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GRANTS PASS

Miners Protective Association—\$500 in Nuggets in Two Days.

(Journal Special Service.) GRANTS PASS, July 9.—An organization known as the Miners Protective Association was perfected in this city last night. The organization of this association is the final outcome of the bitter fight that has existed here for some time between the miners and the Eastern timbermen, or "land grabbers," as they are called. The purpose of the Miners Protective Association is to protect the interests of the miners and of mining in Southern Oregon and Josephine County more especially.

THE DALLES

Two Men Return From Thunder Mountain—Notes.

(Journal Special Service.) THE DALLES, July 9.—The wool season at this place has practically closed, about 1,000,000 pounds of wool having changed hands during the season. The highest price reached was 15 1/2 cents. On account of the projection of the Columbia Southern Railroad through Sherman County, at least 2,000,000 pounds of wool has been diverted from The Dalles this year.

SALEM

(Journal Special Service.) SALEM, July 9.—A sensational attempt to enter the penitentiary at night, with the evident intent to secure arms for the use of the prisoners inside the walls, was frustrated by the watchful care of Night Guard J. B. Simpson, at midnight Monday night, the details of which have just been made public. Mr. Simpson, whose beat was inside the prison yard, was making his usual rounds, and when south of the foundry, near where the prison laundry is located, he suddenly espied the figure of a man on the south wall. He was too far away to secure a good description. He watched the fellow for some time, hoping the strange visitor would enter the yard. When it became apparent, however, that such was not the man's intention, Mr. Simpson brought his Winchester to bear on the visitor and fired. The fellow at once disappeared, and other officers being aroused by the shot, a hasty investigation was made, but no track of the prowler could be found.

ASTORIA

(Journal Special Service.) ASTORIA, July 9.—An old man named William S. Hargus was drowned in Uppertown by falling overboard from a fishing boat. It seems that he went out with the fishermen and apparently went over by accident at the landing. He was drinking, the first time for a long period. He rose and swam for awhile and then went down, seemingly on purpose, saying "Good-bye, boys." Mr. Hargus was nearly 70 years old and has been living here for many years. The body has not yet been recovered.

OREGON CITY.

City Given the Right to Regulate Crossings—Notes.

(Journal Special Service.) OREGON CITY, July 9.—A decision was handed down yesterday afternoon by Circuit Judge McBride in the case of Oregon City vs. the Oregon & California Railroad Company, involving the right of the residents of this city to go from one part of Oregon City to another. The construction of Oregon City is such that the business portion is nearly on a level with the river, and a large part of the residence portion is on a high hill, to which steps lead up from the business part of town. These steps are located at nearly every street crossing, and all of them cross the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company. It has been very annoying for a long time to the citizens of this city to start for home, only to find the cars blocking their progress. By the terms of the decision the city can regulate the crossings and require the company to keep them free from obstruction. The decision is one of the most important that has been rendered in the Circuit Court here for years.

NOTES FROM THE BEACH

(Journal Special Service.) LONG BEACH, July 8.—With the advent of better weather this week comes the advance guard of the summer crowd, which will soon be flocking to the seaside in large numbers. The dances and similar social events are increasing in number, and the light of the bonfires may be seen twinkling on the beach each evening. The Potter will probably bring a large number down this week, and the social festivities will begin in earnest. New cottages are completed each week, and ere long the season will be here in all its glory. The festive clam is quaking as he beholds the advancing throng, and well he may, for his peace will soon be disturbed by the onslaught of the summer crowd.

EUGENE

(Journal Special Service.) EUGENE, July 9.—Two real estate deals of considerable importance were consummated here today. Mrs. Emily Hoagland sold her two-story brick building on Williams street, occupied by Loughmiller & Peters' hardware store, \$10,500 being the price paid. Attorney Daniel Galy sold his farm of 1719 acres, known as the Old Osburn ranch, south of the city, to Samuel Manerud, from Brookings, S. D., for \$13,500. Real estate in Eugene and Lane County is changing hands rapidly, many people from the East coming in and buying town lots and farms. In nearly every instance paying cash down.

