TWO RECORDS WERE BROKEN

Splendid Racing Program at Lone Oak Track Yesterday

THE FOUR AND ONE-HALF FURLONG RUNNING RACE RECORD NOW WITHIN ONE SECOND OF THE BEST IN THE UNITED STATES.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

The racing program yesterday afternoon, at Lone Oak track, was the best ever seen on the second day of the State Fair, and drew a large crowd to the grand stand, fully 5,000 people witnessing the interesting and exciting contests. Two track records were broken during the afternoon, in one case a record being established within one second of the best record ever made on a regulation track in the United States, and all hands are, in consequence, elated. The track is in the best condition ever seen, there are no disputes, the horsemen, showing a spirit of fairness that is refreshing, while the judges are just and fair, and eager to promote the sport in its best form. The races yesterday were:

Pacing, 2:30 Class, Purse $400.

The 2:30 pace brought out five pacers for the contest, when the bell clanged for the opening of the afternoon's program. The horses appearing were Fred Brooker's b. g. Chester Abbott, (Brooker driving); N. K. West's ch. m. Taffeta Silk, (Zibbel); Fred Sechtem's black mare Alta Cora (Osmon); E. Blazier's b. g. Rockford, (Tilden); L. Richard's blk. m. Zu Lu, (Threlkeld). Evangie had been entered for this race but had been withdrawn, and Chester Abbott took her place on the score card and in position on the track. They had an excellent start and at the quarter Alta Cora took the lead, until the three eights when Alta Cora and Chester Abbott took the lead, and swept around to the three quarter post, when Chester Abbott took the lead, and came in under the wire an easy winner with Alta Cora second; Rockford, third; Taffeta Silk, fourth, and Zu Lu, distanced. Time, 2:17¾.

When the four pacers came out for the second heat they were in excellent condition and a splendid contest was promised. They scored twice, then got away in good style, amid the cheers of the grand stand. Chester Abbott took the lead easily and at the quarter Chester had a good lead, with Alta Cora second, and Taffeta Silk a bad fourth. At the half, Alta Cora and Rockford were contesting for second place, Rockford taking second at the five eights, with Chester Abbott having a good lead. Taffeta Silk lost ground steadily. When they entered the stretch they had not changed positions, and Chester Abbott led in easily, with Alta Cora second, fighting with Rockford to keep her place. Chester Abbott won the race in 2:21½, with Alta Cora, second, and Rockford, third, while Taffeta Silk was 150 feet beyond the distance flag. The time by quarters was 33¾, 1:09½, 1:45, 2:21½. Chester Abbott won the race, Alta Cora taking second money and Rockford, third.

Trotting, 2:15 Class, Purse $500, Best 2 in 3.

The 2:15 trot, the best harness race up to this time, brought out the three splendid animals entered for this event, and the grand stand showed its approval and greeted the splendid steppers with a clapping of hands and cheers. The horses were: J. A. Baddeley's b. m., Oveta, (Erwin); C. W. Kahler's br. g. Volo, (Clark); Lou Childs' b. g. Chico, (Childs). The latter horse sold a big favorite in the betting ring and an easy victory was predicted for him though his opponents were splendid steppers, and showed excellent action in the preliminary work. The horses scored repeatedly, but Volo seemed, for a little time, to be unable to come under the wire on a trot. At last they got the word, Volo getting a slow start, and breaking at the first eighth, with the other two neck and neck to the quarter. On the back stretch Chico drew ahead of Oveta with Volo lost in the dust, far in the rear. At the head of the stretch Oveta and Chico began a fight for place and down the stretch they came neck and neck, the contest ending in a dead heat, with Volo badly distanced. Time, 2:16¼. Time by quarters, 34½, 1:09¼, 1:44, 2:16¼.

The second heat of the trot brought out the two contestants, both in good mettle and an interesting contest was on. The horses got a good start, with Chico on the outside at the first quarter. Chico led easily, Oveta striving hard to keep up with her fast rival. On the back stretch, Oveta closed up the gap a little but was still two lengths in the rear at the head of the stretch, breaking several times, but quickly recovering, and down the stretch the two were separated by but two lengths, Chico leading under the wire in 2:15¾, Oveta two lengths behind coming easily at the finish. Time by quarters, 33½, 1:07½, 1:14¾, 2:15¾. This is the best record in the 2:15 trot ever made on the Lone Oak track, the best preceding time being 2:16.

