

HIGHWAYMEN GET \$23.

Dr. C. E. Hawke Held Up in the City of Portland.

Two daring highwaymen, one tall and the other short, held up Chester Fry, 760 Savier street, and Dr. C. E. Hawke, 371 Multnomah street, Friday night within 35 minutes of each other. The proceeds of the Hawke robbery—for Fry did not carry any money—amounted to \$23 in money and a valuable watch.

Fry was held up on the Northrup street bridge, about four blocks from the Union Terminal Depot, about 8:15 o'clock. Both robbers wore stonch hats and long black overcoats, with the collars of their coats turned up. Neither of the precious pair wore masks. Fry did not see the footpads until they were close to him, when one of them suddenly pulled out a revolver and said: "Young fellow, dig up!"

"I haven't got a cent," protested Fry, holding up his hands. The other robber passed his hands rapidly over Fry's clothing, and then growled, "The fellow has got nuthin'." The other robber snorted contemptuously, and Fry thought he was to be treated to a lecture on the enormity of his having ventured out with nothing in his pockets of value to a highwayman. But the tall robber was evidently too disgusted with his non-success to give the lecture, and he sharply said: "Be off with you, and don't look back." Fry was only too glad to avail himself of the desired permission, and he lost no time in making his way to the police station and telling Police Captain Moore of the outrage. He gave a good description of both robbers.

It was about 8:50 o'clock when Dr. Hawke was walking on East Third street, near Holladay avenue, and saw two men in front of him. It was a dark part of the street, covered by shade trees, and the nearest electric light was about one block away. Ten yards distant the two men suddenly separated, and then Dr. Hawke suspected, as he afterward said, that he was about to be robbed. One robber pulled out a revolver and said, "Dig up!" The victim was in no position to resist, so he held up his hands, while the other robber went through his pockets, taking the money and watch, but he mercifully returned Dr. Hawke's keys.

"Now, get along, an' be quick about it!" commanded the robber who flourished the revolver, and Dr. Hawke did so. He, too, communicated with the police station, and his description of the robbers tallied exactly with the description of the two men who had robbed Fry. The police think that the robbers, after holding up Chester Fry on the Northrup street bridge, traveled over the steel bridge and laid in wait for Dr. Hawke on East Third street. Dr. Hawke was robbed within 100 yards of his home—Oregonian.

Tillamook Public School.

The report of Tillamook Public School for month ending January 17th, 1902:

Table with 4 columns: Days attendance, Days absence, Pupils present, No. enrolled. Lists names like Mrs. Hays, Miss Newell, etc.

Mumps have run the days absence quite high.

B. O. SNUFFER, Teacher.

Real Estate Transfers.

State of Oregon to Geo. C. Jones, Ne 1/4 E 1/4 of Nw 1/4 and lots 1 and 2, sec. 18, tp. 1 S, R. 6 W.

U. S. to Landis Rooney, Nw 1/4 sec. 26, tp. 3 N, R. 8 W.

Mary Weston to Olean Land Co., S 1/2 of S 1/2 of sec. 2, tp. 1 S, R. 7 W.

Emma Perkins to Dennison Bellings, tract in secs. 28 and 33, tp. 1 S, R. 9 W.

Chas. L. Barrett to R. M. Wilber, Sw 1/4 of sec. 21, tp. 1 N, R. 6 W.

Henry Hamilton to Olean Land Co., Sw 1/4 of sec. 21, tp. 1 N, R. 6 W.

Title Guarantee & Trust Co. to Olean Land Co., Sw 1/4 of sec. 21, tp. 1 N, R. 6 W.

F. R. Beals to Gus Allison, lots 5 and 6 of block 52, Thayer's add. to Tillamook City.

Halbert L. Fowler to Olean Land Co., lots 1 and 2 in sec. 2, tp. 1 S, R. 7 W.

Joseph Harrison to Edward Cleve, a tract in N. 2, R. 10 W.

Oregon & California R.C. Co. to David Martiny, N 1/2 of S 1/4 of sec. 1, tp. 3 S, R. 8 W.

Henry C. Cooper, by sheriff, to Claude Thayer, W 1/2 of Sw 1/4 of sec. 15, tp. 1 N, R. 6 W.

E. H. Cowing, by sheriff, to Claude Thayer, W 1/2 of Sw 1/4 of sec. 17, S 1/2 of S 1/4 of sec. 18 and N 1/2 of Ne 1/4 and Sw 1/4 of Ne 1/4 of sec. 27, tp. 1 N, R. 7 W.

F. R. Beals to T. D. Edmunds tract in block 4, McDermott's add. to Tillamook.

W. J. Cook to M. S. Copeland, right of way.

C. F. Pearson to Nehalem Coal Co., Sw 1/4 of sec. 16, tp. 3 N, R. 10 W.

William Knocell to Nelson P. Wheeler, W 1/2 of W 1/2 of sec. 12, tp. 1 S, R. 7 W.

