. Miller.
W. H. Bartges.

Ashland, Ore., May 1, 1901.

CLEAR THE TRACK.

President McKinley's Route to Ashland Is Completed.

Arrangements for President McKinley's trip through this section are completed and Train Dispatcher G. C. Morris yesterday gave out the official schedule for publication. The Presidential train goes through this section on May 21st, and leaves Dunsmuir at 12:20 p. m., Hornbrook at 3:50 p. m. and arrives in Ashland at 6:45 p. m., remaining 15 minutes, leaving at 7 p. m., leaving Grants Pass at 8:75 p. m., Roseburg at 2:15 a. m. the next day and arriving at Salem at 9 a. m., and arriving at Portland at 2:15 p. m.

Extraordinary preparations are being made for the safety of the train going over the Siskiyous and this division. Under no circumstances will any party be allowed to hitch on to the President's train of seven cars. A Pilot train will precede the Presidential train 15 minutes ahead, and will carry any officials or others that need see or meet the Presidential party in an official way. All freight trains will be abandoned while the Presidential train is in this district and passenger trains will be put in the clear for one hour in advance of the Presidential train. All switches are to be spiked along the line one hour in advance of the Presidential train. Extra engines will be kept at Ashland, Hornbrook, Dunsmuir and Roseburg in complete readiness for any and all kinds of emergencies.

Conductor W. S. Consor, the oldest man in the service in Oregon, having been on the trains ever since July, 1872, will take the train from Ashland to Portland. Conductor C. J. Brady and his crew, Brakeman O. R. Bush and E. O. Parrott and Conductor Geo. Engwicht and his crew, Brakemen Dan Stone and Ed. White, will bring the presidential trains into Ashland from Dunsmuir, both conductors being the seigniors south of Ashland. As it stands now Brady will take the presidential train and Engwicht the pilot train. Traveling Passenger Conductor P. H. Tynon will take the pilot train out of Ashland to Portland.

Engineer A. H. Woodin will bring the presidential train from Dunsmuir to Ashland and Engineer W. O'Malley will take it from Ashland to Portland.

Master Mechanic Wild and Foreman Wilson of the S. P. Co., are making preparations to decorate the locomotives that will haul the presidential train from Dunsmuir over the Siskiyous to Ashland. Four pictures of President McKinley are wanted for the occasion, and parties who have such pictures are kindly requested to loan them.—Dunsmuir News.

We understand that some arrangements are being made to present President McKinley with a handsome nugget of Siskiyou gold on his trip through this country. A stop will be made at Montague and no doubt an excursion train will be run from Yreka on that occasion. —Siskiyou News.

Entertainment Saturday.

The young ladies of the Congregational church will entertain their friends on Saturday evening, May 4th, at Pioneer hall. Light refreshments will be served at 6'oclock, and during the evening. Admission, including refreshments, 15 cents.

Your Face

Shows the state of your feelings and the state of your health as well. Impure blood makes itself apparent in a pale and sallow complexion, Pimples and Skin Eruptions. If you are feeling weak and worn out and do not have a healthy appearance, you should try Acker's Blood Elixir. It cures all blood diseases where cheap Sarsaparillas and so called purifiers fail; knowing this, we sell every bottle on a positive guarantee. McNair Bros., druggists.

GOLD HILL.

Miss Mayme Smith, the Rock Point teacher, left last week for Klamath county to take charge of a school. Miss Marie Gray of Medford will finish her term at Rock Point.

Ed Yantis is on the streets again, after having endured a siege of the mumps.

Tom Reed has purchased Ike Wright's saloon and will continue the business He is making some extensive improvements this week.

A large number of our citizens attended the I. O. O. F. celebration in Jacksonville last Friday, and report a very enjoyable time.

A baseball game between Medford and Gold Hill junior teams yesterday resulted in a defeat for Gold Hill, the score being 8 to 4.

Several new houses will soon be erected in Gold Hill. Families arriving here last winter were hardly able to secure accommodations.

Gold Hill had a small fire Tuesday afternoon. A small house near the river, belonging to Mr. Vroman, was burned, but nearly everything in the house was saved.

A lodge of the Order of Pendo was organized here last week with a charter membership of between fifty and sixty. W. E. Mallory was the organizer.

T. J. Downing received a telephone message Friday, stating that his brother, F. T Downing of Grants Pass, was dying. He left on the evening train and arrived at Grants Pass before his brother had passed away. Mr. Downing had been sick for some time, but was not known to be in a critical condition. He was buried at Central Point Sunday.

A local teachers' institute will be held here Saturday, May 4. A cordial invitation is extended to all Following is the program·

FORENOON.

Address of Welcome.....Hon. J. J. Houck
Pictures and Their Use...Miss Ella Griffith
Physiology.......................A. O. Freel
Method Indispensable to a Teacher's Success...............W. T. Van Scoy
Personal Experience in Conquering an Unruly Pupil ......General Discussion

NOON.