The third heat was slow in being called, and when the horses finally appeared on the track they were in fine condition for racing. The horses scored repeatedly Chico breaking several times when near the wire. At last they got away Chico slightly in the lead and holding his place, Oveta breaking badly at the three-eighths and losing ground, until the stretch was reached. Down the stretch Chico had a good lead and was coming easily with Oveta straining every nerve to reduce the gap, when she again broke and came just inside the distance flag, Chico jogging under the wire in 2:17¾. Time by quarters, 33¾, 1:08, 1:42, 2:17¾. Chico won the race, with Oveta getting second money.

Running 4½ Furlongs, Purse, $150.

The first running race, 4½ furlongs, purse $150, selling, brought out a fine field of runners. The horses were: J. H. Brannen's b. m. Aurora B. (Donovan in the saddle); E. E. Hickox's blk. g. Jim Brownell, (David); Foster Jones' ch. g. Honest John, (Williams); Berkeley Stables' b. m. Cora Goetz, (Poretto); Kinfong & LeFrancis' s. m. Sally Goodwin (Boynton); Holcomb & McKennit's ch. f. Meteora (Powell). They went to the post, and some time was spent in starting them, but at last, after considerable trouble, five got away in a bunch, while Cora Goetz remained at the post for a few seconds later starting after the field, and trailing along 150 yards in the rear, to the wire. Honest John quickly took the lead, and held it gallantly, making one of the prettiest runs ever seen on Lone Oak track. When the runners came down the stretch they were closely bunched immediately in the rear of Honest John. Nearing the wire Aurora B. drew near him and when Honest John passed under the wire in 54 seconds, the little bay mare was but a neck in the rear. The race broke the record for Lone Oak track for that distance, and is within one second of the best record ever made in the United States on any regulation track—an achievement of which the management can well be proud.

Running for Three-Year-Olds, Six Furlongs, Purse, $175.

The six furlong running race, purse $175, brought out six fine racers, and when they went to the post the grand stand became intensely interested. The horses appearing were: Larson & McBride's b. g. Almoner, (with Harmon up); Wm. Bucholtz's br. g. Modder, (McDonald); C. F. Clancy's b. g. Sailor, (Desmond). John Kane's b. g. The Maniac, (Groves); Wm. Williamson's s. m. Finney L., (Otis); J. H. Brannan's b. m. Miss Rimpson, (Donovan). The horses were at the post a long time, but this did not cool the enthusiasm of the grand stand, in spite of the cold north breeze, and the number of false starts made only increased the interest. At last the runners got away, in a bunch, Sailor leading at the half mile post, with Modder a good second, and the rest closely bunched. It was a pretty race—for blood—down the stretch, Sailor leading the rest under the wire in 1:15¼, with The Maniac, second; and Almoner, third.

Keep the system in good condition by an occasional dose of the Bitters. It will restore vigor to the system, prevent Malaria, Fever and Ague, and cure Sick Headache, Nervousness, Indigestion, Dyspepsia and Insomnia. Be sure to try it

A Communication.

Mr. Editor: Allow me to speak a few words in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I suffered for three years with the bronchitis and could not sleep at nights. I tried several doctors and various patent medicines, but could get nothing to give me any relief until my wife got a bottle of this valuable medicine, which has completely relieved me.—W. S. Brockman, Bagnell, Mo. This remedy is for sale by Stone's Drug stores.

THE BUGS.

See the many, many bugs—
Buggy bugs!
How they flutter through the twilight,
causing us excited shrugs!
How they rustle, rustle,
In the dreamy air of night;
Flipping, flapping on the highway,
Booming, buzzing on the byway,
Under each electric light.
How they dip, dip, dip!
How they zip, zip, zip!
Till they whisk about our whiskers and
go mugging at our mugs!
Oh, the bugs, bugs, bugs!
Oh, the bugs, bugs, bugs, bugs, bugs,
bugs, bugs!
Oh, the night is two shades darker
from the bugs.

All sorts and kinds of bigs.
Fuzzy bugs!
Bugs that humbly beg your pardon;
bugs that proudly throw on lugs!
How the flutter, flutter, flutter,
Till some lady gives a shriek;
Till she clutches at her bonnet,
Shouting that a bug's upon it,
For she felt it climb her cheek.
How they wing, wing, wing!
How they sing, sing, sing!
The mosquitoes and the beetles and
each buzzy, buggy thing.
Oh, the bugs, bugs, bugs!
Oh, the bugs, bugs, bugs, bugs, bugs,
bugs, bugs!
There's a million miles of breeze containing bugs.