Elmer D. Hoag to Nelson P. Wheeler, N 1/2 of N 1/2 of sec. 8, tp. 2 S, R. 7 W.

Zerelda E. Dunn to School District No. 19, tract in tp. 3 S, R. 10 W.

Archbishop of Roman Catholic Church of Oregon to Sister Servants of the Immaculate Heart, block 34 in Thayer's 4th add. to Tillamook.

U. S. to William H. Austin, receipt, lots 2, 3 and 4 of sec. 6, tp. 2 S, R. 7 W.

Horace Holden to H. F. Holden, tract in Trask D.L.C.

W. L. Provost to A. E. Nichols, 20 acres, tp. 1 N, R. 10 W.; same to W. L. Provost; same to Joseph Provost.

Eliza Wilcox to Nelson P. Wheeler, Se 1/4 of Nw 1/4 and E 1/2 of Sw 1/4 and Sw 1/4 of S 1/4 of sec. 20, tp. 2 S, R. 7 W.

William M. Maxwell to Nelson P. Wheeler, lot 2 and Se 1/4 of Nw 1/4 and Sw 1/4 of Ne 1/4 and Nw 1/4 of Se 1/4 of sec. 30, tp. 2 S, R. 7 W.

Ralph M. Ackley to Nelson P. Wheeler, W 1/2 of W 1/2 of sec. 20, tp. 2 S, R. 7 W.

David W. Jones to Nelson P. Wheeler, lot 3 and E 1/2 of Sw 1/4 of Se 1/4 of sec. 30, tp. 2 S, R. 7 W.

Eric Sjolseth to Nelson P. Wheeler, various tracts.

State of Oregon to Winton Timber Company, N 1/2 of S 1/2 and S 1/2 of Nw 1/4 of sec. 18, tp. 2 S, R. 6 W.

Sues Former Husband.

HILLSBORO, Jan. 19.—A \$10,000 damage case was filed in the Circuit Court yesterday by Minnie Sprech against C. E. Sprech. The complaint alleges that the parties were married January 3, 1899, and went to reside at Woodlawn. Soon after going there the husband and his sons commenced to abuse the plaintiff and used violence towards her, compelling her to leave home. It is further charged that by a mutual arrangement the plaintiff went to California, where she was to be joined later by her husband. It 1900 the parties met in California and lived together, and later returned to Portland. It afterward transpired, so plaintiff alleges, that before the husband went to California, he fraudulently and unknown to plaintiff, procured a divorce, and after living with plaintiff for a time on his return to Portland, defendant married another woman. It is claimed that the defendant is worth \$30,000, and damages to the extent of \$10,000 is prayed for, because by reason of the defendant's conduct he has brought shame and infamy upon plaintiff and has harassed and annoyed her until she became sick, nervous and incapable of transacting business so as to make a living.

In Favor of Panama

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The supplemental report of the Isthmian Canal Commission on the proposition of the Panama Canal Company to dispose of its property to the United States for \$40,000,000 was delivered to President Roosevelt this evening. The members of the commission refuse to discuss the nature of the report, and like reticence was maintained at the White House, but it was stated, on excellent authority, that the report unanimously recommends that the offer of the Panama Company be accepted.

The report, it is further stated, is very voluminous, going into all phases of the question, and attempting to meet the objections that legal complications will arise out of the purchase, or that there will be any international difficulties should the deal be consummated. The report was completed about 6 o'clock this evening, and, after being signed by the members of the commission, was carried by Admiral Walker, chairman of the commission, to Secretary Hay, who transmitted it to the President. The latter will send the report to Congress the first of the week, probably Monday.

The report goes into the steps which must be taken in order to insure a perfect title to the United States, for in addition to the present Panama Canal Company, the old organization and the Colombian Government must be reckoned with. The report finds, however, it is said, that the new company can give a clear title. It is stated that the report says that when the commission made its recent report favoring the Nicaragua route no offer to sell to this Government had been made by the Panama Company. The offer \$40,000,000 is made in behalf of the company by M. Lamdre, it is said, changed the situation completely. It is further stated that the report shows that a little over 1000 shares of Panama Railroad stock are owned by individuals outside the Panama Canal Company, and that these can be purchased for a comparatively small sum. Other obstacles to the sale, the report says, also have been removed.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The President today transmitted to Congress the supplemental report of the Isthmian Canal Commission on the proposition of the Panama Canal Company to sell its property to the United States for \$40,000,000. The Commission unanimously reports that in view of the conditions that now exist and all the facts and circumstances upon which its present judgment must be based, the Commission is of the opinion that the most practicable and feasible route for the Isthmian Canal to be under the control, management and ownership of the United States is that known as the Panama route. The report is signed by all the members of the Commission. It was accompanied by a letter of transmittal from the President to Congress.

