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A SUICIDE ON PUDDING RIVER.

Benjamin Finner committed suicide, while temporarily insane. Saturday night a courier rode into Woodburn and informed Coroner Ryland that a man by the name of Finner, living across Pudding river, had committed suicide by hanging.

The body was found lying on a "shake down" in one corner of the upstairs or loft, it not having been finished.

It appears from the testimony adduced at the inquest that deceased had not been enjoying good health for the last few months, and was ever afraid that some persons were following him for the purpose of robbery or murder.

Young Fisher rushed up stairs closely followed by Mr. Hostetler, who cut the man down. They laid him down on the bed, and although he breathed once or twice, he could not be revived.

It seems that he went to the head of the stairs and there pulled off his boots and laid his hat down. He then made a slip-noose of a clothes line, fastened one end to a rafter and put the noose around his neck.

Narrow Escape from Drowning. Saturday evening a young man of this city came near meeting his death in a bath tub. He had gone into George Hoey's bath room and was quite tired.

That Water Power. Persons throughout the city who have been running light water motors and engines are now forced to replace them with some more certain and tangible power.

Wanted in Salem. It will be remembered that a shrewd young forger, several months ago, passed off on G. W. Johnson of this city a forged check of \$150.

The Teachers' Institute. The annual teachers' institute for Marion county began its two weeks' session at the East Salem school building this morning.

Articles of Incorporation. Articles of incorporation were filed with the secretary of state to-day as follows: The Pittsburg mill company, with N. S. Cross, W. D. Chase, Q. O. Darling, W. E. Detrich as incorporators; capital stock \$5000, divided into 100 shares of \$50 each.

Articles of Incorporation. The Grant's Pass opera house company of Grant's Pass, with E. Dimick, C. P. Devore, Jas. C. Moss, H. E. Kinsey and Abe Axler as incorporators. Their business is to erect an opera house in said place.

Astoria Not Scared. Don't get scared. There is nothing the matter with the railroad. The Oregonian and Portland capitalists are scaring a little, that's all. We don't blame them.—Transcript.

The River is Low. To-day the water of the Willamette river is one inch lower than it was last week. The stage of water is now but six inches above that of extreme low water.

PURELY PERSONAL.

—F. J. Strayer went to Hubbard this afternoon.

—Abe McCully returned to his home in Portland this morning.

—Mrs. Wm. Rennie and Mrs. Landgren returned home this morning.

—Evan Owens and wife returned to their home in McMinville this morning.

—Cook Patton, Chas. Tasker and Howard Davis start to-day for a trip to the mountains.

—Mrs. F. C. Perrine and daughter returned home from their Idaho trip this morning.

—E. L. Johnson of San Francisco, but formerly of Salem, is renewing old acquaintances here.

—Miss Ada Sharples, who has been visiting in the city for the past few weeks, returned home to-day.

—Dr. A. J. Diven and family will start for Yaquna on Wednesday to spend a few weeks pleasure seeking.

—Wm. Henderson started yesterday for Olympia, where he goes to act as operator in the telegraph office at that place.

LOCAL SUMMARY.

—A marriage license was this afternoon granted to E. Longmiller and Ida Fitzgerald.

—Painless dental operations at Dr. T. C. Smith's, 92 State street.

—The sawmill started up this morning for a week's run.

—Don't you forget that the Bon Ton restaurant is the only place you can get a good square meal for the small sum of twenty-five cents.

—In the base ball contest at Dallas Thursday the Dallas boys defeated the Chemawa nine by a score of twenty-one to seven.

—Olive Lodge, at their meeting Saturday night voted \$25 to the brother lodge at Ellensburg.

—During the quarter just ended the Salem post-office did \$500 more business than during the same time last year.

—Both yesterday and to-day have been quite warm, but the usual sea breeze has put in its welcome appearance at the proper time.

—Mr. White, the old gentleman who was thrown from his buggy at Turner, is improving slowly. Also the two children of Mr. Neal who were accidentally shot are recovering.

—The millrace was shut off yesterday in order to let the workmen dig it wider near the Willamette evaporator and to fix a place in which to put the new water wheel.

—Rev. John A. Brooks, late vice-presidential candidate on the prohibition ticket, is in Oregon and will speak at Eugene and other cities. He will not be in Salem.

—Nob Chambers, brother of Wm. Chambers, had his foot badly lashed Saturday while coupling cars at Albina. Mr. Chambers was once a citizen of this place.

—The Earle tract, just over the river in Polk county, recently purchased by G. W. Johnson and S. T. Richardson, is being surveyed and will be subdivided into convenient small tracts.

—There are but two boats now running on the upper river, the Modoc and Three Sisters. It is stated, however, upon reliable information that the O. R. & N. have in contemplation at an early day the construction of a mate to the new successful craft, Modoc.

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Drunk and Disorderly. Joe Brabrier was arrested last night on a charge of drunkenness and was lodged in jail. His trial came off before Recorder Conn this morning and he was given ten days in jail. Mr. Miller, with whom Brabrier has been working, offered to pay his fine and let him work it out but he told a JOURNAL reporter that he would stand trial and would lay out in jail.

To Pay His Fine. A subscription paper is being circulated in Salem and is receiving liberal signatures, the object being to raise \$50 with which to pay the fine of young McClelland, now in jail for making an assault upon young Ford. The necessary sum is about raised and the mistaken boy will soon be free, perhaps.

The Tyral Going On. Before Justice Goodell this afternoon is in progress the trial of Rudolph Welter, who stabbed his friend Ryan with a knife. Ryan has about recovered and Welter has sobered up.

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Keeping at It. It is a great mistake to suppose that the best work of the world is done by people of great strength and great opportunities.

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