There are June and lady bugs!
Whiskered bugs.
There are bats and fleas and locusts;
there are moths in search of rugs.
Bugs that hurtle like a missile!
Bugs that roar and bugs that
whistle;

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The Oregon Fire Relief Association has been a success ever since it began business in January, 1895, and is now growing faster than ever before.

Its annual report of December 31, 1901, shows a net gain in amount of insurance in force of $2,628,787, which is 50 per cent more than the net gain of any previous year. It paid 135 losses during the year amounting to $23,600.

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HE SOUGHT THE POLE

LIEUTENANT PEARY IS RETURNING HOME FROM THE FROZEN NORTH.

NORTH SYDNEY, C. B., Sept. 18.—Lieutenant Peary arrived here today, on the steamer Windward from the frozen North. He did not discover the North Pole during the trip of four years, but he says that in his last dash he made important discoveries. He feels certain that the pole can be reached. The most northerly point reached was latitude 84 degrees 17 minutes, northwest of Cape Hecla. Lieut. Peary says that the pole can be reached from Franz Josef, and from Grant land, on latitude 83 degrees, if winter quarters are established as far North as possible.

THE POULTRY IS JUDGED

Awards Made By Mr. W. W. Browning of Ogden, Utah

THE MANY DIFFERENT VARIETIES HAVE BEEN DISPOSED OF BY THE JUDGE AND ARE NOW READY FOR THE INSPECTION OF VISITORS.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

The premiums in the poultry department at the State Fair were yesterday awarded by W. W. Browning, of Utah, one of the best informed poultry men in the United States. The awards are:

Barred Plymouth Rocks.

J. Murrow & Son—1st and 3d cock; 1st hen; 2d cockerel; 1st, 2d, and 3d pullet; 1st pen; 1st best display of American class.

Orlo Cahow—1st cockerel; 2d pen.

J. O. Watts—2d and 3d hen; 3d cockerel; 3d pen.

Buff Orpingtons.

Frank Fenwick—1st and 2d cockerel; 1st and 2d pullet; 1st hen.

White Rock.

J. Murrow & Son—1st and 3d cockerel.

A. B. Heaton—2d cockerel; 1st, 2d, and 3d pullet; 2d pen.

J. O. Watts—1st and 2d cock; 1st, 2d, and 3d hen; 1st pen.

White Wyandottes.

Geo. Chrisman—1st, 2d, and 3d cock; 2d and 3d hen; 2d cockerel; 2d pen.

Frank Hurlburt—1st hen; 1st cockerel; 1st, 2d, and 3d pullet; 1st and 3d pen.

Partridge Wyandottes.

W. T. Stolz—1st cock; 1st and 2d hen; 1st, 2d, and 3d cockerel; 1st, 2d, and 3d pullet; 1st pen.

Silver Laced Wyandottes.

F. A. Ball—1st and 2d cock; 1st, 2d, and 3d hen; 1st, 2d, and 3d cockerel; 1st, 2d, and 3d pullet; 1st and 2d pen. 2d best display American class.

Partridge Cochin.

C. D. Minton—1st and 2d cock; 1st, 2d, and 3d hen; 1st, 2d, and 3d cockerel; 1st, 2d, and 3d pullet; 1st and 2d pen; 1st best display Asiatic class.

Black Leghorn.

Alden Hurlburt—1st cock; 1st cockerel; 1st, 2d, and 3d hen; 1st pullet; 1st pen.

Single Comb Brown Leghorn.

E. Dow—1st and 2d cock; 1st and 2d hen; 3d cockerel; 1st pen.

C. T. Bonney—3d cock; 1st and 2d cockerel; 1st and 2d pullet; 2d pen.

W. C. Kynion—3d hen; 3d pen.

Black Minorca.

Mrs. C. D. Nairn—1st cock.

N. L. Wiley—1st and 3d hen; 3d cockerel; 2d and 3d pullet; 1st pen.

Frank Fenwick—2d hen; 1st pullet.

Blue Andalusian.

A. W. Klein—1st and 2d cock; 1st, 2d, and 3d hen; 1st and 2d cockerel; 1st, 2d, and 3d pullet; 1st and 2d pen; 1st best display Mediteranean class.

