

OREN HASKIN IS DEAD FROM DERRICK FALL

Oren Haskin, about 40 years of age, an employe of the Frank C. Preston stock ranch in the Applegate, died Saturday night at the community hospital from internal injuries the result of a fall from a derrick which he was working on when he was struck by one of the falling timbers.

Omar Culey, age 22, who helped when the derrick started to fall, sustained a broken leg and arm. Leonard McKee, another worker on the derrick, escaped without injury.

All of the men in the accident are residents of the Applegate district, where they are well known.

Haskin, whose father resides in the Spinn Lake section, was rushed to this city after the accident and lingered until Saturday night.

The three men mounted the poles of the derrick, which is held in place by a cable, to make repairs as the rope used to lift the log was caught in the ring. The ring, it developed later, had crystallized and broke when they tugged upon it, causing the poles with the men to crash to earth.

Culey leaped. McKee miraculously escaped death or injury and Haskin was crushed beneath one of the falling timbers.

Haskin, who lost his life, was a world war veteran and the last rites will be held under the auspices of the Medford post of the American Legion.

Immediately following the accident Dr. R. W. Stevens of this city was called and rendered first aid, later removing the injured man to the Community hospital.

ARSONIST GETS LONG SENTENCE; WIFE IS HELD

Five years in the state penitentiary, the term to be subject to change upon the recommendation of medical authorities, was the sentence handed down by Judge C. M. Thomas in circuit court this morning to Daniel H. Watters, who with his wife confessed last week to a charge of arson and acts of degeneracy.

Attorney Percy Bray, representing both defendants, who were brought into the court room separately, stated that the case of Watters was one of mental degeneracy and should be dealt with as such.

Mrs. Watters, who followed her husband into the court room, did not receive a penitentiary sentence.

Upon the recommendation of Dr. Ingle, county physician; Dr. E. C. Pickett, head of the state health department; and the assistant district attorney, Frank Larrick, the nature of the charges against her will be changed and her case handled by the county court. It is understood that she will leave immediately for the state hospital for treatment.

The four Watters children, ranging in age from 2 to 8 years, will be sent to Washington, Kas., where they will be cared for by Mrs. O. H. Clure, sister of Mr. Watters.

That the defendants had \$365 on hand, which take care of their fare to the Kansas home, and some property which can be disposed of to provide for necessary clothing and board after they arrive was a fact brought out by Attorney Bray before Watters received sentence.

FLOWER SHOWER FOR REV. EATON IS A SURPRISE

A surprise feature of the Holly Day program at the R. W. H. church yesterday morning, was a shower of flowers given the pastor by the Gleasons class of the Sunday school.

Towards the close of the excellent program, revolved by members of the school, Dr. Eaton was called to the platform, after which the Gleasons presented in double file, one armed with a bouquet of beautiful roses and other flowers, which they bestowed upon the surprised pastor.

After the avalanche of flowers had ended, the victim of the act being saved from being smothered by spilled bouquets on the communion table, he was informed that it was done as a penalty for his coming birthday, Monday, Oct. 1st.

Mrs. W. L. Jones then stepped forward bearing a huge birthday cake which she presented to the delight of the ladies of the church, with wishes for "many happy returns, etc."

FIRES-FOLLOW ELECTRIC BOLTS SATURDAY STORM

During the thunder storm of Saturday evening seven small fires started in the Crater National forest by lightning strikes, according to reports received at the forestry headquarters office here by the post.

Reports will probably come in within the next 24 hours of other fires originating from the same cause, which after smoldering steadily broke out.

Outside of the Crater National forest territory, however, a big fire on heavy timber three-fourths of a mile north of Phoburn is burning, which is presumed to have been caused by a lightning stroke during Saturday evening's storm.

Nothing is to be expected and cessation of this fire is known in Medford today, as it is in the vicinity protected by the Klamath Landowners' association.

The Medford people returning last night from Klamath Falls, passed by this fire, which at times was large and illuminated much of the surrounding country.

The seven reported fires, all minor ones, which started in the Crater National forest during the storm of Saturday evening, were as follows:

Two near Needle Rock eight miles north of Prineas; one under Goose Bay mountain three miles south of the south boundary line of the forest; one on the west slope of Mt. 122, six miles south of the south boundary line; one near Alex creek on Elk creek; one near the Red Cloud road seven miles northwest of Trail.

JUDGE NORTON DISCUSSES LAW BEFORE KIWANIS

"The state and federal constitutions are too involved through the effort to adjust the laws to every changing condition no matter how trivial or temporary," said Judge H. D. Norton of Grants Pass, in speaking at today's luncheon meeting of the Kiwanis club at the Hotel Medford.

Addressing the club it would make for stability, he pointed out that the courts should be given more power to construe the constitution and to adapt it to specific cases. "It is not only necessary that we know what is the law today, but we should be sure that the law will not be changed next month or next week," the judge declared.

"In my opinion Oregon had a better and more workable code of laws when the constitution was first drawn up than it has now. It is going too far when laws are added to supersede everyone's individual conduct," Mr. Norton said, and compared the stable and satisfactory government of England with that of this country.

While the methods of legislation through the system of referendum and initiative are in a measure sound, there should be some way of guarding against waves of sentiment which sweep the country for a while and then die down after the constitution has been cluttered up with a few more laws, according to the speaker.

Following the discussion of the constitution, President R. E. Hammond announced that Judge C. M. Thomas will speak at next week's meeting of the club.

Guests today included H. M. Lutzer, Doremont, Wash.; J. P. Anderson, member of the Monticomey Ward store; and L. A. Ballmer, representative of the Charles H. Hadley Printing company of Portland. The attendance prize, donated by Dr. W. W. Howard, was awarded to C. T. Baker.

