

YOUNG WOMAN DROWNED

Her Uncle Meets Serious Accident Following Drowning

A fatal accident occurred Friday afternoon in the Nestucca river near Blaine, when a number of young people were bathing. Miss Nellie Bedortha, with her younger sister, Mary, her brother, Tom, and other young friends, composed the party. After attempting to learn to swim Mary, who could swim, tried to take Nellie across the river, near the farm of their uncle, O. M. Burbank. Nellie became frightened and broke loose from her sister's grasp, and in desperation attempting to reach land she was carried under by the current. It was three quarters of an hour before the body was recovered. Her brother made several dives before he recovered the body. All efforts to restore her to life, before and after the doctor arrived proved useless.

Nellie Edith Bedortha, was born in Bridgman, Mich., June 28, 1900. About two years ago she came with her parents to Blaine, Or., to live. For over a year she has been a telephone operator in Portland. About two weeks ago she came home to spend her vacation. Nellie was an obliging, kind hearted girl, and had many friends. Funeral services were at the home of her uncle, Mr. O. M. Burbank, and was conducted by Mrs. Dora Young, Aug. 22, 1920. Interment was in the Blaine cemetery.

Following the drowning of Miss Nellie Bedortha at Blaine on Friday afternoon, her uncle, O. M. Burbank, met with what might have been a fatal accident. While getting some boards from his barn to place the body of his niece upon, a board slipped and struck him over the eye, knocking him down and rendered him unconscious for a time. He lost about a quart of blood and Dr. Robinson was called upon to sew up the wound.

TRAGEDY OCCURS ON SKOOKUM LAKE TRAIL

Boy of Fifteen Accidentally Shoots Himself With Rifle.

Rudolph Grist, a boy of fifteen years, who lived at the Yellow Fir mill with his parents, was accidentally shot and killed Wednesday afternoon. He was on his way to Skookum lake with Mac McClellan, the fire warden, and they had traveled up the trail about three miles when the accident occurred. The boy had crawled under a log, and in reaching back to pull his high powered rifle after him, the gun was accidentally discharged. Perhaps the trigger caught on a twig or chunk of wood. The bullet entered his forehead between the eyes, tearing a large hole through his head. McClellan, who was down the stream about a hundred yards, fishing, heard the report of the gun and rushed to the disaster. The wounded boy was brought to town and taken to Dr. Boals Hospital, where he died until the next morning. The shooting occurred about 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Thursday afternoon the body was taken on the train to Kansas for burial the father, mother and small sister of the boy accompanying it.

Timber Owners, Businessmen and Dairymen Confer.

A conference of representative timber men, business men and dairy men was held in the offices of the Tillamook County Creamery Association Saturday evening, this being the second of such meetings, to ascertain whether the timber owners, business interest and dairy men could get together on a proposition for harbor improvements, it being the desire of the timber owners to have further improvements made at the harbor by having a jetty built on the south side. Those present at the meeting were: Russell Hawkins, Geo. B. McLeod, Wells Gilbert, and Mr. Hammond, representing the timber owners; W. Maxwell, Jess Earl, Ben Turner, H. B. Johnson, John Nelson, C. J. Edwards and H. H. Rosenberg representing local interests and dairymen.

After a good deal of discussion a committee was appointed to ascertain what it was costing to ship hay, feed and other freight in and shipping cheese out on the railroad. When the report is ready it will be used to show the saving that will be made by shipping by boat instead of by rail. At present there are quite a number of dairymen who opposed the improvement, but it is hoped that they will give their support when they see the advantages to be derived. Another meeting will be held on the 25th of September, when it is expected that a decision will be arrived at.

Says Gas Shortage is a "Bogey"

Washington, Aug. 18.—The Country's gasoline supplies are increasing nationally and on the Pacific Coast, according to Bureau of Mines figures and the American Petroleum Institute. The bogey of shortage is being dispelled by the official reports, which show that during April, the latest month for which there are figures, production of gasoline was 2,829,931 gallons ahead of the demand. Consumption was 8,591,912 gallons whereas the output was 11,421,843 gallons. Reserve stocks increased to 643,552,644 gallons, which showed a considerable gain on the March figure of 626,393,046 gallons.