White Leghorns.

A. A. Hulburt—1st and 2d cock; 1st, 2d, and 3d hen; 1st, 2d, and 3d cockerel; 1st, 2d, and 3d pullet; 1st and 2d pen; 2d best display of Mediteranean class.

R. C. White Leghorn.

A. A. Hulburt—1st cock; 1st and 2d hen; 1st and 2d pullet; 1st pen.

Buff Cochin.

Frank Fenwick—1st cock; 1st, 2d, and 3d hen.

Black Langshans.

Frank Fenwick—1st cock; 1st hen; 1st and 2d cockerel; 1st and 2d pullet.

Silver Gray Darking.

Mrs. C. D. Nairn—1st cockerel; 1st pullet.

Toulouse Geese.

Mrs. L. L. Whitteaker—1st pen.

African Geese.

C. T. Bonney—1st pair.

Mammoth Pekin Ducks.

Mrs. L. L. Whitteaker—1st pair old; 1st pair young.

Gray Call Ducks.

W. H. Hulburt—1st pair old; 1st pair young.

White Langshans.

Sellwood Bros.—1st cock; 1st and 2d hen; 1st, 2d, and 3d cockerel; 1st pen; 2d best display of Asiatic class.

Buff Cochin Bantams.

A. W. Klein—3d cock; 1st hen.

Frank Hulburt—2d cock; 1st and 2d cockerel; 1st, 2d, and 3d pullet; 1st pen.

Hoskin & Nelson—1st cock; 2d and 3d hen; 2d pen.

White Cochin Bantams.

Hoskin & Nelson—2d cock; 1st best display of Bantams.

Mrs. L. A. Hulburt—1st cock; 1st, 2d, and 3d hen; 1st and 2d cockerel; 1st, 2d, and 3d pullet; 1st and 2d pen; 2d best display of Bantams.

Golden Seabright Bantams.

C. T. Bonney—1st cock; 1st hen.

Silver Seabright Bantams.

Hoskin & Nelson—1st cock; 1st hen.

Black Cochin Bantams.

Hoskin & Nelson—1st cock; 1st hen.

B. B. Red Game Bantams.

Warren Hunt—3d hen.

Tom Gatch—1st cock; 2d hen.

Morningside Poultry Yard—2d and 3d cock; 1st hen; 1st pen.

Pet Games.

Frank Smith—1st cock; 2d cockerel; 1st, 2d, and 3d pullet; 1st pen.

Mammoth Bronze Turkeys.

Mrs. C. D. Nairn—1st pair yearlings; 1st pair two-year-old.

Atkinson Bros.—2d pair yearlings; 1st Tom; 1st hen.

Bert Alderman—2d Tom.

Rouen Ducks.

L. W. Zorin—1st pair.

Buff Turkeys.

L. W. Zorin—1st pair.

Pigeons.

Morningside Poultry Yard—1st pair Dragoon; 1st pair Antwerp; 1st pair Homers; 1st pair carriers.

Canaries.

Mrs. L. L. Whitteaker—1st and 2d best display.

Poultry Notes.

The poultry exhibit this year compares very favorably with preceding years, and Supt. C. D. Minton feels proud of the fact. The poultry pavilion is being kept in a very neat and orderly manner, and is exceptionally free from disagreeable odors.

Four specimens of young fowls, fattened by the English process of feeding were on exhibition at the poultry pavilion yesterday. This process places more white meat instead of fat on the frames and commands nearly double the market price. The birds were fed by Thomas Bondeny, of Corvallis, who served an apprenticeship in fattening fowls in Southern England.

THE CLOUD OF FAKIRS

SOME REVENUE DERIVED FROM THE OPERATORS OF GAMES BY CITY TREASURY.

There are more fakirs and games of chance in operation upon the streets this year than for several years past, and all of them seem to be flourishing. This is a source of a pretty good revenue for the city also and none of them are being run without a license. City Recorder Judah's books show, for the past two days, that $30 has already been realized from these games and amusements, whereas, for the whole Fair season last year, only $7 was collected. The spindle-wheel, peddlers, novelty targets and African dodgers, are operated upon daily licenses, and when they fail or neglect to take out a license they are closed up without ceremony.

