

Bids Wanted.

Notice is hereby given that plans, specifications and bids are wanted for the construction of a stone, brick or concrete courthouse in Tillamook County, Oregon. The structure to contain three vaults and all the necessary rooms for offices and court room, jury room and all; to cost from \$18,000 to \$30,000.

All bids are to be filed with the County Clerk on or before 1 o'clock P. M., on Monday December 5, 1904.

Bidders are required to file a certified check for 5 per cent of their bid as a guarantee at time of filing bid.

All rejected plans will be returned to the bidders.

By order of County Court.
G. B. LAMB,
County Clerk

NEHALEM.

C. L. and Dan Alley went to Tillamook Tuesday.

The Gerald C got out Friday.

H. Tohl went to Portland on business Friday.

F. K. Beals was up from Tillamook Saturday, he has two men clearing land on his north fork ranch.

J. S. Stephens was on the river Saturday on business.

Mrs. F. Long is on the sick list, she was attended by Dr. Bartel Wednesday.

BOULDER CREEK.

H. L. Jensen went to Cloverdale Wednesday, to do some trading.

C. A. Smith is back from Washington. He is looking for his mother Mrs. R. A. Hardin to come out and keep house for him a while.

R. Y. Blalock was called to Salmon River last Friday to Mr. Gardner's, to officiate at the wedding of Mr. G's daughter, Miss Bessie.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Bays have got home from their visit to St. Louis and other eastern points.

Not many of Tillamook County's school girls can show a letter with the White House post mark as can the Misses Grey. Just before election they wrote a letter to President Roosevelt telling him their papa was a republican, and so were they, and if they could vote they would certainly vote for Roosevelt and Fairbanks, they told him they hoped he would be elected, and closed with good wishes etc. In a short time they received a kind little letter signed Wm. Loeb, presenting the President's compliments to the young ladies, and thanking them heartily for their words of appreciation and good wishes. Our President is never too busy or too much engrossed with state affairs to keep him from paying attention to the young folks.

Mrs. H. A. Chopard, who has been staying with her mother for the past two weeks, during the latter's illness, came home Wednesday.

The wood-nymphs, elves, fairies or brownies held high revel on Boulder Creek, all Halloween.

L. P. Grey is building him a new house on his ranch at East Creek.

Jno. Borba visited the city last week.

Miss Adelaide Gray went to Blaine and back Saturday.

C. C. Getchell, who has been staying with his brother-in-law, H. A. Chopard, while Mrs. Chopard was away, went home Thursday.

Some of Boulder Creek's young people attended the dance at Blaine last week.

Most everyone is pleased at the result of the election, especially in regard to local option.

Shoot My Turis, She Said.

NEWPORT, Or., Nov. 14.—Dr. F. M. Carter returned this afternoon from below Yahats, scene of the shooting of little Unnie Emmett. He reports the injury not fatal. The bullet struck her just under the left shoulder joint and, ranging downward, passed out under the shoulder blade. At the time of the shooting Emmett and his wife were outside the house, the children playing in the sitting room. The rifle was hanging on the wall. Lee, the brother, climbed upon the heating stove to reach it. As he did so Unnie said, "Shoot my turis." Lee still standing on the stove, pointed the gun down at her and fired. The shock of the bullet striking did not knock her down nor did she say a word or cry. The mother rushed into the room, did not know the little one was shot until she saw blood flowing from the wound.

Bankruptcy Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.—That on the 27th day of October, 1904, NICK BROSTOFF, of Nehalem, Oregon, was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Room 600, Chamber of Commerce Building, Portland, Oregon, on the 5th day of December, 1904, at 11 o'clock a. m., at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated, Portland, Oregon, November 14th, 1904.

ALEX SWEENEY.

Reteree in Bankruptcy.

Elmer Sleeper, aged 21, night clerk at the Columbia Hotel, Spokane, Wash., was asphyxiated while asleep in his room by gas which had been turned on suddenly through an uncapped pipe. The responsibility for the affair has not been settled. Sleeper's father lives in Albion, Mich. His father's name is Elgin H. Sleeper.

SPRUCE.

Mr. and Mrs. Woole went to Tillamook Saturday and returned Monday.

Clyde and Lou Kinnaman went to Bay City Monday after a load of brick, returning Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Dye and Etta Harmon went to Tillamook Saturday.

Mr. Geo. Payne, who has been staying in the valley, returned last Tuesday.

Mrs. Vadie Kinnaman was a visitor at Pleasant Valley, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dye passed through here on their way to Tillamook Thursday.

Mr. Clyde Kinnaman and Miss Jennie Blanchard attended a taffy pulling at Boulder Creek last Saturday and reported a very pleasant time.

Mr. Tohl says he also discovered the strange track, and, after investigating, found it to be Bowey Lyster hunting for the cook. Look out girls, don't get left for this is leap year vet.

NETARTS.

Con Desmond has rented his place to Mr. Catterlin, of Foley, and we are very glad to have Mr. Catterlin and family among us.

M. A. Hodgdon, of Fairview, came over to Netarts Friday, bringing a load of goods for Mr. Arance.

Francis M. Phelps, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Phelps, of this place, returned home on the 12th, after a year's absence, having been at the naval training station in San Francisco part of the time and three months on a cruise on the Buffalo. He visited Alaska, the Bering Sea, Siberia, the Midway Islands and Honolulu. He will leave on the 22nd, for Seattle, Wash., where he will report on board the Philadelphia for further orders. His many friends were glad to see him back once more.

Ralph Ackley came over from Tillamook Saturday to spend a few days on the bay.

Miss Leana Kutcher left for Portland last Saturday, where she will make her future home.

Sermons Boiled Down.

Kindness is catching.
One sin bears many seeds.
Red blood is always better than blue vision.