Card of Thanks

We desire to express our sincere thanks to our many friends who so kindly assisted us by their presence, help, sympathy, kind ministrations and floral offerings in the illness, death and burial of our beloved father.

Chas. W. Buell
Hert Buell
F. L. Buell
Florence Buell

Cheese Factory Boilers Condemned

Salem, Or., Aug. 20.—C. H. Gram, state labor commissioner, returned here today from Tillamook county, where he inspected several boilers on complaint of the residents of that section. Boilers in the plants of that Neskowin Cheese company, Pleasant Valley Shingle company and Long Prairie Creamery company were condemned, while in a number of other instances repairs were ordered made immediately. Mr. Gram said he found a number of boilers in deplorable condition, and that he now has an agent inspecting several plants which he was unable to reach because of lack of time.

Death of Cyrus W. Buell

Cyrus U. Buell, who died at the home of his son, F. L. Buell, on Friday, was born in Switzerland county, Ind., Dec. 19, 1836, where he lived until 1846 when he crossed the plains with his parents. In 1859 he was united in marriage to Ellen Carney, who passed away in 1908. Six children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Buell, three of whom survive. They are: Chas. W. Buell, of Linn county; M. H. Buell, of Polk county; F. L. Buell, of Tillamook.

The funeral was held Saturday afternoon at the United Brethren church, of which he had been a life long member, and always observed family worship in his home. Rev. Wriggle conducted the services, after which interment was made in the I. O. O. F. cemetery. His family have the sympathy of a great many friends and acquaintances in their sorrow.

I. O. O. F. Items

Time and tide waits for no man, but man sometimes waits for time, as in this case your secretary is waiting for the time when the G. A. R. Convention tickets to Indianapolis go on sale, which will be in a few days, for while I am Secretary of the Odd Fellows, my better half is secretary of the W. R. C. which works to a T. U. T. on this occasion; better rates on the fare, see! That is the reason I am still on the job.

If you do not believe the last ventilating committee has been doing their duty, just come to lodge and not how fresh and pure the air since the committee and the carpenters got in their work. No more excuses now. You can't pull that headache stuff, poor ventilation, bad air, asthma or hay-fever stunt any more. You can take in the picture show, and let the workers keep up the lungs for you, so you can wear the Three Links, but say hatch up some new excuses or go, anyway, but we really enjoy company here. So come once anyway.

Something new in music last meeting. Shorty Myers got up, say it was all right, beats marching without the piano, but say why don't some one get an application for membership who can play the piano? In a city like Tillamook of something less than 2000 population. There ought to be at least one male pianist who can qualify as an Odd Fellow. If you can not locate one, then by all means import one. For it seems there ought to be one pianist out of a membership of near 300, but the only one we had, has passed over the Great Divide.

E. W. Perkins, Cicero Proctor, Bob Roberts, Frank Ridpath and Geo. S. Bennett were instructed in mysteries of the First last meeting.

Bro. J. R. Coxon, from Hassolo Lodge No. 15, Portland paid us a fraternal visit last Tuesday.

Bro. J. R. Church having rented a fruit farm near Oswego, for a term of ten years, will soon leave Tillamook to take up his abode at that place; surely our members are scattering to all parts.

Good eats committee next Tuesday J. R. Church, LeRoy Church, C. I. Myers, Frank Mathews, Chas. Bennett, Carl Anderson. Come and try their menu.

