

EUGENE CAN SHUT OUT ALL SALOONS

Supreme Court Holds That University Town Can Declare Sale of Liquor a Nuisance and Stop It.

In an opinion written by Justice Thomas A. McBride, the supreme court Tuesday held that the city of Eugene was vested with the authority by virtue of its charter to legislate against the sale of liquor despite the fact that local option law was in effect in that city. The case was that of the city of Eugene vs. Charles Mayhew, appealed from the circuit court for Lane county, and a decree of Judge L. T. Harris. The decree of the lower court is affirmed.

Eugene being the home of the state university, according to Justice McBride, makes it doubly necessary that there should be no illegal selling of liquor. On this point the justice says:

"This court will take judicial notice that by the laws of this state the University of Oregon is located at Eugene and while under all circumstances an unlawful tipping house is undesirable in any community, it is peculiarly so in a college town, where are congregated a large number of young men not under paternal restraint and separated from those influences which make so much for sobriety. A business which might be tolerated in another community would be an intolerable nuisance in a college town."

The supreme court, therefore, holds that the city of Eugene may legislate against the sale of liquor by making it a nuisance, especially because of the fact that the university is located there.

PLENTY OF WORK FOR MEN ON RAILROADS

(United Press Leased Wire.)
PORTLAND, Nov. 10.—Twohy Bros., contractors for the Harriman Deschutes line, and Porter Bros., building the Deschutes line for the Hill interests, deny current reports that the work is being held back because of scarcity of labor.

"In matter of fact," said one of Twohy Bros.' sub-contractors today, "we have more men applying for work than we can care for, and at the present time are busied with the process of weeding out the poorer workers and replacing them with better help."

From contractors for Porter Bros. comes the same statement. According to their declarations labor is plentiful. No trouble is experienced in getting all men necessary.

Labor for the construction of the two lines up the Deschutes canyon is being drawn from all over the northwest, gangs of men being sent weekly from Spokane and Seattle, and as far east as Butte, Mont.

Construction on neither road is being held back, and is proceeding as rapidly as conditions will allow.

ROGUE RIVER FRUITGROWERS UNION SHIPS MUCH FRUIT

The Rogue River Valley Fruit-Growers' Union shipped 50 carloads of pears during the season, and there are probably a few odds and ends to be closed up yet. There were 30 cars of Bartlett's, 13 of Winter Nellis, 3 of D'Anjou, 1 of Howell, making 47 full cars of the several varieties, while three more of mixed cars were shipped. The union has shipped to date 12 cars of Newtowns and Spitzenbergs.

"PUG" FINISHES PACKING PRIZE CAR OF NEWTOWNS

Frank Isanes returned from Ashland Wednesday morning, where he has been packing out a car of prize Newtowns, consigned to the Spokane apple show, by the Ashland Commercial club, coming from the orchard of Charles Pope. Frank, who is rated as one of the best packers in the business in the valley, says the car is as fine a line of stuff as he ever handled, and if it don't win the prize for the Rogue River valley there will be something wrong.

NORTH YAKIMA ORCHARD COMPANY TO ISSUE BONDS

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Nov. 10.—Bonding orchards is the latest thing in local finance. Harry G. Mook has gone to Minneapolis to bond the Olson Fruit company, capitalized at \$157,000, for \$75,000 to carry on development work. This ranch cleared over \$30,000 this year from prunes alone. The bonding idea, if well received in the East, will be a big help to development work in Washington.

DUNNE TO GET LOVETT'S PLACE

San Francisco Attorney Goes East to Take Charge of Office Made Vacant by Lovett's Promotion.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 10.—Peter F. Dunne, general attorney for the Southern Pacific, left San Francisco today for New York city, where he will conduct the merger case on behalf of the Harriman group of roads. He will be gone five months.

While in the east Dunne will take up the work left by Judge Robert E. Lovett, who was recently elected president of the Southern Pacific, and the directing head of the system. While Dunne will assume the duties of Lovett's old position, he has not been appointed. It is said, however, that he will be offered the position in all probability.

The merger case is one of the most important pieces of litigation in which the lines have been involved and until Lovett was made the head of the system he gave the proceedings his personal attention.

TRIPS OVER DOG AND FALL LEADS TO POLICE STATION

(United Press Leased Wire.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 10.—Because he tripped over a dog, fell and gashed his head and then had it dressed at the central emergency hospital, where he flashed a United States deputy marshal's star, Patrick Mesa is in jail here today.

He was placed under arrest last night at the hospital, where he was having his wounds dressed, and was taken to the city prison. Half a dozen charges are booked against his name.

According to United States Marshal Charles Elliott, Mesa has been roaming about the state for the last year posing as a deputy United States marshal and paying his express by uttering fictitious checks.

COWED BY MOSQUITOES.

A Clergyman's Experience on a British Columbia Trip.

In 1890 the Rev. John Sheepshanks, later on the bishop of Norwich, was traveling through British Columbia. His book, "A Bishop in the Bush," relates his experiences on the Douglas trail, where the greatest discomfort was caused by the swarms of ferocious mosquitoes. He met with Indians covered with paint, carrying branches of trees in their hands, which they were sweeping around them as they walked. They were evacuating their country, being temporarily driven out by the pests. If by chance a traveler arrives at a clearing or an open space where there appeared to be an immunity from them, ere long they would appear.

"Quite early in the morning after meeting those Indians I issued from my tent and found an open space on the river's side where I could get a bath. But no sooner had I emerged from the water than I found swarms of mosquitoes assailing me, and I, what I would, slaughter them by dog ens, I suffered severely.