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shut out, while Dr. J. J. Eimons, his son Tom, Wheldon Biddle and Harry Max were among the best winners.

The Medford golfers offered no alibi, but are eager to get their revenge when the two teams tackle it next time.

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ED JANNEY MAKES A HOLE IN ONE

Medford has another member of the hole-in-one club. Yesterday while playing on the Medford course with Gain Robinson and Robert W. Ruhl, Ed Janney, well-known city councilman and business man, hit a straight mashie shot for the pin on the short 10th hole.

The ball kept true to its course and finally lodged between the pin and the rim of the cup—the former being tilted toward the rim so the ball could not drop down to the bottom of the cup on that side. When the pole was drawn out and before the ball had been touched, according to the rules, Mr. Janney is entitled to a case of Canadian Dry ginger ale and a number of other prizes.

A hole-in-one was probably never more described. The shot was a perfect one from every standpoint, the ball was never deflected in its course and had the hole been up right instead of slanting the ball would have rested on the bottom instead of the top of the cup.

After this distinguished feat the local abstractor proceeded to celebrate by getting an 8 on the last hole and piling up a total over 100 for the 18. But a member of the national hole-in-one club should worry.

FEDERAL COURT OPENS TOMORROW

The opening sessions of the annual term of the federal court for the southern Oregon district will open tomorrow—probably in the afternoon. The civil damage suit of J. C. Hamilton of Klamath county against the California-Oregon Power company is first on the calendar. Hamilton is suing the power company for alleged damages to his farm on Buck Island in Upper Klamath lake, caused by flooding by backwater caused by a power dam.

The power company alleges the island is too rocky for agricultural purposes.

There are a number of liquor cases arising on the Klamath reservation scheduled for hearing. The term is expected to last the greater part of two weeks.

Radio Program KMED

Mail Tribune-Virgin Station

Monday P. M.

- 6:15—News and market reports.
- 8 to 9—Sixth Street Service Station and Porter Lin. Co.
- 9 to 10—Komo Motor Oil Co.
- 10 to 11—A. M.
- 10:30-11—Oreg. Gift Shop.
- 11:30-12—M. M. Dept. Store.
- 12:30-1—Independent Baker.
- 12:30-1:30—Stamarch Seed & Feed Co.

Daily Meteorological Report

Monday, Oct. 1, 1928.

Medford and vicinity: Unsettled, probably rain tonight and Tuesday.

Oregon: Unsettled, with rain to north and west portions tonight and Tuesday. Warmer in south and central portions tonight.

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Helena	70	58	Clear
Idaho	40	42	Cloudy
Los Angeles	80	55	Cloudy
Marshfield	68	46	Cloudy
Phoenix	80	65	Clear
Portland	66	54	Cloudy
Red Bluff	82	56	Clear
Roseburg	72	46	Clear
Salt Lake City	68	44	Clear
San Francisco	64	51	Cloudy
Santa Fe	76	50	Clear
Seattle	64	50	Rain
Spokane	68	50	Cloudy
Walla Walla	70	58	Cloudy
Winnipeg	70	40	P. Cdy.

MELODY MYSTERY CAR IN MEDFORD

Considerable interest was aroused in Medford this afternoon by the appearance of the street here of the melody mystery car of the Richfield Oil company. This novel car, which plays a part in the sweeping exploitation campaign for Richfield gasoline and kerosene motor oils, has been a sensation in every Pacific coast city it has visited. It is literally an "orthophonic" on four wheels, offering musical concerts rendered very sufficient volume that they may be heard in half a mile away.

The Richfield melody mystery car is offering programs at the Sixth street station and the Highway service stations of the Richfield products in this city. The unique advertising car will present programs this evening, according to Seals Spencer, head of the Seals Spencer company, Richfield distributors in this territory.

WONDER FROCKS SHOWN WEDNESDAY

A show is in store for southern Oregon women as Miss Charlotte Kurz will be at Adrienne's exclusive apparel shop Wednesday showing the remarkable new Miriam Gross wonder frocks. A feature style show will be given continuously by Miss Kurz on this day and in addition she will give short talks on the "Glen Bogie" dresses and coats. They are guaranteed not to shrink or in any way lose their shape for wearing although they are knit of the purest Australian wool. The name of every purchaser of a Miriam Gross dress or coat is catalogued at the factory.

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REGISTRATION OPEN NIGHTS AS USUAL UNTIL EIGHT P. M.

The registration office for Medford voters in the county clerk's office, as has been the custom for years, will be open each evening this week until 8 p. m. for registration.

The poll books close Saturday night, October 6th. All who did not receive a card from the county clerk in July or August, stating they were registered and who have not been registered since then, must register to vote this fall. No one can swear in their vote on election day, as has been the custom heretofore.

Oregon Weather: Unsettled with rains south and west portions tonight and Tuesday. Warmer in the south and central portions tonight. Fresh southeast and north winds.

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GEORGIA WOMAN SUPPORTS SMITH

NE WYORK, Oct. 1.—(AP)—Democratic national headquarters yesterday made public a letter written by Mrs. Rebecca L. Felton, 83, of Georgia, the only woman ever to sit as a member of the United States senate and the oldest member of the W. C. T. U. in the south, announcing she will support Governor Smith's re-election, if carried.

She expressed regret over the attacks upon Smith by the P. E. John Roach Straton and the conservative party of the Southern Methodist women. In her letter Mrs. Felton said she believed Governor Smith, if elected, will provide honest, production employment.

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