History......... ....J. Percy Wells
Reading ....Donna Bell
Mental Arithmetic..Superintendent Savage
The Study of the Activity of Childhood ....T. A. Hays
The New School Law...... ....P. H. Daily

Feeling keenly the disgrace of his wife's arrest and broken-hearted by the rupture of his home and loss of employment, without a word of farewell to his wife or children, Frank Pfaff hanged himself at his home at 337 Twelfth street, San Francisco. Mrs. Pfaff was arrested and charged with the murder of Mrs. Mamie Marvin, at whom, on April 10, she threw a lighted lamp, the burns from which resulted in her death.

Senators Morgan of Alabama and Jones of Nevada, and ex-Senators Pettigrew and Dorsey own a mountain of gold ore at Picacho, 26 miles north of Yuman, San Diego county, and are preparing to put up a very extensive mining plant. The plant will be located on the western bank of the Colorado river, so that a supply of water will be easy to obtain. A large force of men is now at work sinking the main shaft.

During the six days' stay of President McKinley in San Francisco—from Tuesday, May 14, till Monday, May 20—he will occupy the home of Henry T. Scott, on the corner of Laguna and Clay streets, with its windows overlooking half the city and its doorway opening on to the lawns of Lafayette square.

John Castro, assistant steward of the steamship City of Nome and a resident of San Francisco, was attacked by footpads at Seattle and knocked senseless. He lay in the street for two hours before recovering enough to crawl to the wharf. He now lies in Providence hospital in a serious condition.

Robert Willis was drowned in Russian river, near Forestville, Cal., by the capsizing of a boat. He was for a number of years a San Francisco painter and decorator.

Sewing machines. All kinds and at very low prices. Machines to rent. J. P. Dodge, opera house block.

WELL RECEIVED AT HORNBROOK

"The Girl I Left Behind Me" Meets a Rousing Reception on the South Side of the Siskiyous

The Hornbrook correspondent of the Yreka Journal writes as follows concerning the performance of Co. B's drama at that place Saturday night:

One hundred and thirty dollars more were added to our road fund by the amateurs of Ashland, Oregon, last Saturday evening. That pleasant troupe of ladies and gentlemen agreed to give us the drama, "The Girl I Left Behind Me," and offered their services at a sum slightly above expenses. They were greeted by a crowded house, and carried the audience with them from start to finish. "The Girl I Left Behind Me" is a strong, heart-stirring drama, clean in every word, and the performers entered into the spirit of it in a way that compares well with the professional work. Ashland has reason to be proud of her amateurs, and Hornbrook doffs her hat to them, and will remember their visit with pleasure. Their good name preceded them, as is proven by the sale of reserved seats, there being 100 of them, at 75 cents. All were sold, I. O. Jillson taking eight of them, saying he would hold them until the last minute, then auction them off and turn the proceeds to the road fund. Standing room was at a premium, which made reserve seats a desirable possession. The eight seats brought fifty dollars, the highest price being ten dollars.

Ashland amateurs, you're all right!

Capt. H. S Evans as General Kenion, could not well be improved upon. A military looking gentleman in the every day walks of life, he had but to act natural to please. His was a very trying part, and was done to perfection. Praise for his work can be heard on every side.

I. E. Vining as Major Burley, is an artist; is exceptionally good. His conception of the part is right. He has jestures, voice and facial expression that makes him competent to give this part full justice.

Lieut. J. E. Thornton as Lieutenant Hawkesworth, is clever and handsome. His rendition of the part needs no improvement. The trying ordeal which he goes through calls for sympathy, and he got it without stint from the audience. His modesty, bravery and manly bearing made him the hero of the play and recalled to our minds that this gentleman had been the same brave, modest soldier and hero in actual warfare a year ago in the Philippines.

George Watson as Lieutenant Parlow, knows what is wanted of him in the part of the villain, and does it so well that the audience would like to see the last act lengthened sufficiently to have this clever gentleman courtmartialed and shot.

Thad McHatton as Dr. Penwick is easy in his actions and natural in the part assigned him, He don't need any fixing.

Miss Lillian Patterson as Kate Kenion, the General's daughter, is very clever and does the work of a professional She reaches your heart and brings a lump in your throat She puts so much happiness in her face and manners in the last act that it goes far towards making the ending a satisfactory one, and atones to the audience for the author's failure to courtmartial Lieutenant Parlow.

Miss Cora Johnson as Lucy Hawkesworth, the Lieutenant's sister, is bright, vivacious and natural. No one but an exceedingly bashful man like T Jones could have failed to fall in love with such a sweet face and pleasant manners months before he did Her work received much applause.

Miss Blanche Logan as Wilber's Ann, is bright, witty, clever. What a jolly little sprite of the woods she is. The Doctor showed excellent taste in falling in love with her, and had he not done so he would have been mobbed by the audience after the performance.