None are so poor as those who do not love people.

Living for one's land is far greater than doing for it.

A poor man does not need to be a poor sort of a man.

More enemies have been slain by mercy than by malice.

The church is not at all sacred when it thinks that the street is wholly secular.

Chance is one of the most profane words in our language.

Real religion never has to advertise for a chance to do good.

He has made no great gains who has never lost anything.

Men who are always on the make never make much of anything.

A man's title to glory does not depend on the glory of his title here.

Small men do not gain great truths and great men do not retain them.

An open denial of God may be better than an empty definition of him.

The rainbow of love always looks best against the black clouds of hate.

The light of one life shines farther than the brilliance of a century's logic.

When religion is a matter of business, business is never a matter of religion.

The Daily Telegraph's correspondent at St. Petersburg asserts that the Emperor has decided to send out the second division of infantry of the guards as soon as the troops already called out shall have been dispatched to Manchuria. The guards usually are only sent to the front when there is a monarch or a Grand Duke in command. The dispatch of these troops, the correspondent adds, shows the determination of the Emperor to struggle to the bitter end.

Miss Anna Buddick, of Stockton, Cal., met instant death as the result of an automobile accident. With another young lady and several other companions she was returning from a dance. She and a male companion were sitting on the back of a three-seated vehicle, their feet hanging over the rear, when her dress was caught in the chain and she was thrown off and dragged a considerable distance along the pavement. Before the machine could be stopped her head struck an iron pole and she was instantly killed. She was about 23 years of age.

A dispatch to a news agency from St. Petersburg says that Vice-Admiral Sir Lewis Anthony Beaumont has been appointed British representative on the North Sea Commission to inquire into the firing on British trawlers by the Russian Baltic squadron. "Admiral Rojestvensky's squadron," the dispatch adds, "had a good voyage from Tanager to Dakar, where it is now coaling from German colliers. The other portion of the fleet is still repairing at Snda Bay and elaborate precautions have been taken for the safety of a further section of the squadron that is about to sail from the Baltic."

Common talk on the streets is that Page is the only man that is making money, but that is a mistake, for the hundreds of people that buy at my store are getting rich on everything they buy.

—W. E. Page.

May Have Burned to Death.

OREGON CITY, Nov. 13.—Coroner Holman today received a letter from J. H. Groshong, of Marquam, stating that the neighbors of Mrs. Peter Brown, whose badly decomposed remains were found at her home near Marquam Thursday evening under mysterious circumstances, have become convinced that Mrs. Brown's death was due to other causes than murder, as was at first suspected. Mr. Groshong writes that the Brown neighbors have found where Mrs. Brown had been fighting fire near her home, and in doing so had used wet cloths. This has caused the neighbors to conclude that Mrs. Brown was either burned to death or was overcome by the heat.

This theory is not generally accepted by the officials who conducted the inquest, who will not be satisfied that a crime has not been committed unless some explanation is made for the presence of a blood-stained knife that was found beside the woman's body, and for the further fact that the door to the house was locked, with the key on the outside.

Sunday and Gambling Put Under Ban.

EUGENE, Or., Nov. 14.—W. Waddle, M. L. Sommerville, T. L. Gilliam, George Boyer and A. L. Henline, all saloon-keepers of this city, were arrested by Chief of Police Gilbert, Saturday night, charged with permitting gambling in their places of business. Sommerville at once paid a fine of \$100.

For the first time in many months the saloons were ordered closed all day Sunday. The saloon men are at a loss to account for this sudden moral spasm, as they have been allowed to keep open on Sunday, and to allow gambling games to go on for a long time.

Bombards Bear at Each Descent.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 14.—Many remarkable bear stories have been told in British Columbia, but Herbert McCormic certainly has claims to originality for his tale of how he shot a big black bear with a Colt's revolver. It was at Annis, in the Okanagan—so spelled to distinguish it from the Okanagan in Washington—that the encounter took place. McCormic was at the Kamloops Lumber Company's camp when he saw the bear up a tree. As soon as the animal caught sight of the man it started for the ground. McCormic instantly decided that it intended to give battle, and though he only had a six shooter, he accepted combat.

A bear always comes down a tree tail first. Just as Bruno approached the butt of the tree McCormic opened fire on the enemy's flanks, and the bear climbed back. This gave the man time to reload. Down came the bear again, head up. Again the revolver spoke six times, and once more the animal went upward. This was repeated a third time. The bear climbed back.

Up and up he went. The limbs on the tree grew smaller and weaker. Suddenly there was a break and bruin descended. Fortunately for McCormic, behind the revolver, the animal fell into a fork in the tree and broke his neck. The tree was felled and McCormic got the skin of his antagonist. Eighteen revolver bullets were found in the carcass.

Falls to Death in Old Well.

OREGON CITY, Or., Nov. 14.—Ed Tuelholke was killed this morning by falling into an unused well at his home, near Courtney, north of this city. He got out of bed at 6 o'clock, put on trousers and slippers and went outdoors, leaving his brother still in bed. Half an hour later the brother got up, and going outside heard groans coming from the well, and upon investigation found Tuelholke at the bottom, 18 feet below the surface. The well contained no water, and was lined with jagged stones all the way down. It was eight feet across. It was fully two hours before the man could be taken out, and he was unconscious, dying two hours after he was rescued. Dr. Mount was called from this city and secured a special car from Portland to take Tuelholke to a hospital, but it was not needed. His skull was fractured, and it is a wonder he was not killed instantly. Tuelholke was about 30 years of age, single, and lived with his brother at Courtney.

Disastrous Wrecks.

Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from Throat and Lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Craig of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all Throat and Lung diseases by Chas. Clough, Druggist. Prices, 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

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