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 Harry Wilkerson Harry Carter
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 Story by John Fleming Wilson

Hounded by Wilson, Gallon is made to believe that his former partner is a real being and not an apparition. It is this knowledge that breaks the spirit of Gallon and prepares him for death. Wilkerson compels Gallon to employ him as superintendent in the mines. It is the last straw; Gallon sinks fast, and as his life is about to flicker out, his daughter, John Dore, and the old cook are gathered in the death room. Supported in Ruth's arms, Gallon writes his last will. It reads:
 "I leave all my property to my daughter, Ruth, to come into her full possession on her eighteenth birthday. I direct her never to let go of the Master Key which will make my little girl happy. I direct that my daughter

keep Harry Wilkerson as superintendent until she is eighteen. I appoint as executor of this, my last will and testament, John Dore.
 When Gallon dies, Dore finds in the desk, a sealed envelope, addressed to him, which reads, "To be opened on if her welfare is threatened." It is hard for Ruth and Dore to appreciate all that has and is happening; much of it is a mystery to them. Vaguely they realize that Gallon had a dread of Wilkerson, that he had evidently wronged him, and that Wilkerson, in turn, has a mission of vengeance.
 At the "Master Key" mine matters come to a crisis when Wilkerson, now in full charge, posts a notice to the effect that "After this day all wages in this mine will be reduced 25 percent." The man is after much money—as much as he can get. He also sees that Dore is a stumbling block to his schemes. Of an afternoon Dore interferes when Wilkerson knocks a miner down. It is an excuse for Wilkerson firing him as mine engineer.
 Following this move the miners decide to strike. Wilkerson's domineering manner has earned the dislike of every one of them. There is a fight in the office between Wilkerson and an old miner. The former draws a

gun and is only prevented from shooting the miner by the timely appearance of Dore. But the incident is sufficient for the rough miners to seek Wilkerson's life. They secure a rope and prepare to lynch him.
 Because of Ruth because he cannot see murder done even in the heat of passion, Dore goes to the defense of the cornered rat. Standing on a box, he tells the miners in a few, brief words the exact situation so far as he is concerned, begs them not to risk Ruth's property. For a time the men listen and then they seem to get out of hand. Ruth climbs upon the box besides her sweetheart and joins her own appeal to his. And this proves successful as far as the life of Wilkerson is concerned.
 But the strike,—it must be ended. Wilkerson realized this if he hoped to continue the mine in operation and get more money; his life would be threatened at any moment so long as the strike lasted. It is a bitter pill to swallow but Wilkerson announces to the men that the former scale of wages will be again put in force and that John Dore will be appointed superintendent of the mine. He is ready to bide his time for revenge.
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BIG QUERY FOR TIES RECEIVED

Boston Concerns Want Quotation on 30,000,000 Feet of Railroad material
 Portland lumbermen have been put in an optimistic mood on learning that an inquiry by wire had come from Boston for quotations and deliveries on 30,000,000 feet of railroad ties. If the inquiry develops into a purchase order, it will mean a revival of business on the coast in the filling of the order. 11,000,000 feet of ties were recently contracted for by Charles R. McCormick & Co. of St. Helens for delivery at San Francisco for the Denver and Rio Grande railroad.

Cheese Outfit Received

The Coquille Valley Creamery has just received a complete cheesemaking outfit. If the prices warrant it this year, they will make cheese. T. B. Klock, of Seattle, who was recently in town, says that he thinks the price on cheese will be high enough so that this creamery can sell it to good advantage. Mr. Klock handles all the butter and cheese that is shipped from the creameries on the river and on the bay side.
 During the month of January the Coquille creamery paid three and a half cents more for butter fat than was paid in Humboldt county during that month.—Coquille Herald.

PORTLAND COMMERCIAL CLUB AND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WILL CONSOLIDATE

Of great interest to the city of Portland as well as to the entire state is the move to consolidate the commercial clubs of the city into one organization bringing them both under one management, making necessary collection of only one fund instead of two and vastly broadening the lines along which the united forces will operate. The funds necessary to carry on the work of the single organization will be raised in the form of membership fees and from this fund, appropriations will be made to carry on the work of each of the several departments.
 One department, the Oregon Development Bureau will take over the work formerly managed by the Oregon Development League, and in every possible way will co-operate with commercial bodies throughout the state in any and all efforts for the advancement and development of Oregon.

Won't Quit Smoking

M. G. Pohl, one of the first settlers in this valley, who is now living near Bandon, was in town Saturday. He is taking treatment for a cancer which has developed on his lower lip. When asked if it were a tobacco cancer due to smoking he intimated that it made no particular difference, as he did not intend to quit smoking which had been a comfort to him for many years and was one of the few remaining to him.—Coquille Herald.

School Building Dedicated

School Superintendent Baker returned Sunday from Coos river where he delivered an address at the dedication of a new school house erected at the forks of the river by the consolidated school district. He reports an attendance of about four hundred people at the exercises which were held in the evening. "This district is now in a position to have the best school in the county. It is the third richest district in the county, having an assessed value of only a few thousand and below that of North Bend. While there are less than 200 pupils in the district school courses will be added as the pupils advance. The building is a fine structure and will furnish a good home for the school."

BOYS AND BREWERIES

A man was trying to convince another that because of the vested interests involved the people had no right to close the breweries. His friend answered thus: "I have three boys. By the time I graduate them from college they will have cost me about ten thousand dollars each. Every interest of the brewery and everything that the brewery stands for is diametrically opposed to and threatens the investment that I have made in my boys. No doubt the brewer has more than thirty thousand invested in his plant, but I am going to safeguard my own interests first. I shall vote dry within ten minutes after the polls open if I can get my ballot in by that time.—Selected.

Change in Tax Law

Under the new tax law passed by the last legislature one half the tax can be paid by April first and the other half by October first without any interest or penalty attached. On any tax not paid by April first, there will be added one percent per month interest until Sept. first when they become delinquent and penalty added.

The coroner's jury in its report on the Marshfield lodging house fire

complains that the state statutes regarding fire precautions were not complied with but added that the building furnished more opportunity for escape with its porches, lean-to, water tower, etc than the average building used for like purposes.
 Since the fire, the Chandler hotel and other buildings of Marshfield have made arrangements for more fire escapes and better protection in case of emergency.

The Port Commissioners of Siuslaw

who had advertised for bids for \$100,000 6 per cent bonds, recently accepted the bid of Sweet-Causey-Foster, of Denver, Chicago and Philadelphia, who offered \$100,000, or \$100 above par.

A Ford auto with two occupants left the bridge across Coldham along near Marshfield Sunday afternoon and fell ten feet to the water covered mud flat beneath. Neither man nor car were seriously injured.

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