Earthquake in Southern Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO, Jan. 17.—One of the most terrible catastrophes in the history of the State of Guerrero is reported to have occurred late yesterday afternoon, when an extremely violent earthquake shock was felt at Chilpanzingo, causing a great loss of life and injuring many persons. Details from the stricken district are very meager, but scattering reports received here indicate that probably 300 people were killed, and as many more injured. It is known that the State Capitol, the parish church and many business houses and residences are in ruins, and that there is much suffering as a result of the awful seismic disturbance. One of the edifices that suffered most was the federal telegraph office which explains the paucity of news that has so far reached this city. Messager details finally began to arrive here. The telegraph lines and apparatus at Chilpanzingo were badly damaged, but the employees, all of whom were uninjured, quickly proceeded to erect an improvised telegraph office on the outskirts of the city.

The number of deaths was greater in the parish church than in any single place, as a crowd of worshippers was gathered there for the afternoon service. The solid masonry walls and the roof came toppling down on the worshippers, and many of those within were killed.

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Reports from Southwestern Wyoming tell of strained relations between sheepmen and oilmen in that section. Surface rights are involved, and the courts will be called upon to settle the difficulties. The trouble not only affects this section, but will probably extend over Colorado and Utah, where oil has been discovered and sheep are grazed.

A cyclone has swept over the Canary Islands, doing much damage to property and causing a shipwreck.

Minister Wu called upon Secretary Hay

in connection with the restoration to the Chinese Government of the Sulu of silver bullion amounting to \$376,600, which was captured by the American marines at Tien Tsui, forming part of the revenues of the salt customs. This money would have been restored long ago, and indeed Secretary Long had contemplated turning it over soon after it fell into the possession of the marines, but in the disorganized state of the Chinese Government there was no official to whom it could be handed. Mr. Wu has now been ordered by his government to receive this money, and it will be given to him in the shape of a draft on the treasury, where the money is deposited, which may be readily exchanged for bills in Shanghai.

The steamer Dirigo arrived from Skagway, bringing 50 passengers, some of whom were from the Klondike. They report that considerable excitement prevails at Dawson over the striking of second bedrock on the Eldorado, on the bench claim adjoining No. 27. The depth of the second bedrock is 30 feet beneath the first, and when the gravel was reached near the bedrock it ran from \$1 to \$5 to the pan. The White Pass & Yukon Railroad is blockaded and passengers have to be transferred across a big snowslide which covers the track. On the night of January 9, there was a slide a mile and a half wide and 100 feet long, covering the track to a depth of eight feet.

Just Smile.

When your ship is overdue, When your spirits black and blue, Want to know the thing to do? Just smile.

When the day is dark and drear, And the day is fraught with fear, Want the clouds to disappear? Just smile.

When the birds have ceased to sing, And the woe of living cling, Want to antidote the sting? Just smile.

When the cares unstinted fall, And enwrap you like a pall, Want to sweep 'em up the gall? Just smile.

When the heart in anguish breaks, And you think that God forsakes, Want to liment your aches? Just smile.

When the path seems rough and steep, And the mire is soft and deep, Want to see a sunbeam peep? Just smile.

When your plannings go awry, And your stifled with a sigh, Want the load to gently lie? Just smile.

When you walk the floor at night, And baby yelling "out of sight," Want to make the burden light? Just smile.

When the rays of morning show, And you shovel coal and snow, Want to lay your troubles low? Just smile.

From a smile the laughter grows— 'Tis the stroke that overthrows— All your real and seeming woes— Is a smile.

PURE REFINED PARAFFINE advertisement with illustration of a woman and a lamp.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Oregon City, Ore., January 17th, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before County Clerk of Tillamook County, at Tillamook, Oregon, on February 21st, 1902, viz: E. E. 1612 for the 1/4 Sec 14, sec. 28, Ne 1/4 of Ne 1/4, sec. 33 and W 1/2 of Nw 1/4, sec. 34, tp. 3 S, R. 9 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Noah Coulter, Marcus D. Swab, Jacob Kumm and Antoine Tauscher, of Boyer, Ore. CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George W. Kiger and James Kodak of Tillamook, Ore.; E. E. 1612 of Bay City, Ore.; William D. Boddyell, of Trask, Ore. CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 8, 1878.—NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, January 17th, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 8, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as amended, and the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

Laura E. Nichols, County of Tillamook, State of Oregon has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 5581, for the purchase of the S 1/2 Nw 1/4 and lot 3 and 4, of section No. 5 in Township No. 4 North, Range No. 6 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Ore., on Saturday, the 5th day of April, 1902. She names as witnesses: John C. Bryant, of Clatskanie, Ore.; Erish N. Bry of Colcord, Ore.; and Oscar E. Wheeler, of Nehalem, Ore. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 5th day of April, 1902. CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

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