

# KIZER MAKES DASH TO HIS FREEDOM

Skips Out Back Door of the Restaurant and Is Driven Away in Buggy.

## INTERCEPTED BY OFFICERS IN BENTON COUNTY

Prisoner Was Serving 25 Days Jail Sentence for Violation of Liquor Ordinance.

Continued from Wednesday, Sept. 17

Emulating the escape of Harry Thaw from Mattewan asylum, and assisted by two friends, Fred Kizer, who is serving a 25 day jail sentence for violation of the "hip pocket liquor ordinance," made a desperate attempt to escape yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

In charge of Policeman Ali Marshall, Kizer was taken to the Pullman restaurant for supper. Finishing his meal Kizer arose and went to the sink at the rear of the restaurant, supposedly to get some water. Meantime Marshall retained his seat near where Kizer had eaten the meal.

Kizer walked to the kitchen door and engaged in conversation with the cook. Later on he pushed the door open and went into the kitchen. Marshall then asked Douglass, the proprietor, to go into the kitchen and tell Kizer to come out. Douglass informed the officer upon his return that the prisoner was not there.

Marshall immediately rushed into the kitchen and out the back door. Stopping at Bryant's blacksmith shop at the corner of the alley and Broad-albin street, he was informed that three men in a buggy just rushed past at breakneck speed. Investigation developed that they had gone through the alley to Ferry street, then turned south to First street. They drove at terrific speed to the bridge, crossing at a gallop.

Marshall intercepted the first automobile, which was Dr. Davis'. Detaining Bill Elkborn and Ben Cellan, the officer and his two deputies piled into the machine and were driven by George Crawford at terrific speed in pursuit of the fugitives.

After driving frantically, Kizer and his two accomplices, Roy Kizer and Bill Saylor, were intercepted near Luther's hop yard, in Benton county, one and one half miles north of here. "You can't take me," shouted Roy Kizer. "I'm in another county."

"If I get my hands on you, I'll show you who I'll talk," roared Marshall as he climbed out of the machine. He was followed closely by his deputies.

Fred Kizer was told to get out and he obeyed. Marshall turned his prisoner over to Ben Clelan and Saylor, who were in charge of Elkborn. Meantime Roy Kizer remained in the buggy. As Marshall placed his foot on the top step to get into the buggy to drive the rig back to the city, Kizer jumped out of the other side and ran for the brush. Marshall took up the pursuit but the fugitive got away through the brush.

The two captives were returned here and Kizer was placed in jail. Saylor, a mere youth, was released and told to appear before Recorder Van Fassel this morning for a hearing. Roy Kizer, though at the same moment the prisoner, is on release. His home is in Salem where it is understood he is employed as a cook.

He has been in the city for the past two days and yesterday morning fled to capture Fred Kizer's release. It is understood that Kizer's release was secured by a man who had a good job for him in Salem. The prisoner is a cook and it is understood that they belong to a cook's brotherhood union. Roy Kizer's brother, Gilbert, relative to Fred's release, was told that whatever the recorder did was agreeable to him. Accordingly Roy consented, the recorder, who informed him that \$25 would secure the prisoner's release.

Meeting with this failure in his efforts, local officers are of the opinion that the attempted escape was deliberately planned. The fugitives and the officers they were going to Independence.

Kizer was sent to the penitentiary and would have served his time out on the 28th. No additional charges have been preferred against him and on that date will probably be released.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Hall, of Salem, are visitors in the city today.

Miss Mary Smith is a guest at the home of relatives in Jefferson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Smith of Sweet Home were visitors in the city yesterday.

R. K. Ohling left yesterday for Lebanon and from there he went to his farm to supervise pruning of a pear orchard.

Mrs. Stanley Stevens of Brownsville is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. B. Chisler of this city.

# SCORES OF STRANGERS ARE TOURING VALLEY

Easterners Daily Visit Commercial Club for Information About Country.

That many Eastern people are now going through this section looking for land, was the statement made this morning by Manager Stewart of the Commercial club.

"And nine out of every ten of them," said Mr. Stewart, "after touring the Northwest, state that the Willamette valley is the place." Scores of strangers are visiting the club daily, seeking information relative to the country. They are people from all parts of the East and the average number of them are here for the purpose of looking over the country with a view of locating, while a large majority are merely tourists.

Manager Stewart is of the opinion that this means that at a later season people from the East will begin to move westward to make their permanent home. He says the average run of the strangers appear to be investors and land buyers.

## ALBANY MAN FRACTURES KNEE IN THREE PLACES

Irb Schultz Sustains Serious Fall While Fishing in Alsea Country.