Some ball game I say, judging from the report as given by such reliable Bros. as Shorty Myers, Dr. Glaisyer, and Ross Chilcott, Oh yes, and Sam Greene. This is the sub and substance of the whole thing, as reported by the above: As you know the Tillamook bunch, as well as all other Three Link men and their families were invited to a picnic at Beaver. Well, they have a crack base ball nine. Shorty Myers as manager picked some of the has-beens from the Tillamook bright lights with Sam Greene as pitcher, and Dr. Glaisyer for empire, to go against this crack team of the Mt. Hebo lodge. As Shorty never knew defeat, and you can't keep him down, he expected, to clean 'em up right, but after playing the game for some hours, with all the home runs chalked up in favor of Beaver, Shorty shows his nerve by digging up a bottle of—I did not say moonshine, but anyway he hands the bottle to empire Glaisyer; one drink turned the trick there after all the home runs and fouls with Sam, were in favor of Tillamook. Naturally Mt. Hebo protested, and being all Odd Fellows, Ross Chilcott was substituted for Glaisyer. Moonshine, as well as sunshine acts different on different people; manager Shorty by this time being outwitted and losing his nerve took complete control of the game, and as you know an Odd Fellows game cannot be dominated by one man, Shorty reports that both sides won first place. No one disputing this decision it still stands.

The Encampment meets this Thursday eve at 8 sharp. After a short session all Odd Fellows will be entertained by the camp, Shorty calls it a "smoker", some feed afterwards probably, all Odd Fellows come.

Not hearing from the Rebekah Noble Grand to the contrary we know she opened up the meeting at 8 as usual.

F. P. Conover, Sec.

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School In Tillamook Opens Sept. 6th. Only a few days for parents to take care of their childrens school needs and it behooves frugal ones to take advantage of Haltom's 18th Anniversary Sale and benefit by it's saving.

1000 Pairs Children's Medium And Heavy Weight Stockings, sizes 6 to 10 1/2, Good 50c. Sellers, 39c.

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Boy's Waists, In Light And Dark Colors, Sale \$1.19.

Men's New Hart Schaffner And Marx Overcoats, Save \$15 to \$25, This Sale \$39.90.

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—All Women's Silk And Muslin Underwear Discounted 20 Per Cent.

Entire Stock Of Women's House Dresses Discounted 20 per cent, \$3.40, 3.58, 3.99, 4.60

—All Women's Silk Petticoats 1-5 Off—\$7.18, 7.98, 8.52, 8.79.

18th Anniversary Sale! All Children's Dresses Reduced 20 Per Cent.

\$2.48, Anniversary Sale—\$1.99
\$2.98, Anniversary Sale—\$2.39
\$3.69, Anniversary Sale—\$2.95

School will before many days be upon you again, therefore it behooves economical parents to take advantage of this worth while attraction. Then, too, others will perhaps wish to get their share for immediate wear. Smart gingham and chambray togs, in stripe, plaid and plain colors. They have pretty smoked yokes round, collars, suspender and gumpe styles, too.

Men's Great Half Price Suit Sale, Special Lot, Choice \$24.85.

Men's \$8.00 Dress Shoes in Wanted English, Medium And Wide Toes, Sale, Pair \$4.95.

Women's Suede And Kid Gloves, Colors White, Tan, Grey, Reindeer, Actual \$4 Values, Sale Pair \$2.98.

Good Size Woven Felt Rugs, Suitable For Beach Or Home Use, Sale \$2.89.

Women's \$2.50 Heavy Dark Blue Chambray Feminalls, Sale \$1.98.

Women's And Misses Sizes, 10 to 20 Middies, Good \$2.25 Values, Sale \$1.33.

To \$1.98 Brassieres, Three Styles, Sizes to 46, This Sale 83c.

Spool Silk, Full 100 Yards, 16c. 36 Inch Bleached or Unbleached Muslin, Good Weight, Yard 19c.

Crepe Paper, Full Size, Sale Role, 5c. Straw Ticking, 31 Inches Wide, Sale Yard 16c.

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—\$2.39 Splendid Velvet Corduroy, Good Colors, Yard \$1.81
—To 45c. Dress Ginghams, Assortment, Sale, Yard 28c.
—55c. Figured Serpentine Crepe, Now, The Yard 44c.
—37c. Strongcloth, 29 Inch Wide, Striped Patterns, Yard 30c.
—\$8.35 Navy Tricolette Silk, 36 Inch Wide, The Yard \$6.68
—Fact is Our Entire Stock of Silks Shaded In Price (Reduced) 20 per cent to 50 per cent—Select Now for Your Fall Ward Robe. New Fall Woolen Plaids Included Too.
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