

## STATE PARAGRAPHS

INTERESTING BITS OF CONDENSED NEWS GATHERED FROM  
VARIOUS SOURCES IN OREGON

In addition to winning a grand prize for forage crops, and a medal for products of the soil, the Willamette valley exhibit at the San Francisco fair has been awarded 18 gold medals, 52 silver medals and received eight honorable mentions according to Fred S. Bynon, secretary of the Willamette Valley exposition association.

"Rattlesnake Jim," a Swiss, who is walking around the world barefooted and who passed through Oregon going north several months ago, is returning and is on his way to South America. Jim tried to get into British Columbia, but was turned back by the Canadian immigration officers. He will cover South America until the war is over before starting his trip back to Switzerland.

Five prisoners have been recommended by the state parole board to the governor for parole. They are C. A. Carmany, serving a term from Yamhill county for larceny by bailee; John McCullough, serving a term from Yamhill county for larceny; Walter C. Dutrow, serving a term for larceny, from Wasco county; W. H. Beeman, serving a term from Marion county for assault and robbery, and Dave Snyder, serving a term from Umatilla county for obtaining money by false pretenses.

On Saturday noon of last week Arnold Brugger, living with his wife and little daughter on a small farm west of Amity, hanged himself in his barn. The cause of the act is unknown. Nothing unusual was noticed in his manner during the forenoon. He left the house for the barn before noon and after his wife had prepared the noonday meal she went to the barn to call him, when she found him hanging. Unable to release the body, she ran to a neighbors for aid. The coroner was summoned and made examination of the body.

C. O. Bogart shot and dangerously wounded B. Matthews near Vale Sunday afternoon. Both are homesteaders on Dry Gulch, about 20 miles northwest of Vale. The shooting is said to have been the result of a dispute over the use of a spring. Bogart used a .303 Savage rifle, shooting Matthews twice in the groin, the bullets passing entirely through the body without striking a bone. Bogart was immediately jailed. Dr. Bart-

lett, who is attending Matthews, thinks there is a possibility of the man's recovery. Other parties present had difficulty in preventing Bogart shooting a third time, after Matthews was down. Matthews is a one-armed man. Mrs. Matthews was sick at the time of the shooting and was nearly prostrated.

Giving the name of Dodge, and declaring himself to be a relative of the manufacturer of the Dodge automobile, a stranger is said to have buncoed 30 auto dealers in and around Marshfield by garnering advance money from them on a proposed auto association, which could buy direct from the factory at prices less than half now being paid by them for supplies and extras. Several dealers admit they paid \$5 initiation fees and one man put up \$100 toward supplies. Dodge has disappeared and the officers are searching for him.

### SANDLAKE

Obe Harris went to Tillamook Sunday, returning Monday, bringing his nephew, Roy Olson, with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Atkinson were business visitors to Tillamook Monday, returning Tuesday.

George Galloway made a business trip to Hemlock Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Diamond were Tillamook visitors the first of the week.

Mrs. Mabel Mapes, of Cloverdale, is visiting her parents this week.

Mr. Cameron and son, were business visitors in Tillamook this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ladd are visiting relatives here.

The picnic at the lake held recently was not very well attended on account of the threatening rain. Those who attended, about one dozen, report having had a good time.

Ame Blum has been hauling lumber the past week for Mr. Ward's new house.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Hughes and son, Allen, spent Sunday on the beach.

Grandpa Atkinson was visiting his son Charles the first of the week.

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