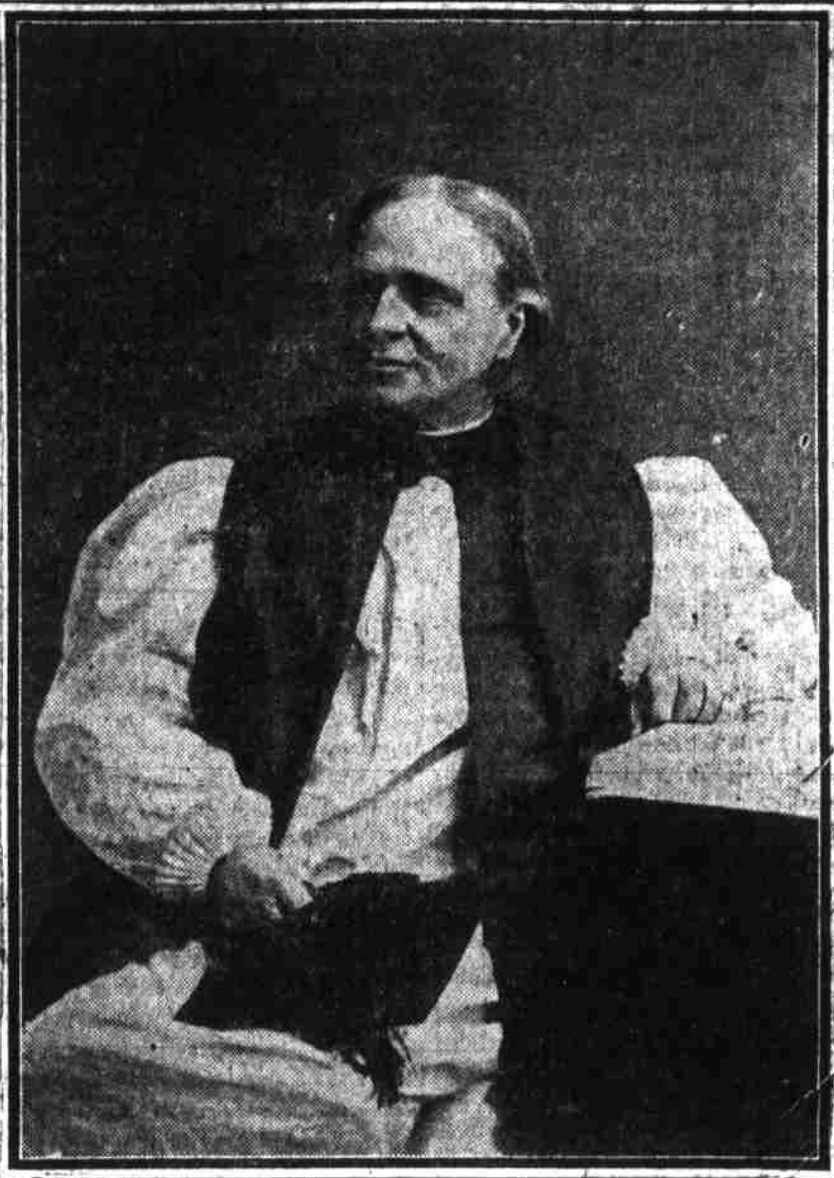
OREGON BRIEFS.

ASTORIA.—Work has been commenced on the new Clatsop mill. It is expected it will be completed and the machinery installed in 90 days. ALBANY.—Mrs. Ella Mendenhall here has contracted this year's crop of hops at 15 cents per pound. CORVALLIS.—Senator R. A. Booth of Lane will aid needy students of the O. A. C. to pursue their studies. He has authorized Dr. Withycombe to draw on him at any time. BAKER CITY.—Joseph Freeman of Rock Creek, who became violently insane Monday and who turned out with a gun in pursuit of his imaginary foes, has been sent to Salem. ARHLAND.—A small pocket of gold yielding \$83 has just been struck by a miner named Jordan, near Henley. CORVALLIS.—The County Court has abolished the office of roadmaster for this county. TILLAMOOK.—Charles Stanford attempted suicide at South Prairie yesterday, gashing his throat badly. He may live.

ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY

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JOHNNY GOT A GUN

And He Blazed Away From a Window at Everything That Came Along. (Journal Special Service.) SYRACUSE, July 9.—Little John Ayling, son of Charles F. Ayling, of 60 University avenue, determined to make his presence felt in the neighborhood. He climbed into the attic in the absence of his parents, loaded his father's rifle, stuck it out of the window and blazed away at every one that came in sight. When the carriage of Mrs. Jacob Crouse came down the firing line the boy shot at the valuable fox terrier and killed it. He next aimed at the coachman, S. E. Whitebeck, and Whitebeck dodged behind a tree in real Indian fashion to avoid being hit. It was with difficulty that the lad's parents secured possession of the gun. Firearms are now beyond Johnny's reach and the residents are breathing easier.

GREAT HEAT AND LIGHT FROM MYSTERIOUS GAS

CLEVELAND, July 9.—Henry Souder, a grocer at 94 Payne avenue, has made a discovery which bids fair to revolutionize the industrial world and to solve the problem of heat and light. Souder lights with a gas he makes himself, and he has succeeded in interesting such men as Alfred Deforest, Secretary of the American Steel & Wire Company; John Van Epps, manager of the Delaware & Hudson Coal Company, and F. H. Green, purchasing

agent of the Lake Shore Railroad Company, to back him in the organization of a company. How Souder makes the gas is a secret. It is, however, taken from air, and is cheaper than coal, wood or oil for fuel. It will, it is claimed, displace coal in the firing of locomotives and all steam engines, as well as blast furnaces. With a trunkful of chemicals, it is said, a steamboat could be run from New York to Liverpool. The heat of this gas is sufficient to melt copper in the open air. It gives off a light that is most brilliant. The grocer is 43 years old. He has been working on this invention for years.

