

SUBURBAN NEWS OF NEARBY TOWNS IN BRIEF.

INTERIOR INFORMATION IN COMPACT STYLE.

PRIMARY TODAY IN GEORGIA

BUT HE ISN'T.

BUTCHERING ORGANS

GRESHAM Two New Mills Start Work—Other News Notes.

(Journal Special Service.) GRESHAM, June 5.—Shattuck Bros. new roller mill at this place began operations on Saturday last and is running full capacity.

NEW ELECTRIC LINE Through Gresham as Far as Sandy Is Projected.

(Journal Special Service.) GRESHAM, Or., June 5.—Surveyors have been at work the past few days locating and setting grade stakes for an electric car line which will run through this place.

OLD WILLAMETTE Celebrates Its Fifty-eighth Annual Commencement.

(Journal Special Service.) SALEM, June 5.—The 58th annual commencement of the Willamette University began Tuesday evening in the M. E. Church under the auspices of the College of Music.

OVER THE WIRES.

ST. LOUIS.—Henry Besch, ex-City Register, who is mixed up in the local scandal here, has been arrested on a bench warrant.

BAKER CITY

(Journal Special Service.) BAKER CITY, June 5.—The Sumpter Valley Railroad has put in operation its new 20-ton steel derrick, which is a machine of the latest design.

OREGON CITY.

(Journal Special Service.) OREGON CITY, June 5.—The proposal to establish a new sewer district in the north section of the city was before the city council last night.

FAIRVIEW.

(Journal Special Service.) Painters are now at work on the Artisan hall and the cheese factory.

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ASTORIA.—The three days' grand commencement of the G. A. R. is on in this city. Nearly 1000 visitors are in attendance.

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The JOURNAL SHORT STORY

Every editor had always refused everything that either Ethel or Ernest had ever written, so they decided to collaborate.

Possibly they arrived at this determination owing to a belief that it was lack of quantity, rather than absence of quality, in the matter of authorship, that rendered the editorial world so unappreciative, or it may have been the theory of "two heads being better than one" (particularly if the two heads are close together—a position very helpful for collaborative purposes) that attracted them.

"Now," said Ethel, as they discussed the matter between the acts at a maine, "the question is who shall provide the plot?" Ethel's chaperone saw that an attempt at even interlocking sentences would be useless for the next ten minutes, so she patiently turned her attention to the play bill, and was soon engrossed in the enticements of the advertisements.

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