Miss Gertrude Wilson as Fawn Afraid, the daughter of an Indian, is an actress. She acts, looks, feels and enters into the spirit of the part. The audience was with her and commended her every action.

John Meliza as Ladru, or Scarbrow, an educated Indian, had a difficult role to assume, but acquitted himself with credit, portraying the stolid Indian character with force and correctness.

Will Gowland as Private Jones, had the most difficult part to assume in the entire performance, for the reason that nothing like it was ever seen in real life; he acts the part of a bashful soldier, and does it well.

J. Laughlin makes a jolly typical sergeant, and Harry Van Sant's bugle calls take you right to the barracks.

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The grand jury of San Francisco, in its report to Judge Murasky, recommends the immediate removal of Chief of Police Sullivan. The report concludes: "That he has wilfully, deliberately and continuously disregarded and violated laws he has sworn to uphold and enforce has been abundantly proved. That the people of this city may no longer rest under the stigma of sustaining, negatively or positively, the infamous slave traffic and other public evils prohibited by law we recommend his immediate removal from office."

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C. Cary of Sams Valley, Ore., who was so miraculously cured of deafness last week, in the presence of Mayor Neil, writes the Doctor that he has had no returns of the deafness.

We give below the names and address of many people in the State who can vouch for the Doctor's cures of deafness and various other diseases.

J H Wilson, Mist, Or, piles 20 years, cured.

John Savensen, Farmington, Or, deafness, cured.

F Winchin, Dundee, Or, discharging ear, cured.

Rev J E Coenour, Portland, Or, skin diseases, cured.

J E Taylor, Pendleton, Or, stricture, cured years ago.

Mrs G Karg, Leland, Or, sciatic rheumatism, restored.

Miss Maggie Synhoest, La Grande, Or, cross-eyes, cured.

Isaac Thompson, LaCenter, Wash, deafness, cured in five minutes.

Mrs A E Patee, Albany, Or, ovarian and womb trouble, cured.

Mrs Martha Daily, Gardner, Or, salt rheum for 25 years, cured.

J S Jennings, Sellwood, Or, eczema or skin disease, 15 years, cured.

Miss V M Klinker, Spokane, Wash, skin and face eruption, cured.

Rev N Doane, D D, Dean of Portland university, deafness, restored.

Henry Von Helms, Sandy, Or, cancer of nose and catarrh, cured.

Adolph Wunder, 394 Morris St, Portland, total deafness, cured in 20 minutes.

W W Thompson, Vancouver, Wash, an enormous hydrocele, cured 8 years ago.

Mrs J J Anderson, 295 Crosby St, East Portland, rheumatism, restored to health.

Mrs T B Hartfield's boy, 214 11th St, Portland, discharging ear and deafness, cured.

Mrs J Ellis, 325 Clay St, Portland, Or, deafness and diseases peculiar to her sex, cured.

R C Cook, Portland, stricture of the urethra, cured after five doctors failed to cure him.

Chas B McCraken, Dallas, Or, consumption, catarrh and bronchitis, restored to health.

Wm A Hall, Astoria, Or, discharging ear 20 years, scarlet fever, cured 10 years ago.

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Transportation companies are now engaged in a rate war between Seattle and southeastern Alaska.

The National Sporting club of San Francisco announces that it has matched Jeffries and Ruhlin for a fight in that city during July or August.

J. B. Hodson, whose wife lives in Marysville, Mont., committed suicide at the Lincoln House, Santa Barbara, Cal., in a peculiar manner. Placing his feet under the bureau, with his head on a half-open valise and the mirror tilted back so that he could see himself commit suicide, he blew out his brains. He was in bad health.

George Taylor McDonnell, who, with George and Austin Bidwell and E. Noyes Hill, in 1873 swindled the Bank of England out of $1,000,000, was arrested in San Francisco, and will be tried on a charge of having dies for making counterfeit money in his possession.

"Diamond Field Jack" Davis, convicted of the murder of Cummings and Wilson, two sheepherders, on a ranch in Cassia county, Idaho, was sentenced by Judge Stewart, at Albion, the date of his execution being set for June 21. Davis has been tried and sentenced half a dozen times.

Two burglars entered the Alaska saloon at Anaconda, Mont., by forcing the Main-street door, and picking up a 300-pound safe, they loaded it on an express wagon. Driving outside the city limits they broke the safe open and secured $1000 in gold. Then putting the broken safe back into the wagon they started the horse toward the city and made good their escape.

The city attorney of Los Angeles has rendered an opinion to the effect that the electric lines connecting Los Angeles with Pasadena and Santa Monica must exchange transfers with the local street-car systems or forfeit their franchises. "The state law," says the city attorney, "does not permit the use of the same street or tracks for more than five consecutive blocks by two lines of street railway operated under different management." The lines in question must either maintain that they are under one management with the local roads and grant transfers or cease operating over the same tracks.

The steamer Pilgrim was burned to the water's edge at Ballard, Wash. She was insured for $5000.

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