

# SMITH IS TO AWAIT GRAND JURY CHARGE

Taken Before Justice Swan This Morning and Waived Preliminary Hearing.

BONDS WERE FIXED AT \$2000 IN EACH CASE

May Not Be Able to Furnish Bail; May Be Kept in County Jail for Sometime.

Continued from Saturday, Sept. 13.

Taken before Justice of the Peace L. L. Swan this morning, Charles B. Smith, waived preliminary hearing and was bound over to await the action of the grand jury.

Smith was brought up in the justice court this morning for a hearing on two charges, which was the result of his arrest the fore part of the week at Woodburn, after his flight in an automobile from this city, after committing alleged operations in securing credit on the strength of a bank book showing an alleged deposit.

The two charges against Smith are those of securing money under false pretenses and of obtaining goods under false pretenses.

Complaints in the respective cases were O. A. Archibald, cashier of the First National Bank and E. M. French the jeweler. The bank stipulates \$103 in their complaint and E. M. French \$280 in his complaint.

Following his action in waiving hearing this morning, Judge Swan immediately fixed Smith's bonds at \$2000 in each case. Following this action on the part of the justice, Sheriff Bodine took Smith back to the county jail where he will probably be held without bail. No intimation that he would secure the necessary bonds was made by Smith.

In this event, Smith will be compelled to remain in the county jail for some time at least, unless a special session of the grand jury is called for the purpose of considering his case. The next term of the grand jury will not be held until just prior to the fore part of December. It is understood this morning that the Eugene authorities are endeavoring to ring in their claims in the case. According to a report this morning they are trying to secure an attachment in their favor on the defendant's automobile at Woodburn. It became known yesterday that Smith is well known in this section. He formerly resided here and during that time became acquainted with Miss Carey G. White of Lebanon, whom he later married at the home of Mrs. Boggs. The date of the marriage is August 10, 1910. Rev. W. P. White officiated.

# DID STRAHORN VIOLATE SPIRIT OF LAW, IS QUERY

Salem, Or. Sep. 13.—Did President Robert Strahorn of the Portland, Eugene & Eastern railroad violate the law against a railroad giving free transportation when he recently carried a group of Portland newspaper men over his company's lines in special train to show them the development of the Willamette valley? This question, in effect, was asked by the state railroad commission in a letter addressed to Ralph E. Moody, general attorney for the company, asking him to investigate.

Oysters Again in Season.—Now that September, the first month of the fall containing an "R" in its spelling, has arrived, oysters have again come into season and shipments are already coming in. The shipments are made in refrigerated cars containing five and 10 gallon cans of oysters, most of which are shipped from the Chesapeake Bay where they are raised in large quantities.

McDowell Returns from Alaska.—L. E. McDowell, proprietor of the McDowell Shoe company this morning returned from a two months trip to Alaska. He expects to remain in Albany several weeks.

Ex-County Clerk Here.—J. W. Miller, ex-county clerk, is in the city today attending business. Mr. Miller says that things are humming around Shelburn, with prospects for bumper crops in every field.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Olsen, of Linn county, near Albany, a boy.

# ASKS COURT TO APPOINT GUARDIAN

Upon petition of L. G. Thompson, for appointment of a guardian for Juanita E. Thompson, his wife, who is an incompetent, County Judge McBright set the hearing for September 20.

According to the petition Mrs. Thompson was admitted to a hospital on Aug. 28, 1912 and was at that time said to be the owner of real property of the value of \$250. The husband applies through the petition to be appointed guardian of the estate.

# BROTHER IDENTIFIES CORPSE FOUND AT CLIFFSIDE

Finger of Suspicion Points to Young Physician. Birth Mark Makes Identification.

(By United Press Association) New York, Sep. 13.—Basing his identification upon the birth mark on the shoulder, Francis Day, a Brooklyn real estate broker, today positively identified the decapitated body found at Cliffside as that of his sister, Antonette Day. The young woman was 22 years of age and Day informed the police of his sister's acquaintance with a young physician who graduated two years ago at Long Island College of Physicians and Surgeons. In August, Day declared that members of his family learned that Antonette was facing motherhood. Two days before finding the corpse Antonette disappeared. The police are inclined to accept the identification made by Day and are now searching for the physician.

# FOUR COLLEGE CAMPUS LOTS HAVE BEEN SOLD

Prominent Albanyites Are the First to Purchase Home Sites in New Add.

