

HARVEY SCOTT'S FUNERAL TODAY

Body Arrived Yesterday in Portland and Public Was Given Its Last Opportunity to View Remains of Editor.

PORTLAND, Or., Aug. 13.—The public of the city and state was given its last opportunity to view the remains of Harvey Scott, editor-in-chief of the Oregonian, at the Scottish Rite cathedral this afternoon from 2 until 4 o'clock.

The long journey across the continent from Baltimore to Portland was ended this morning when the private car carrying the body arrived here.

Tonight the midnight services of the Scottish Rite will be held. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon.

MAN FALLS OVER DAM GOLD RAY; UNINJURED

John Harper, a workman employed at the dam at Gold Ray, escaped with only a sprained wrist after the dangerous experience of falling over the dam recently. Dr. Chisholm dressed the injury, which was not of a serious nature, and Harper will be back at work in a short time.

The man was working on the top of the dam out near the middle, placing sacks of sand along the top, so as to raise the height of water. The sand was in a boat which he was towing by a rope as he worked. He put his weight on the rope to move the boat along farther, and the rope broke, letting him fall over the dam. The water was deep beneath the falls at the point he went over or he would probably have been seriously injured on the rocks. As it was, he managed to swim out and congratulates himself on escaping so easily.

HOMESTEADER LOSES CONTEST FOR CLAIM

After a fight lasting three years, during which he carried his case through every department of the land office, the entry of S. S. Pentz on certain land in section 34, township 34, range 3 east, has been denied and ordered cancelled.

Pentz made application for final proof in September, 1907, a special agent investigated the claim and reported adversely. A hearing was held before Commissioner Canon, and from the evidence, the register and receiver at Roseburg sustained Mr. Pentz' claim. An appeal was taken by the government to the commissioner of the general land office, who reversed his subordinate's decision. A subsequent appeal to the secretary of the interior resulted in the sustaining of the commissioner's decision.

Advertised Letter List.

The following letters remain un-called for at the postoffice at Medford, Or., Wednesday, August 11:

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Court at Sea.

SEWARD, Alaska, Aug. 13.—The floating court, aboard the revenue cutter Rush, with United States District Judge Cushman presiding, is on its way back to Seward, its work for the season finished. While at Unalaska the court disposed of the cases against three Japanese schooners, seized by revenue cutters for violation of the government fishing and sealing regulations.

Twenty-eight Japanese, the entire crew of one schooner, were sentenced to three months in jail at hard labor for illegal sealing.

ROYAL GREETING FOR SOLDIERS

Eighteenth Annual Encampment Is Soon to Be Held in Gold Hill—Fine Reception Will Be Tendered Them.

Gold Hill will do herself proud in the matter of entertaining the Southern Oregon Old Soldiers' and Sailors' association on the occasion of the 18th annual encampment of that body, which will be held here, September 12-16, says the News. The members of the association still speak of the reunion which was held at Gold Hill in September, 1902, as one of the best they ever had, and it is the purpose of those who have the matter in charge to make this year's gathering even a greater success.

A committee composed of Colonel J. W. Hicks of Ashland, commander of the Southern Oregon G. A. R.; Adjutant S. M. Nelson of Table Rock; and Quartermaster A. J. T. Smith met with a committee of citizens Wednesday to formulate plans for the encampment. It was decided to leave all the plans to the local committee, working in conjunction with Adjutant Smith for the veterans.

The program was discussed in general and the details were left to the local committee, which is composed of H. D. Reed, Rex H. Lampman and A. J. T. Smith. Money will be needed for the expense of entertaining the 150 old fellows who will gather here, some of them for the last time, to talk over the old days and renew old comradeship, and the committee will make the rounds in a few days.

It is planned to have a water pageant on Rogue river, depicting an attempt of a Confederate ship to run the Union blockade, which will greatly surpass the recent reproduction of the fight between the Monitor and the Merrimac.

One of the five days of the encampment may be set aside for the Spanish-American war veterans, and the various Grand Army posts of Southern Oregon will be given other days in which they will have charge of the program on the camp grounds.

COUNTY RECORDER NOW ON CRUTCHES

County Recorder Burnett is locomoting on crutches just now, as the result of an accident which occurred to him while fishing on Rogue river Thursday. "Doc" was fishing from the bank, obvious of the fact that the current had undermined it. The bank fell into the river, and so did Burnett. Incidentally, he received quite a bunch of contusions and a sprained knee.

IMPROVEMENTS FOR CENTRAL POINT BRIDGE

County Judge Neil was at Central Point Saturday looking over the work on the bridge across Bear creek near Central Point.

The piers of the main span are being lowered so that the angle of the approaches on each end of the bridge will not be so sharp, as they are at present. When the repairs and changes are finally completed the bridge will be better than ever.

