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ITEMS OF INTEREST THROUGHOUT OREGON

Chronicle of Important Events
of Interest to Our
Readers.

Prohibition Party Names Ticket.

PORTLAND.—The nominating committee of the Prohibition State Convention, which met in this city Friday, named the following ticket for state offices:

For Governor—A. E. Eaton, of Union.

For Secretary of State—N. A. Davis of Milton.

For State Treasurer—Leslie Butler, of Hood River.

For Congress, Second District—George B. Platt, of Portland.

The platform is the most interesting feature of the convention, for it covers a wide range. Cognizance is taken of the recent convention of retail liquor dealers who have determined on a higher standard of saloons, but the Prohibition platform contends that the better the saloon, the more pernicious.

Taft Opens Big Tract.

PORTLAND.—The President has signed a proclamation eliminating 203,635 acres from the Willowa National forest, Oregon. The elimination is the result of a careful examination made by the United States Department of Agriculture during the past Summer, which disclosed the fact that the areas now eliminated were either open grass land with very little timber or timbered areas so largely alienated that further administration by the Forest Service was considered impracticable. The lands released are not needed for watershed protection, and are not considered to be chiefly valuable for National forest purposes. The unappropriated portions of the areas eliminated by this proclamation will be restored to settlement and entry after having been advertised in the local papers by the Secretary of the Interior.

Great Tract of Land on Sale.

PRINEVILLE.—The great acreage of the Willamette Valley & Cascade Mountain Wagon Road land grant is on the market in its entirety. President Watson P. Davidson, of the company now owning these lands, states that every acre of these lands is for sale, and that any man who was an actual settler, and would furnish a good reason why he could not pay for the lands at the time of purchase, would be taken care of with a small payment down on the lands he selects and the balance of the purchase price could be paid in five or more annual payments at 6 per cent interest. The new company will not deal so kindly with investors, however, for it is their desire to colonize the lands with actual settlers.

New County Line Asked.

SALEM.—C. S. McDuffy, of Portland, has filed a county initiative petition, proposing to cut off a large section of Washington county and add it to Multnomah. Mr. McDuffy also has filed the Otis and Williams county petitions and the petition providing for detaching a portion of Clackamas county and adding it to Multnomah county, and it is understood that he has in charge the Orchard county petition, making a total of five new counties created or old ones whose boundaries may be altered by Mr. McDuffy's efforts.

Crazed Herder Kills Employers.

LAKEVIEW.—The murder of Walter and Herbert Newell, prominent young sheepmen, who were shot from ambush near Plush, Lake county, by a discharged sheepherder named Bolivar, has created great excitement and two posses under Deputy Sheriff Arthur and Snider, left here heavily armed, for the scene of the crime.

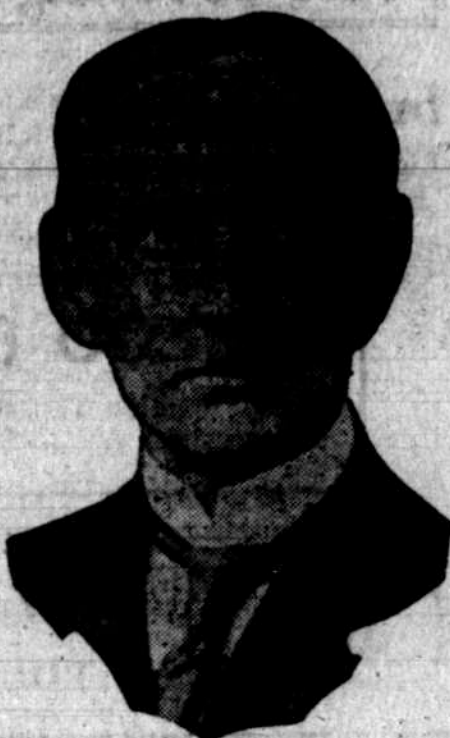
The victims were about 21 and 23 years of age, bore excellent characters for sobriety and industry, and no reason can be assigned for the crime other than that the killer had gone insane while under the influence of liquor.

Man Drops Sixty Feet and Lives.

HOOD RIVER.—A party of visitors at the Devil's Punch Bowl, on the East Fork of Hood river, were horrified to see a man fall from the cliff 60 feet above and plunge into the icy pool. The victim of the accident proved to be Roy Blagg, a resident of the valley, who, on coming to the surface of the swirling water, by heroic efforts managed to reach some stones above the falls, where he was rescued by the spectators.

PROBING LORIMER CASE.

Wayman, Attorney For
the State of Illinois.



BRIEF NEWS OF THE WEEK

The Federal grand jury at Washington, D. C., has returned an indictment against the Western Union Telegraph Company, charging it with 42 violations of the bucketshop law of March 1, 1909.

Included in the deficiency appropriation bill is an item of \$43,654 to reimburse the State of Idaho for moneys advanced the Federal Government to survey lands granted to the state at the date of its admission.

Professor Bernhard Boggild, the noted Danish authority on dairying and milk supply, who is visiting the United States and who came to this country especially to lecture at Cornell university, the University of Illinois, the University of Minnesota, and the State College of South Dakota, has been secured to deliver a series of lectures in Idaho.

The Senate has adopted an amendment to the sundry civil bill offered by Senator Heyburn, appropriating \$100,000 for public land surveys in Idaho.