Four of ten lots in the block of the Albany College campus put on the market Thursday have been sold already, according to a statement made this afternoon by President Crooks. C. H. Essex has purchased two of them, Earl Brandeberry one, and the fourth has been purchased by E. J. Fletcher.

All three parties are contemplating erecting substantial homes on the lots. Mr. Brandeberry says he will be the first to erect a dwelling in the fine new addition, evidently meaning that he will commence operations immediately. It is understood that Messrs. Essex and Fletcher are intending to construct houses at their earliest convenience.

# MILT MILLER COMMENDS MOVEMENT MADE BY CLUB

Urges Counties to Advertise Valley as District—"In Unity There Is Strength."

Commending the movement recently set forth by the Albany Commercial club to join with other counties in advertising the Willamette valley as a district, Hon. M. A. Miller, collector of Internal Revenue for Oregon, and formerly state senator from Linn county, has written J. S. Van Winkle, president of the club, stating that the plan suggested reminds him of an old adage. "In unity there is strength."

In part Mr. Miller's letter says: "This idea appeals to me. It seems that this plan can be carried out more effectively and with less expense than individual advertising. By working together we can help ourselves, help our neighbors and help everybody interested. By a united effort much can be accomplished. . . . by counties working in harmony. . . . in making a creditable display at the Panama exposition. I wish to congratulate the Albany Commercial club in initiating this movement. . . . and I sincerely endorse it."

# LEBANON MAN RUN OVER BY OWN AUTOMOBILE

Lebanon, Or., Sep. 12.—(Special to the Democrat.)—That J. M. Riley, a sawmill man of this city, may lose his leg as the result of an accident yesterday is the opinion of physicians.

The accident happened in a peculiar way. After stalling his car by accident choking the motor down, Mr. Riley got out to crank it, neglecting to throw the gear lever in neutral. The throttle was left fairly wide open and the motor being exceedingly hot, with the first crank shot forward on low gear with a jerk. The result was that Mr. Riley was knocked down and run over, receiving the injury to his leg.

Lectured for Violating Traffic Ordinance.—Charged with violating the traffic ordinance, C. J. Scott, was yesterday afternoon taken before Police Judge Van Tassell by Chief of Police King and given a good lecture, with full instructions as to the right way to operate an automobile upon the streets of Albany. Scott, according to officers, drove his machine on the left hand side of the street and stopped his car on the wrong side of Ellsworth street in violation of the city ordinance.

Will Start Threshing.—All farmers of Tangent was in Albany yesterday and while here stated that they would start threshing in a few days. He believes that it will be an excellent crop.

# TWO CAR LOADS OF CLOVER SEED

M. Senders & Co. Make Largest Shipment of Season This Morning.

CONSIGNMENT TO WISCONSIN VALUED AT \$21,000

Dan Roth Receives the Highest Sum for Clover Crop of Over \$5000.

That considerable clover was raised this year in Linn county and that the crop will far surpass the output in many seasons past, was indicated today by a single shipment, made to the east, which is said to be the largest single consignment of this crop this year from Albany.

M. Senders & Company have just completed the shipment of two carloads of clover seed, consigned to Wisconsin buyers. The cars were shipped this morning. The shipment is valued at \$21,000 and is said to be the biggest consignment of this crop this season from Albany.

A cash price is to be paid for the clover seed and this will mean that a big sum of money will be placed into circulation here.

Mr. Senders reports that the largest single sale made this year by one farmer was \$5000, which was received by Dan Roth for his clover crop. August Koenig received the next highest price for his clover crop, of about \$4000. Both are leading farmers of Linn county and they are jubilant over the profitable disposition of their crops without noticeable loss by the recent rains.

Within the next ten days M. Senders & Co. expect to make another large shipment of clover to the east.

# CITY NEWS

Threshing Soon to Be Completed.—The threshing outfit of Anthony Austin is now operating in the section due east of this city and providing the weather remains good until the middle of next week, it is expected that this years run will be completed. Good oat crops are reported in that section and the farmers are hoping that the weather remains clear until all of the crops are in.

Good Program at Rolfe.—The Rolfe theater program last night and for tonight was an exceptionally strong and pleasing one. The feature was in two reels entitled, "Home Sweet Home." Some breezy comedies are also included in the program.

