

Merry Widow Coming Soon



PLAGUE WORSE IN SPRINGTIME

Population Has Been Practically Wiped Out in Different Provinces of China—Russia to Take Steps to Control Situation.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 29.—Flatly contradicting hopeful reports from Peking, the Russian government today is in receipt of advices from the far east which say that the spread of the plague there is inevitable with the coming of spring, and that in many places the population has been almost wiped out.

In Fudzian, the Chinese quarter of Harbin, the reports say, the population has dropped by plague from 40,000 to 4,000, and most of the survivors are children, the plague rarely attacking anyone under 15 years of age.

If any outbreak of importance comes in European Russia, it is said, the government will draw military cordons around the infected districts and will order the soldiers to shoot down all who try to break through.

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the city of Medford, Jackson County, Oregon, will take up and cancel the following bonds, and that interest thereon shall cease at the interest payment period next following: (April 1st, 1911):
Improvement bonds Nos. 1, 2, 9, 10, 11 and 12, dated April 1st, 1909.
Improvement bonds Nos. 9, 10, 11 and 12, dated October 1st, 1909.
Water main bonds Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, series "A" dated April 1st, 1910.

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City Treasurer.
Dated February 28, 1911. 293*

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14 YEAR OLD GIRL TAKES OWN LIFE

Body is Found in Bushes in Portland Suburb—Revolver Found Beneath Her Body Showing Child Had Killed Herself.

PORTLAND, Ore., March 29.—With the positive identification of the revolver as one belonging to her cousin, detectives today declared that there was no doubt but that Susane Quiring, 14, committed suicide by shooting herself in the head. It is believed that she brooded over a slight reprimand given by a school teacher until she decided to end her life.

When the body of the child was found by Charles O'Neill, a contractor half hidden in the brush on a tract near East Thirty-seventh street, he telephoned into police headquarters that the child had been murdered.

This theory was exploded, however, when officials discovered the weapon under her body, two cartridges tied up in her handkerchief and learned that she had seemingly been depressed for two days previous to her death.

The girl was living with relatives. Her father resides near Dallas, Oregon.

Usually there is an ad in this paper which contains information that would save money for you—sometimes a few cents, sometimes a few dollars, sometimes many dollars!

Haskins for Health.

HASSING FOUND GUILTY BY JURY

Portland Contractor Convicted of Killing His Wife—Attorneys File Formal Notice That They Will Appeal—Jurors Out Five Hours.

PORTLAND, Ore., March 29.—Attorneys for Jans William Hassing, a contractor, found guilty of wife murder, today filed formal notification that they will appeal.

The jury convicted Hassing after being out five hours. Hassing shot and killed his wife on a street last November, and then attempted to kill himself. The couple previously had quarreled and were living apart.

Hassing declined to discuss his case.

Nearly Smothered.
Chandler, N. C.—Mrs. Augusta Lomax, of this place, writes: "I had smothering spells every day, so bad that I expected death at any time. I could not sit up in bed. I suffered from womanly troubles. My nerves were unstrung. I had almost given up all hope of ever being better. I tried Cardul, and it did me more good than anything I had ever taken. I am better now than I ever expected to be." Thousands of ladies have written similar letters, telling of the merits of Cardul. It relieved their headache, backache and misery, just as it will relieve yours, if you will let it. Try.

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GRANITE HERE FOR CITY PARK

Fifteen Cars Arrive and Spreading of Granite Begins—Walks of Old Park Have Been Renovated and Are in Good Condition.

The 15 cars of granite sand which the Southern Pacific railroad gave to the ladies of the Greater Medford club, have been received.

W. S. Barnum, owner of the Rogue River Valley railroad, hauled the cars to the park and delayed his other freight to accommodate the city. In order to get the cars to the park on week days he has had to run an extra Sunday train.

The sand will be used on the walks of both the new and old parks. The walks of the old park have been covered but those of the new park are not finished. In some places the sand on the walks is over one foot in depth.

REST ROOM IN CITY IS PLAN

Out-of-Town Ladies Who Are Frequent Visitors in the City Plan to Obtain Room in Which to Rest While Here—Need is Great.

A movement has been launched by a number of out of town ladies who are frequent visitors in Medford to secure some down town room and fit it up as a ladies rest room. They state that they have no place in which to spend a few hours in the city—excepting at the homes of friends.

The ladies plan to have the place comfortably furnished and supplied with periodicals. They point out that their husbands have clubs so why should they not have the rest room, which will partake of the nature of a club.

Steam stamp pulling machines, following in the wake of the lumberman, are converting former timber lands of the northwest into fertile farms at a rate of from one to three acres a day for each machine employed.

MAN IS GUILTY ATTEMPT TO ROB

J. W. Canon, Charged With Attempted Highway Robbery, is Convicted—Now to Face Trial for Petty Larceny.

The jury on the case of J. W. Canon, charged with attempted robbery, returned a verdict of guilty yesterday afternoon. Judge Calkins will sentence him Saturday.

Canon attempted to hold up Fred Gudman at the point of a gun, but on discovering that his victim had but one hand his nerve failed and he let him go.

Today Canon and his partner, A. E. Nering, will be tried for petty larceny of a dwelling belonging to Gudman, whom they attempted to hold up, at Siskiyou. The men are accused of stealing knives, guns and cartridges. The men were apprehended at Ashland.

Pleasant.
Strange Guest—I don't know half the people in the room. Just look at that woman over there—the cross eyed, red headed one. And some one told me she was married. Don't you think the fellow was a fool? Other Guest (murmuring)—I know he was. I'm him—Baltimore American.

Talked Too Much.
Wife (reproachfully)—You forget how you once breathed your love in my ear and promised that my every wish should be gratified. But—No, I don't, but I wish now I'd followed the hygienic rule of keeping my mouth shut while breathing.—Boston Transcript.

Billiards.
"Have you heard the billiard conundrum? Well, here it is: "What made the red ball bluish?" "Why, when I saw the two whites kiss in the corner."

Consistency.
Murilla—Do you consider engagements binding? Millicent—Certainly. If one didn't there would be no fun in breaking them.—Illustrated Bits.

Of the 50,000,000 tons of coal consumed in locomotives in the United States each year, less than half actually are utilized to pull trains, the majority being wasted in gases, in unutilized steam, in switching and in ashes.

On the theory that gray hair is caused by microbes, a Russian scientist claims to preserve its original color by curling or waving it with hot irons, which kill the microbes.