As the result of a serious fall he sustained while fishing in the Alsea country Monday, Irb Schultz is lying at his home in Sunrise with his knee cap fractured in three places.

Schultz, in company with Tom Alexander, the linotypist, left here last Friday in the latter's automobile for the Alsea country on a fishing and hunting expedition. According to the story told by his companion, Schultz was fishing on the bank of a stream and in flipping his fly the hook caught on the limb of a tree. From the rock ledge upon which he was standing he was unable to extricate it and was in the act of climbing the tree which was overhanging the stream when he lost his foothold, slipped and fell 25 feet to a rock ledge and slid in several feet of water. Alexander at the time was fishing some distance farther up stream and how Schultz managed to crawl out of the swiftly moving current is a miracle and his escape from drowning is considered miraculous.

Upon dragging himself out upon the bank, Schultz's call for help was heard by Alexander, who immediately came to the injured man's assistance. He carried some distance and loaded into the automobile and carried to the nearest railroad station, where he was placed on a train. He arrived here yesterday and was met at the depot by Mrs. Goff in her automobile and carried home. Dr. Wallace was called and rendered medical assistance. The injured limb was placed in a plaster cast and it will be necessary for the patient to be taken to the hospital for an X-ray examination, before the fractures can be set.

## NEWS NOTES AND PERSONAL MENTION FROM SHEDD

Shedd, Or., Sept. 17.—(Special to Democrat)—Mrs. B. S. Powers went to Hartsburg Friday on business.

Mrs. J. R. Davis took the south bound train for Eugene Friday evening.

Mr. Chas. Davis had business calling him to Albany Friday.

Mrs. W. M. Heals Jr. went to Grants Pass Monday to visit relatives.

Mr. Chas. Davis and wife visited High Lager at Halsey Sunday.

Mr. James Dye of Tacoma, Wash., was in Shedd Monday to visit Mrs. Chas. Davis and Al Nelson.

Pete Anderson of Albany was in Shedd last Saturday on business.

Mr. W. G. Young from Matine, is out on a visit with his cousin, J. B. County.

Mr. F. Ackerman paid a visit Sunday to his son, who lives near Halsey.

Mr. L. B. Kent left for Independence Friday to bring his wife home from the hop yard.

Mrs. L. St. John and children returned from the hop yard at Independence Saturday.

Mr. James Kelly and son Clyde made a business trip to Jefferson Monday.

Mr. Chas. Jenks of Tangent was in Shedd Monday on business.

Mr. James Kelly and T. B. Kent returned two boys to the yellow school Pidgey who had made their escape about a week ago.

Mr. T. T. Price went to Albany Tuesday.

William Shewman had business calling him to Albany Tuesday.

Miss Ada Davidson of Lebanon, who has been visiting at the home of C. H. Davidson, her brother, returned home Monday morning.

Miss Fay Bennett resigned her position as clerk in Davis & Shedd Co's store Saturday evening. Miss Bennett will go to school in Halsey this winter.

J. S. Maglands, of Eugene, transacted business here today.

Attorney Mark Weatherford left this noon for Roseburg on a business trip.

Mrs. E. F. Sox is a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Newton, of Portland.

# LINN COUNTY IS WORTH MILLIONS

County Assessor Fisher Has Completed Summary of Property Valuations.

VALUE OF ASSESSABLE PROPERTY IS \$26,448,825

Substantial Increase Over Report of 1912; Detailed Statement Is Given.

County Assessor Earl Fisher has just completed his summary of the valuations of the assessable property in Linn county for the year 1913.

The summary shows that the total taxable property exclusive of public service corporations and household goods is valued at \$26,448,825.

Last year the total taxable property including household goods and public service corporations, such as telephone lines, railroad and other items, was valued at \$26,042,295.

The 1913 summary thus shows an increase over that of the year of 1912 of \$406,530. With this it must be borne in mind that household goods and public service corporations are exempt from the county tax roll this year as the taxation of these corporations are now done through the state department. Mr. Fisher stated this morning that the exemption of household goods lowers the estimate of the tax summary about \$400,000, and other items at least \$200,000. But for this an increase in the valuation of property in this county during the year would be over a million dollars.

The various items included in the summary as compiled by Assessor Fisher, follows:

Acres of tillable land, \$6,671,750.  
Acres of non-tillable land, \$11,208,195.  
Improvement on deeded or patented lands, \$1,282,135.  
Town and city lots, \$1,631,110.  
Improvements on town and city lots, \$1,004,805.  
Railroad bed, \$80,000.  
Rolling stock on logging roads, \$16,000.  
Miles of water ditches, \$6,700.  
Automobiles, engines, and manufacturing machinery, \$16,620.  
Merchandise, \$837,320.  
Farming implements, wagons, carriages, etc., \$209,360.  
Money, \$79,080.  
Notes and accounts, \$573,040.  
Shares of stocks, \$355,150.  
Horses and mules, \$658,210.  
Cattle, \$454,085.  
Sheep and goats, \$89,365.  
Swine, \$40,020.  
Dogs, \$8,160.