Took Pictures in Montana.—Park Stalnsker who recently returned from Loma, Montana, where he visited with his brothers, Herman and Olin Stalnsker, who are homesteading near there, brought back several splendid pictures taken of the plains, shacks, crops and personages of the Albany neighbor near Loma.

May Locate in Marshfield.—That A. M. Holt, who was formerly engaged in the butchering business at the corner of Lyon and Second streets, may move to Marshfield, Coos Bay, to reside, was intimated yesterday afternoon by Mr. Holt. He said he has had his eyes on that section for sometime.

Devotional Meeting at Y. M. C. A.—Tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, a devotional meeting will be held at the Y. M. C. A. The meeting will be led by Dr. C. V. Littler, chairman of religious work committee. This is the first meeting of the winter. All men are cordially invited to attend.

Dreamland Opens Tonight.—With new furnishings throughout and the best bill ever shown in Albany, the Dreamland theater will again open its doors this evening. The play house has been completely overhauled, a new system of ventilation installed, new chairs provided, new scenery painted and everything out in readiness for the opening night. A record breaking crowd is expected by the new management.

Dr. Hunt Has Returned.—Dr. Hunt has returned from an outing at Newport and will again open his office on Monday. He says he had a delightful outing.

President Van Winkle Thanked.—President J. S. Van Winkle of the Albany Commercial club today received a letter from President Robert Strahorn of the Portland, Eugene & Eastern Railway thanking him for his splendid address, delivered at the Monroe celebration. The play house, President Strahorn stated, that he hoped the time may soon come when he can be in Albany on a similar mission.

Forger at Large.—Chief of Police King has received word with descriptions to look out for Sterling Stiles, a forger, who left the Washington state reformatory on September 8. In the description Stiles is said to be about 35 years of age, a bald man.

McDermott Has Returned.—John McDermott, the sign painter, who has been in Seattle for the past two weeks, has returned to resume his business here.

Swan Goes to Salem.—Leaving this morning Judge L. L. Swan went to Salem to attend business matters. He will return this evening.

# ARE CELEBRATING GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Miller Were Married in Linn County in 1863.

Today Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Miller are celebrating their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

They were married in 1863, three miles west of Scio, Mrs. Miller's maiden name was Martha Frances Ferry.

Mr. Miller in company with his father came here from the East in 1851 and settled on a donation land claim near the present site of Shelburn. With the exception of two and a half years he resided in Jefferson, Mr. Miller has lived in Linn county all his life. From 1905 to 1907 he was county treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller are the parents of three children living, who are William C. Miller of Yamhill, Mrs. O. W. Mitchell, of Albany, and Mrs. Fuggie Stevens, of Portland.

# ALBANY ATHLETICS WILL DEFEAT CORVALLIS SUNDAY

At Least This Is Calculation and a Hard Game Is Anticipated.

Tomorrow afternoon at the baseball park beginning at 3 o'clock, the Albany Athletics will endeavor to take the second game of the series of three from the Corvallis Comets. Albany's line up will be materially strengthened by the addition of Carson Bigbee and W. H. Kirk. Bigbee has been absent from the line up for several weeks, during which time he has been playing sensational ball in the Coos Bay country. Kirk has been making a record playing with Harrisburg. He is considered a new discovery in baseball playing.

The game promises to be a thriller from the start. Corvallis will bring over scores of faithful followers and it is hoped that the local fans will turn out with their full spirit aroused. In the event Albany lands this game a third one will be played but the site of this proposed game has not yet been determined.

Improves Show Window.—A new paneled background for the show window at the Flood store has greatly improved the appearance of the store front.

# Save Money.

Here is a chance for every subscriber of the Twice-a-Week Democrat to save money. The Albany Daily Democrat has contracted for, and now receives an accurate and reliable telegraph news service from the United Press Association of New York City. All of the local, county, state and national news each day for \$3.00 per annum. The sum of \$3.00 will bring the Daily Democrat to your door with the news of the world. The Daily Democrat gives you what no metropolitan daily newspaper can give—all of the local and county news and of the principal news events of the world in addition thereto at a price much less than you will pay for a Portland daily. Semi-weekly subscribers who desire to change to the daily will be given a credit on their weekly subscription if the same has been paid in advance. wk s12f

# ANOTHER FIRE DRILL WAS HELD LAST NIGHT

Ringling of Fire Alarm Is Getting to Be Nuisance Say Property Owners.