City Recorder Judah said last night that he had received scores of applications for licenses to conduct gambling games of all descriptions, but that he had regarded them with suspicion and refused them point blank. The "Fish pond" game which was in operation here last year and developed into a "skin" game of the worst type, applied for a license again this year, but Recorder Judah refused the operators license and forbade them opening the game at all.

Sheriff Colbath made the rounds and closed up all the "sure thing" games, which were running wide open and in full blast on Monday night, and stated that he proposed to keep them closed if he had to resort to seizing their apparatus and prosecuting the operators, but they were reported running again last night.

City Recorder Judah and Chief of Police Gibson were seen last night and when asked what action the city authorities proposed to take in the matter, Recorder Judah said.

"From the very first Chief Gibson and myself have been a unit on the program of flat exclusion of all 'skin games' here this week. Cappers and boosters were to be dealt with promptly and vigorously and their principals shut off from operating any 'cinches;' no licenses were to be issued to questionable games, and the program has been adhered to, to the letter. The early intervention of the county officers has made it unnecessary for the city officers to take any specific action in the premises, unless there shall be further infringements of the law.

"Sheriff Colbath was strictly within his prerogative in his action on Monday evening and the effect will, doubtless, be for the good of the city and county, but the results might have been even more far-reaching had he enlisted the co-operation of the chief of police, who was equally ready to act in the matter."

Not Doomed for Life.

"I was treated for three years by good doctors," writes W. A. Greer, McConnellsville, O., "for Piles and Fistula, but, when all failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me in two weeks." Cures Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Corns, Sores, Eruptions, Salt Rheum, Piles or no pay. 25c at Dr. Stone's Drug Stores.

FIGURING IT UP.

The captain strode the quarter deck:
The crews were at the guns,
The powder flames leaped fiercely out,
Like as the lightning runs.
Afar the fortress rose all grim,
And bellowed in reply,
Till smoke and fire and thunder sound
Shook both the sea and sky.
And the captain took
His little book,
And figured away while his fingers
shook:
"2 into 10 goes 16 times,
And the square of 12 is 4;
70 is the cube of 6,
And my deck is wet with gore,
And my ship is shot to a shattered
hulk,
And I haven't a man alive!"

The other captain in the fort,
Stood sadly on parade;
The gatlings, seige and other guns
A fearsome racket made.
They boomed across the troubled waves
Against the swooping ships,
And as their echoes thrilled the air
The captain bit his lips.
And he also took
His little book
And figured it out with a worried look:
"6 per cent of a dozen men,
And the sine of 18 more,
All bisected by 25,
And the arc of 34;
3 plus 8, to the decimal,
And the tare and tret," he said,
"Combined with the subdivided sum
Shows all my men are dead."

Thus each side lost and each side won,
And each side fought the fray,
And how they're figuring upon
Grim war is awful at its best,
But who will lose or lick
If he relies entirely on
The old arithmetic?

WORK OF INCENDIARIES

FOREST FIRES IN MONTANA WERE SET—PROOF SECURED BY GOVRENMENT AGENTS.

BUTTE, Mont., Sept. 18.—It has developed today that the forest fires in the Northwestern part of the state are probably of incendiary origin. Government agents are said to be in possession of evidence tending to show that the fires were kindled.

Oregon City, Or., Sept. 18.—Mrs. R. D. Wilson returned tonight from Springwater, where she has been relieving the fire sufferers. She says that aid is coming so freely that the people will have enough food, clothing and other necessaries to last them through the winter. Al danger of fire is now past. Rain is falling for the first time in many weeks.

OLD PEOPLE

Do not always receive the sympathy and attention which they deserve. Their ailments are regarded as purely imaginary, or natural and unavoidable at their time of life. Disease and infirmity should not always be associated with old age. The eye of the gray haired grandsire may be as bright and the complexion as fair as any of his younger and more vigorous companions.

Good Blood is the secret of healthy old age, for it regulates and controls every part of the body, strengthens the nerves, makes the muscles elastic and supple, the bones strong and the flesh firm; but when this life fluid is polluted or poisoned and loses its nutritive, health sustaining elements, then there is a rapid decline of the vital powers, resulting in premature old age and disease. Any derangement of the blood quickly shows itself in an ulcer, sore, wart, tumor or some other troublesome growth upon the body, and rheumatic and neuralgic pains become almost constant, accompanied with poor digestion and cold extremities.

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FROM OREGON EXCHANGES.