The conference report of the Hamer bill extending the dry farm act to Idaho passed the House. It provides 325,000 acres may be entered by non-residents. Senator Heyburn opposed the bill.

Mexico has agreed to the terms of arbitration proposed by the United States for the settlement of the Chemical zone controversy. The controversy was over the boundary between this country and Mexico in the vicinity of El Paso.

The Civil Service Commission on July 1 will create a new district, comprising Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana and Wyoming, all but Wyoming being carved out of the old San Francisco district. Through the efforts of the Washington Senators the headquarters of this new district is to be located at Seattle.

A land scandal of large proportions is said to be brewing, and the exposure of prominent men in Eastern Washington and Idaho is threatened.

The mines owned by the Amalgamated Copper company, show increased earnings of \$7,019,669.19 for the fiscal year, as compared with the previous period of time, according to a statement filed with the county assessor.

In spite of official denials of reports that King Alfonso is suffering serious illness, it is known that he has tuberculosis of the throat. The disease is pronounced incurable.

The United States circuit court unanimously denied the injunction sought by the Pullman company, asking that the interstate commerce commission be restrained from ordering a reduction in the price of upper berths in sleeping cars.

The arrival home of former President Roosevelt will rivet the eyes of the nation on New York City Saturday. The celebration is expected to eclipse all demonstrations of its kind since the memorable return of Admiral Dewey after the victory of Manila bay. New York city will be filled with thousands of visitors who are going to the metropolis to join in the general acclaim in honor of the ex-president after his absence of 15 months.

Oklahoma City Capital.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., June 14.—Rumors that Governor Haskell intended making Oklahoma City the permanent seat of government, as the bill which carried in Saturday's election contemplated, were confirmed when Governor Haskell issued a statement declaring that his force would remain here. Returns from over the state indicate that the majority for the capital location bill is between 30,000 and 35,000. Oklahoma City's plurality over Guthrie and Shawnee is probably 65,000.

NEWS PARAGRAPHS FROM OTHER CITIES IN OREGON

The annual convention of the Episcopal church was held in St. Mary's Parish, Eugene, June 15 to 17.

The postoffice at Redboy, Grant county, was discontinued June 15, after which date mail will be delivered at Granite.

Albany plans a rousing Fourth of July celebration, and committees are actively at work preparing for the event.

The "human rose bud" parade, composed of 2000 grammar school children was the event in the celebration of Portland's rose festival.

Through the joint efforts of Representatives Hawley and Ellis, the Navy Department has been induced to send the gunboat Yorktown to Astoria from June 20 to 25, while the G. A. R. encampment is in progress.

A postoffice has been established at Hillman, Crook county, to be supplied by special service from Redmond. Ervin A. Cleland has been appointed postmaster.

The condition of winter wheat in Oregon June 1, as reported by the Department of Agriculture was 92, as compared with 95 on May 1 and 87 on June 1, 1909. The ten-year average is 92.

Charles B. Merrick, at present Register of the Portland Land Office, has been nominated for Postmaster at Portland, to succeed the late John C. Young. The nomination was made upon the recommendation of Senator Bourne.

An initiative petition, calling for the amendment of the local option law has been filed with the Secretary of State. The amendment is for the purpose of allowing each individual town in a county to control its own liquor traffic.

From North Powder to Elgin, embracing practically all of Union County, near-beer keepers and druggists to the number of 43 have been indicted by the grand jury. The nature of the indictments is kept closely guarded, but the rumor has leaked out to the effect that every one of the big batch is a bootlegging case.

The grand lodge of Masons of Oregon, the grand chapter of the Royal Arch, the grand chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, a reunion and initiation of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite for the Valley of Portland, and a business as well as ceremonial session was held in Portland this week.

The convention of Oregon retail liquor dealers adjourned at Portland after a two days' session, in the latter hours of which a set of resolutions was adopted pledging the members of the association toward an effort to uplift the business and to restrain violations of the law.

Students of Dallas College, at the closing chapel service for the year, subscribed \$2100 toward the endowment of A. A. Winter had set forth the needs of the institution, and urged the needs of the college, after Acting a liberal endowment as well as the erection of new buildings.

The Spokane, Portland & Seattle railroad has closed a three year contract with the Associated Oil Company of California and will use oil fuel in all of its locomotives. The burners are now being converted. The entire North Bank system will be using oil fuel by September the first.

The United Railways' surveyors have started a survey from Tillamook to Pacific City. By following the county road they will practically have no heavy grades and no large cuts to make. If this line is built it will give the United Railways another water outlet at Pacific City on the Nestucca bay.

Announcement of the date and programme of the annual rifle competition of the Oregon National Guard, in which teams of crack shots from all over the state will participate, has been made by Adjutant-General Frazier. The competition will open July 12 and continue until July 14. The new range at Clackamas Station will be used.

What is considered the most successful wool sale of the season thus far was held at Pendleton and Pilot Rock Saturday. About 380,000 pounds changed hands, practically everything that was offered. The bids on a few clips were refused, while a few are under consideration. The ruling prices were 13 to 16 cents per pound, though there were bids as low as 12 cents.

Scores of homesteaders on the Siletz reservation who have been struggling in vain for many years to get patent to their lands, will attain their end if the Senate passes the Hawley bill, which passed the House last Monday. This class of legislation is usually expedited in the Senate, and seldom calls forth protest, and it is presumed this bill will pass the upper branch of Congress and be signed by the President before adjournment.



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