Total taxable property exclusive of public service corporations, \$26,448,825.

## CITY NEWS.

Marriage License Issued.—This Judge McKnight this morning united in marriage George W. Shaw and Belle Cunningham, both of Halsey, and aged respectively 65 and 36. It is the second marriage for both and Mrs. Cunningham was among the Linn county widows receiving pension under the widow's pension law. Shaw is a prosperous farmer of near Halsey. They returned to that place this noon where they will make their home on the groom's farm.

Assumed Business Name Filed.—J. A. McDowell and wife as proprietors of the McDowell Shoe Co. this morning filed with Deputy County Clerk Rufus Russell, an assumed business name document.

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Do You Realize that You Only Have

# THREE MORE DAYS

in which to do your shopping before

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<h3>Stockings</h3> <p>All weights and sizes in Boys' and Girls' Stockings</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>15c and 75c</b></p>	<h3>Ferris Waists</h3> <p>The best girl's waist that is made. All sizes in hook or button fronts</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>50c to \$1</b></p>
<h3>Dress Goods</h3> <p>Cotton serge, ripplette, crepe, plisse, galatea, Madras, chambray, percales, ginghams, challies for school dresses</p>	<h3>School Supplies</h3> <p>Tablets, pencils, pens, pen holders, ink, mucilage, rulers, knives, erasers, paste, for school use</p>

47 YEARS YOUNG

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**Will Attend Willamette University.**—Among Albany young ladies who will attend Willamette University at Salem, are Misses Kieth Van Winkle, Elmo Ohling and Pauline Pennebaker. They have departed for the Capital City to enter school. Miss Pennebaker is the only one of the three who will make her debut as a university co-ed. Misses Van Winkle and Ohling will commence their second year.

**Old Fashioned Bicycle.**—An old fashioned high wheeled bicycle attracted considerable attention yesterday evening in the central residence district as Bob Stewart, son of C. H. Stewart, rode the relic of by-gone days through the streets.

**Experimenting with Model Aeroplane.**—With a miniature model of a cross between an aeroplane and a monoplane, Henry Fish, son of L. H. Fish, has been experimenting in flying, meeting with marked success. The little machine is wonderfully constructed of the best material with all of the characteristics of a big machine with the exception of a rudder and balancing planes. The motive power is furnished by a number of heavy rubber bands, ingeniously attached to the propeller. When they are wound the machine is placed on the pavement and released, when it goes sailing across the street, arising gracefully into the air.

**Finished Hop Picking.**—That the yield on 50 acres was 50,000 pounds of hops, was the statement made this afternoon by an employee of the Luther hop yard, located 1 1/2 miles north of here. The picking was finished today and the hop checks will be cashed at the hop house tomorrow.

**Returns to Portland.**—Mrs. Vida Maston Johnson, of Portland, formerly of Albany, her native city, returned home today after a visit with friends here, the guest of Mrs. L. E. Wood and others. Mrs. Johnson is now a clerk in the U. S. court of Portland, under Judge Wolverton, where she has been for several years.

**Some Foundation.**—"That's some foundation for a post office and federal building," remarked Sam Worrell this morning, pointing to the new building erected yesterday on the lot at the corner of Second and Bradalbin streets by Street Superintendent J. H. Street department gang. When Sam was told the difference between hitching racks and building foundations he laughed at his informant.

**Home from Hospital.**—After lying three weeks in St. Mary's hospital following an operation, Miss Sue Breckenridge was taken to her home on South Ferry street yesterday afternoon, where she will probably be confined for a short while before being able to be out.

**Suit for Partition Filed.**—Praying that partition on real property be made and for referees to make such and for equal costs and disbursements, Margaret L. Ramer, Sarah E. Lease and her husband G. A. Lease have filed suit against Eli Ramer, and wife, Martha E. Thompson and husband, Henrietta Tracy and husband, and Rosannah J. Ramer, for dividing land in township 11, section 8, range 1 south of W. M.

**Inventory and Appraisal completed.**—Appraisers of the estate of the late Frank M. Furnish, have filed their report in the probate court showing personal and real property of the value of \$1174.60. The appraisers are E. G. Cox, P. A. Works and B. H. Cade.

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