"It was on that same day, dining at a wayside house, that I took part in a scene which I can never forget. There were twenty-five men gung up to the tables. Food was on the table. There was a ceaseless hum in the atmosphere for it was literally brown with the swarms of mosquitoes.

"It was scorchingly hot, yet every man had made himself as impervious as he could. Each man wore his coat buttoned up, shirts were fastened round his cuffs, and trousers also if he had not on top boots. They had canyons on their hands, their hats were on and veils hanging down covered face and neck. A man would stick his fork into a piece of meat and pop in under the veil as quickly as possible. When drinking their coffee the men would hold the cup underneath the veil, first clearing out the bodies of the mosquitoes which possibly had been feeding upon the hairy miner close at hand.

"Not a word was uttered during that brief meal, for we were beaten down and covered by the insects. The first words spoken were by a miner in pushing away his chair from the table, 'Oh, this God forsaken country!'"

Quite a Mistake.

A lady visitor at Blackpool was bathing and was on the point of drowning when a boatman, who is a local wag, went to her assistance. Later in the day he called where she was staying and saw a gentleman who, seeing the lady in difficulties, had offered £20 to any one who would rescue the lady. This conversation took place.

Boatman—I am the man who saved the lady, sir, and I thought I'd call and see about the £20.

The Gentleman—Yes, I know, but when I made the offer I thought it was my wife who was in danger, and it turned out it was my wife's mother.

Boatman—Just my luck! Well, sir, how much do I owe you?—London Times.

BRIDE OF ONLY THREE DAYS LOST

Traveling Man Misses His Bride When He Returns From Half Hour in Smoker—Believes She Ran Off.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
SALT LAKE, Utah, Nov. 10.—A. Johnson, a shoe salesman from Denver, is searching for his bride of three days, who disappeared from the train somewhere between Ogden and this city.

The couple started to Salt Lake on their wedding tour. At Ogden Johnson retired to the smoking compartment of the passenger train. He returned to the Pullman to find his wife in conversation with a stranger, who, he supposed was a former friend of his wife's.

Not wishing to disturb them, Johnson went back to the smoker and did not appear again until the train pulled into Salt Lake. The bride had vanished, likewise his baggage and the stranger.

Johnson has sought the aid of the police. He put forward the theory that his bride, being near-sighted, had been deceived by a man who impersonated him.

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GASOLINE MIXED WITH OIL SOLD

Entire Family Burns to Death as Result—Couriers Spread Alarm Throughout Country—Started Fire With Mixture.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
WARROAD, Minn., Nov. 10.—Couriers upon swift horses are rushing through the surrounding country warning the people not to use kerosene oil. It is believed that the oil recently purchased by local merchants has accidentally been mixed with gasoline.

Nels Johnson, his wife and five children were burned to death near here yesterday and their home destroyed. Johnson used kerosene oil to start a fire in the kitchen and it exploded.

The flames rapidly spread to other parts of the house and this morning Mrs. Johnson and five children, who were sleeping on the first floor, were cremated. John son was so badly burned that he only lived a few minutes.

Three other children who were sleeping on the second floor jumped from windows and escaped serious injury.

Merchants say the oil undoubtedly has been mixed with gasoline.

Notice.
Reames Chapter, No. 66, O. E. S., meets tonight. Initiation. Chapter will open promptly at 7:30.
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TWO CROPS OF APPLES ON TREE

Wonderful Productivity of Rogue River Valley Shown by Tree on East Side of the City.

W. A. Medley of the Orehard addition, on the east side, has a Newtown tree that is exceeding the speed limit, inasmuch as this year is the first in which the tree has produced any fruit, and at the present time there are two crops of apples growing up on it. Mr. Medley is showing large, well-developed apples and bunches of small new ones plucked from the same tree.

If the tree keeps up its record, before long the Rogue River valley orchards may be expected to produce two crops of apples each year.

Mr. and Mrs. George Owings, Jr., and family of Woodville have moved up to busy Medford for the winter.

BULBS

We have on hand the following list of extra select bulbs:

Tulips—
Yellow Rose, 5c each, 40c dozen.
Gloria Selis 6c each, 50c dozen.
Parot Mixed, 4c each, 35c dozen.
Single Hyacinths—Pink, 7c each, 75c dozen.
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White, 7c each, 75c dozen.
Dark Blue, 7c each, 75c dozen.
Red, 7c each, 75c dozen.

Double Hyacinths—The following at 8c each or 85c per dozen:
Dark Blue, Pink, White, Red.
Roman Hyacinths—
White and Pink at 7c each, 75c dozen.
Narcissus—
Major Trumpet, 5c each, 50c dozen.
Poeticus, 3c each, 30c dozen.

Poeticus Ornatus, 5c each, 35c dozen.
Chinese Sacred Lily, large bulbs, 20c each, 3 for 50c, \$2 per dozen.
Jonquils, 5c each, 50c per doz.

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TAFT GETS HOME THIS AFTERNOON

President Is in Good Health, Considering the Constant Strain Which He Has Been Under.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 10.—President Taft's swing around the "big circle" practically has ended. He arrived here this morning, where he

took breakfast with Governor Swanson. He will leave for Washington this afternoon, which is his journey's end.

His trip includes visits in 30 states and two territories, and tonight he will have traveled 12,759 miles, not including side trips, since he started on his tour in September.

Considering the constant strain which he has been under, the president is in excellent health. His voice, however, is not good, but is not permanently injured from the 300 speeches he delivered.

Notice.
The W. C. T. U. will hold their regular weekly meeting at the Baptist church on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Until further notice the time will be 3 o'clock instead of 2:30 as formerly.

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