"This continual ringing of the fire alarm for every little practice the firemen hold is getting to be a nuisance" said a prominent property owner last night between puffs, as he was leisurely walking down the street.

A few minutes previous he was hastily rushing to the scene of a supposed fire and was suddenly stopped, when his query to a passerby was answered: "Oh, its only fire drill."

"Why," he continued, "the people of Albany will stop going to fires, thinking every time the fire bell rings that it is a drill. I believe I would just as soon lose one of my shacks as to go through this excitement every time."

The reason of the excitement when the fire alarm rang last evening at 7:25 o'clock, is by the fact that contrary to orders of Fire Chief Horskvy, an announcement that a fire drill was to be held failed to reach the Democrat office. In this event the people of Albany would have been informed of the cause of the alarm and saved considerable anxiety.

The drill was held at the corner of First and Ellsworth streets when water was pumped to the top of the Revere rooming house. It was another successful drill.

Attorney Dan Johnston was a business visitor at Scio yesterday.

# CORVALLIS KNIGHTS ARE PLANNING BIG TIME HERE

Will Come Here in a Body to Attend Annual Conclave Sept. 24-25.

The Sir Knights of Bruce Commandery and their ladies are making arrangements for a big time on Thursday, September 25, when they will go to Albany, in a body, in response to an invitation extended by Temple Commandery No. 3, to take part in the parade and reception which will form part of the program of the Grand Commandery, at its annual conclave in the Hub City Sep. 24 and 25, Says a Corvallis paper.

It is expected that a special car will be chartered over the Oregon Electric, leaving here shortly after noon on the 23rd, and returning after the grand reception in the armory at night.

The Sir Knights will go in full uniform and will constitute one of the principal divisions in the parade to take place at 1:30 in the afternoon, while the ladies will be entertained by the Albany ladies of Temple Commandery until the evening reception.

These doings are only for Knights Templar and their ladies, and are looked forward to every year with pleasant anticipation. Last year Eugene was the host, and those who went from here are still telling of the enjoyable time they had.

W. W. Ashby, of the Warren Construction Co., arrived in the city yesterday from Lebanon to attend business matters.

## SURVEYING?

See PENLAND & EATON  
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## The Big Why!

The reason I am dating so many sales is that Auctioneering is my specialty and not a side line. The following dates are taken, which date shall I reserve for you?

Sep. 15, Walter Smith, 2 miles north of Coburg Junc. Farm sale.

Sep. 16, E. L. Hanerland, 1 mile west, 2 miles north of Shedd, 4 head of horses, 19 head high grade Jersey cows, farm implements, household goods, etc.

Sep. 17, W. A. Barber, 3 miles north of Junction City, 19 high grade Jersey cows, 7 2-year old heifers; 7 2-year old steers; 15 calves; 11 stock hogs, wt. 140 lbs. Farm imp., household goods, etc.

Sep. 18, John Edwards, on the Harry Bateman place 4 1-2 tes N. W. of Brownville on the main Brownville-Shedd road. 4 head of horses; 12 head high-grade Jersey cows, sheep, hogs, farm implements, household goods, etc.

Sep. 19, R. H. Marks, 5 miles north of Harrisburg, general farm sale.

Sep. 20, Belle Steele 1-1/2 miles north of Jefferson. 9 head of horses, farm imp, household goods, etc.

Sep. 22, T. J. McClure 2-1/2 miles south of Albany on the Tangent Road, general farm sale.

Sep. 23, J. W. Coleman, 1-2 mile east of Harrisburg.

Sep. 24th John A. McBride estate 3 miles west of Shedd, 15 head high-grade draft horses including 2 registered Clyde mares, 10 head high-grade Jersey cows, some hogs and general farm machinery.

Sep. 25, Cunningham Bros., 2 miles south of Harrisburg. 20 head of horses, 23 head of cattle 160 sheep, hogs, farm imp, etc.

Sep. 26th John W. Pugh estate, 2 miles south of Shedd, 18 head of high grade draft horses, 20 high grade Jersey cows, 1 complete threshing outfit, sheep, hogs, farm machinery, and household goods.

Sep. 27, Chris Widmier, 1-1/2 miles east of Harrisburg. Free lunch at noon. These are all big sales. Remember the dates and come early.

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