Vale Gazette:—The first serious accident to occur in the new Willow Creek mines, happened last Saturday, when James Scanlan was seriously, and probably fatally injured while working in a prospect hole. Scanlan, who is an engineer on the O. S. L. Road, was working in a shaft when suddenly the dirt and rocks from above gave way and falling upon the unfortunate man, knocked him to the ground and covered him with more than a foot of debris. Dr. Hoople, of Vale, was summoned and did all possible for the man's comfort, and has some hopes that he may recover.

Florence West:—A few days ago fire destroyed B. D. Paine's cabin on his homestead on Knowles Creek. He had burnt some slashing and gone away thinking the fire was out, but it started again in a tree on the hill side above the house. The tree fell and rolling down the hill set fire to the building.

Eugene Guard:—About 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon the alarm of fire was given and the firemen were directed out West Eighth street, where, while passing the residence of J. M. Shelley, a load of straw being hauled by Carson Matthews, was discovered on fire. The horses were unhitched, the straw dumped off, and a stream from the hose soon extinguished the fire. The blaze probably orignated from the friction of the rear wheel rubbing on the hayrack, as it was first discovered in that locality.

Dalles Chronicle:—Just as often come complaints of the work of the fiendish little wire manipulators around the city. Perhaps it is putting it too strong to say "fiendish," for the boys are not nearly so much to blame as their parents who fail to show them the results of this dangerous practice called "pranks." Thursday evening as A. H. Beall and wife were walking along on the center hill they ran across a wire stretched from one side of the walk to the other. Mr. Beall was thrown to the ground and badly bruised about the shins; but his wife fortunately escaped unhurt.

Dallas Itemizer:—That water works proposition is a two sided question. That the town would be better off with them there is no doubt, but whether it can afford it is the point. Many towns in the state, Independence among them, are groaning under burdensome taxation, and some of them can never thrive because of it. Dallas is now paying a 34 mill tax and the proposed bonds will increase it to perhaps 38 mills. Will it pay the tax payers to assume the additional burden. As the $12,000 bonds are to be paid off within twenty years, it would call for raising something like $1,000 a year above our other expenses. Nor is that all for the cost of procuring water right, reservoir site and right of way would have to be added, and where is the money coming from to pay for it. Calmly discuss these questions with your neighbors, remembering that those who have the most taxes to pay should have most weight. If anybody wants to put in waterworks as a private enterprise, let all say amen.

Albany Herald:—Yesterday a message was received from Brownsville giving meagre particulars of a probably fatal combat, which occurred near that place early yesterday morning. The melee took place in the Gentry hop yard, about one-half of a mile from Brownsville, and as a result the life of George W. McCaney is despaired of, while J. L. Cooper must answer to the charge of murder in the event of McCaney's death. It appears that J. L. Cooper and Geo. W. McCaney went to the Gentry hop yard together. Yesterday morning about 4 o'clock they became involved in an altercation, which ended in blows being exchanged. During the progress of the fight Cooper picked up a chair, and swinging it through the air, struck McCaney over the head, crushing his skull, and rendering him unconscious. Medical assistance was at once summoned, but at latest report, the physicians had been unable to arouse the injured man from the stupor into which he was cast by the blow. Later last evening the physician trephanned the skull and thought the relief of pressure on the brain might enable the patient to regain consciousness. We can give only the cause of the dispute which is alleged by Cooper. He says that McCaney accused him of sponging his living from McCaney, and of being a bum. This led to the row, which resulted in the probably fatal blow.

Mrs. McCaney heard the struggle, and hastened to see what was the matter, but when she arrived she found her husband unconscious. Cooper notified the deputy sheriff of the affair, and said that he was ready to give himself up when wanted.

Albany Herald:—Among those returning from the region up the South Santiam, which has been visited by fire are W. H. Worrell, Wm. McKillop, A. M. Aoit and N. B. Sprenger, who came in Sunday evening. They report that although the fire has been near the Big Bottom country, in which Albany people have timber claims, and some fire in the district embraced by those claims, that very little damage has been done. The worst of the fire has been above that country. They report that Messrs. Prettyman and Webb, of Portland, who were camped near them, were forced to flee for their lives in the middle of the night. The fire had approached to close proximity of their camp before it was discovered, and the danger was so imminent that they were unable to save any of their possessions. Among the tracts of good timber land that were destroyed were two hundred acres belonging to the C. A. Smith Lumber Company, of Minneapolis.

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