DEMONSTRATION BOAT BEGINS LONG JOURNEY

PULLMAN, Wash., Aug. 13.—The State Agricultural school's demonstration boat, which will tour Puget sound in an unique better farming propaganda, will start Monday, making its first stop at Brinnon that morning. Brinnon is located at the head of Hood's canal. The boat will cover the Puget sound territory, making side trips up the navigable rivers.

A large staff of lecturers from the faculty of the college will be aboard with a great variety of agricultural, dairy and horticultural paraphernalia. For dairy demonstrations there will be two cows, a milking machine, full line of separators, milk-testers, coolers and sanitary pails. One of the principal exhibits will be that relating to insect pests. How to control them, what to spray with and when to do it, will be discussed.

GREY WOLF TAKES LONG SEA VOYAGE

Travels From Columbia River to San Diego on Log Raft—Shot While Roaming About San Diego Lumber Yard.

PORTLAND, Or., Aug. 13.—Reaching San Diego after a stormy sea voyage of two weeks without food on board a big log raft, a large gray timber wolf was shot while roaming the yards of the Russ Lumber company at that place while searching for food.

The log raft and wolf came to San Diego from the Columbia river logging camps near Portland. The logs are bound together with great chains into a cigar-shaped raft containing millions of feet of lumber. Powerful tugs take them in tow for the ocean voyage south.

The rafts are moored near the shore while waiting dispatch, and it was there, it is supposed, that the wolf took passage. These log rafts are the biggest floated anywhere in the world and a wolf could easily hide himself on board before being pulled to sea.

THREE KILLED MANY HURT IN COLLISION

OAKLAND, Cal., Aug. 13.—Three instantly crushed to death and nearly a score injured is the toll that today stands against the Western Pacific railroad as the result of a collision of an engine and a car loaded with workmen. After the accident the crew of the engine was attacked by a mob of infuriated laborers and was forced to uncouple the engine from its cars and escape in it. Railroad officials place the blame on the dead men.

TENDENCY OF STOCK MARKET IS UPWARD

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The tendency of the stock market was upward today. Trading was sluggish and the fluctuations were irregular. American Smelting led the advance, rising 1/4; Reading gained 1/2; Pennsylvania and United Railroads, 1. Losses were few. American Locomotive declined 1 1/8, Louisville & Nashville 3/4, and American Sugar, Western Union and Utah Copper fractions.

The market closed firm.

Boutelle to Run.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 13.—Congressman Henry Boutelle, supporter of Speaker Cannon, refuses to withdraw from the race for re-nomination. The political leaders of his district refused to support Boutelle for re-nomination, indorsing instead F. H. Geisberger.

Boutelle says he will be on hand at the convention Tuesday to fight for his seat. The opposition to Boutelle resulted from his adherence to Cannonism.

Haskins for health.

PORTLAND PLAYERS ARE CALLED TO CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 13.—The Cleveland American League Baseball club has exercised its option on two of Portland's players, recalling pitcher Van Gregg and catcher Gus Fisher for next season. From the record this year, Manager McGuire is confidently expecting him to be a great twirler for Cleveland next season. The hitting of Fisher has also attracted the local manager, and he is expected to make a fine running mate for Ted Easterly, the former Los Angeles receiver, who has been with Cleveland a couple of seasons. Cleveland has also recalled Peckenbaugh from New Haven, Pitcher Pierce of Augusta and Catcher Adams of the Victoria club in the South Western Texas league.

Haskins for health.

M'CREIDIE NABS ANOTHER HARD-HITTING BOY

PORTLAND, Or., Aug. 13.—Irving Gough, the lad who came out from Cleveland a year ago as a twirler and has since turned into a hard hitting outfielder, is coming back to Portland for Manager McCreidie has just closed negotiations for his purchase from New Haven in the Connecticut league for \$500. Gough batted .266 with the Northwest league last year and this season has hit .345 for New Haven.

While with Portland's Northwest team a year ago, he was used as a pinch hitter and filled in in the field often, because of his hitting. McCreidie is after some hard-hitting fielders and says he will try out all he can land this fall.

Haskins for health.

Tennessee Sore on Spokane.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Aug. 13.—Members of the Tennessee association are planning to protest to President Taft against the reputed action of Senator Heyburn of Idaho in stopping a band that was playing "Dixie" at a republican meeting at Spokane.

Taft, as a friend of the south, and especially of Tennessee, it is expected here, will take the matter up.

Hearing Is Postponed.

The hearing of W. E. Pierce, arrested by Constable Singler at Gold Hill Friday night for skipping a board bill, has been postponed until the return of District Attorney Mulkey from the north.

He was taken over to Jacksonville Saturday afternoon.

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