

### CITY PROPERTY IS NOW MOVING

Real Estate Men Dispose of City Property — Orchard Tracts Move Slowly—Never Seems to Work on a Balance.

No big real estate deals have been made the past week, but nearly all the home seekers are buying real estate property in town or residences. At times the purchasers are all orchard buyers and then they turn to city realty buyers. The tide never breaks even, said a local real estate man.

F. O. Burgess & Company report the sale of three houses and lots in Laurel Park Addition. The purchasers, Frank Darnell, Frank Bolding and E. A. Eames. They also report the sale of twelve lots in Francis Addition.

Claire Edmonds has purchased an acre trail near Medford for \$500.

Oris S. Vroman, a lot in Jackson Addition for \$625.

### LITTLE GIRL DUEL VICTIM

Man Shoots His Daughter While Engaged in Battle With Another Man in Crowded Section of Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 1.—Believing himself to be mortally wounded following a pistol duel with George Turner in front of his tailor shop in the heart of the business district here this afternoon, F. L. Daniels, 69, while lying on the sidewalk, shot his daughter Ladia, 6, as she leaned over him, killing her instantly.

Daniels was shot in the neck and chest by Turner and probably will die. During the duel which took place on a crowded street, eight shots were fired, but no one else was injured. The cause of the shooting is a mystery. Turner was arrested. He said that family troubles were responsible. Daniels, it is said and his wife are separated. The little girl had been living with Daniels in his room in the rear of the tailor shop.

### CUPID IS BUSY AT COUNTY SEAT

Three Couples Start on Matrimonial Voyage—Miss Lillian Smith Weils a Chef—One Bride Unable to Speak English.

"Cupid is busy these days," said Judge Neil Saturday. "I have tied three knots in the past two days."

Lillian Smith was married to Ernest Rosso on Friday. Mr. Rosso was formerly chef at at Nash, but at present holds the position at the Louvre.

William S. Weston, convinced Minnie F. Fletcher that he loved her and she married him Friday. Judge Neil performed the ceremony. The third marriage occurred Saturday when Miss Augusta Bergstrom and Gust Feldt were married by Judge Neil.

Both parties were natives of Sweden. Miss Bergstrom being unable to speak English. Neither the groom nor the bride knew that a witness had to obtain the license for them. The bride to be, when told by the groom that they could not get married that day but would have to go to Medford for a witness, nearly broke down. But cupid found a newspaper man from Medford who knowing the parties, willing helped out and the knot was tied.

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### COWBOYS CLOSE ON BANDITS' TRAIL

Four Men Who Kidnaped Child and Forced Ransom of \$12,000 Are Near Capture—Huge Posse Close on Trail.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., April 1.—With rifles and ropes, Bell Ranch cowboys today are hot on the trail of four men who are reported from 75 miles north of Las Vegas to be riding desperately toward Oklahoma. The quartet are believed to be the kidnapers of little Waldo Rogers, and the cowboys are determined to drench them if captured.

A. T. Rogers, father of the child, for whose recovery \$12,000 was paid in ransom, offered today a reward of \$20,000 for their capture, dead or alive.

There seems to be no doubt that the kidnapers are prisoners who recently escaped from the Albuquerque jail, where they were held on a charge of post office robbery. Dennis Hart, a notorious desperado, is reported to be their leader.

It is stated here today that Governor Mills has promised to provide all the militia necessary to capture or kill the kidnapers and that he has ordered the officers and men of the territorial mounted police to assist in the manhunt.

### FRUIT MEN ADOPT NEW CONSTITUTION

Rogue River Horticultural Society Meets — Professor O'Gara Addresses Them on Subject of Sprays and Spraying—Interesting Session.

The Rogue River Horticultural society met Saturday afternoon and a lively business meeting was held. A new constitution was adopted and new bylaws. After a few routine matters were discussed the society listened to a lecture by Professor P. J. O'Gara on arsenate of lead for controlling codlin moths and other insects.

In his lecture the professor gave a history of the arsenic and its compounds. Its use as a poison and the chemistry of arsenic compounds and combinations of arsenic with lead to form arsenic of lead.

He went deeply into the life history of the codlin moth and its habits, how to kill it with spray and the methods of applying the spray.

He stated that the first spraying should be made when the petals of the pears and apples are falling, using four pounds to the gallon.

Spraying is done at the last of June and this completely controls the codlin moth. Sometimes its necessary to spray later, in the early part of July.

Pears may be sprayed after apples for the first spray.

Single application of spray is usually sufficient to control the codlin moth in the early varieties of pears.

C. E. Whisler followed Prof. O'Gara and substantiated all that had been said by citing personal and practical experiments.

### Closing Out

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**A. B. Tull**

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