Want Free Delivery. Nothing has yet been heard from the postal officials at Washington in the matter of the petition of the Peninsula for the establishment of the free delivery system in that territory. The petition bore the name of nearly every person in the district, and was at once sent to the authorities at Washington. The district selected for the free delivery route is fairly well populated at the present time and is receiving a large increase all the time. It is expected that when the petition is granted that the district will be cut in two and two carriers employed. University Park will be the receiving office.

Slipper Cure. Visitor—So your mother took you out in the woods—to cure you of the habit of taking lumps of sugar out of the bowl? Tommy—Yes, ma'am, and I feel like a ham now. Visitor—How is that? Tommy—Sugar-cured.—Chicago News.

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GRESHAM

(Journal Special Service.) GRESHAM, Or., July 9.—Bulletins have been posted at this place and Fairview, asking for bids for a daily mail service between the two points. The schedule will be: Leave Gresham at 6:30 a. m.; arrive at Fairview in 45 minutes. Leave the latter place upon arrival of train No. 2, about 9:30, and return to Gresham in 45 minutes. Professor E. H. Anderson, principal of the Gresham school during the past year, has accepted the position of principal of the public school at Hoquiam, Wash., and will leave for that place in a few weeks. C. E. Frits brought a dozen Bob White quail from Ohio about 16 months ago, which he turned loose near Beaver Creek, about three miles east of here. They have increased wonderfully and are scattering over a large section of the country. These birds are protected by law. Farmers are looking for men to work in their hay and grain fields. It is almost impossible to get a man, and wages will be \$2.50 a day, but the day will be longer than eight hours. Ex-Road Supervisor Conley has rented his farm on the Base Line and will spend the summer in Lane County, whither he and his wife have gone. They will winter in California for the benefit of their health. Gresham Lodge, I. O. O. F., has installed officers as follows: Noble grand, Dr. J. M. Short; vice noble grand, Lewis Shattuck; secretary, Professor E. H. Anderson; treasurer, George W. Kenny.

BAKER CITY

(Journal Special Service.) BAKER CITY, July 9.—Joseph Freeman, a Rock Creek miner, who has been in the employ of a man named Bagwell and who lived in a cabin at the head of Rock Creek, became violently insane several days ago. He had turned his cabin into an arsenal and to a certain extent had terrorized the neighborhood. Before officers could go to that vicinity from Baker City to make the arrest, Freeman left the cabin, armed to the teeth, saying he was coming to town. Instead, however, of coming to Baker City, Freeman went to Haines yesterday and was immediately arrested by the authorities there, who telegraphed the information to Sheriff Brown. Sheriff Brown and Deputy Fleetwood went to Haines and brought the deranged man to town. He was examined before County Judge Travillion, who adjudged him insane. Mr. F. H. Dean, of Chicago, has purchased the Fair department store, one of Baker's largest mercantile establishments, and has assumed personal control and management of the same. Mr. Dean is arranging for larger quarters and will branch out for greatly increased business.

ROSEBURG

(Journal Special Service.) ROSEBURG, July 9.—The Coroner's jury brought in a verdict in the case of the killing of H. L. Roadman by Thos. H.

STRIKE SITUATION AMONG ENGINEERS

Only One Man Deserts the Rank of the Union Forces. The steamboat owners held a meeting yesterday to further consider the strike of the marine engineers, but evidently the difficulty is as far from settlement as ever. The owners claim that four of the union men have bolted since the trouble began, but at the strikers' headquarters the number is placed at but one, and they seem confident that he will return in a day or two. "It would not be a very difficult matter," said a steamboatman today, "to get a good many of the engineers to resume their old positions were it not for the fact that their licenses are locked up in a safe at their place of meeting. In order to resume his run an engineer would be obliged to go there and ask for his license. The other men present inquire why it is that he needs it. If he says that he wishes to return to work they either refuse to give up the precious document, or proceed to convince him that he is not doing the proper thing to desert them. It is, therefore, almost impossible for them to get possession of copies of their license, which they have to produce before taking out their boats."

The engineers say that Hale & Kern signed their agreement yesterday afternoon. They operate the Hercules between Fisher's Landing and Gray Harbor, giving employment to two engineers. This is the only change of any importance to occur in the situation. It is understood that the strikers have in their possession papers showing that the managers of the boats reduced their salaries from \$125 to \$100 per month during the hard times in 1893 with the understanding that the wages would be increased as soon as times became prosperous again. Instead of asking for the full rate that was promised them, they are only demanding an increase of \$10 per month. Among new surgical instruments is a steam saw for removing diseased parts of the liver.

Third Presbyterian Dedication

The construction of the new building for the Third Presbyterian Church, East Thirteenth and East Pine streets, is being rushed forward as rapidly as possible under the circumstances. The construction of the church has been retarded on account of the numerous disputes in the labor market, but the directors now hope that all such matters have been settled—at least for a time, and the building finished in time to dedicate September 1. Rev. Robert McLean, pastor of the church, has accepted a call to enter the missionary field in Porto Rico, and wants to have all matters connected with the construction of the new church settled by the time of his intended departure, October 1.

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