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SALEM WORKMEN HAVE NARROW ESCAPE

HARRY THAW GOES BACK TO ASYLUM FOR CRIMINAL INSANE

ROSEBURG BOOSTER CONGRESS

HELD OCTOBER 23 AND 24

Roseburg, Oct. 12.—Programs are set for a big two day booster congress and Good Roads convention to be held here Friday and Saturday, October 23-24. Following speakers are announced: Senator Jonathan Bourne, Governor Chamberlain, Judge Lowell, of Pendleton, Judge Webster, of Portland, Dr. Smith, of Portland, Judge Scott, of Salem, Col. E. Hofer, of Salem, Hon. J. W. Bennett, of Marshfield, and several others. Root for Roseburg! Dates have finally been permanently fixed for the big meeting of the Oregon and Idaho Development congress and Idaho Development congress.

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NORMAL SCHOOL BOARD

MEETS TO MAKE BUDGET

The Board of Regents of the State Normal schools met at 10 a. m. to consider reports from the presidents as to the needs of the schools for the next two years. Besides the State Board of Education, Judge Stephen Jewell, of Grants Pass, County Superintendent E. E. Bragg, of La Grande; H. J. Maier, of The Dalles; W. B. Ayer, of Portland; C. E. Snence of Clackamas; and E. Hofer, of Salem are in attendance. W. C. Edwards of Drain was before the board to get permission to use laboratory supplies belonging to the state, which was granted. Drain has a high school with principal in Miss Emer Mixer, for many years a successful teacher in Nebraska and Minnesota.

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AUSTRALIA OPPOSES AGREEMENT

BETWEEN ENGLAND AND JAPAN

(United Press Leased Wire.) Melbourne, Australia, Oct. 12.—If the entire political pressure of Australia is sufficient, the treaty binding England and Japan will not survive. Political Australia is determined to break the alliance as the first step to create a white man's Pacific ocean. Desiring not to embarrass England the Australian officials are not giving any official voice to the sentiment, but it is the belief of careful observers here that the treaty cannot last more than a few years. The feelings manifested during the visit of the American fleet here and a series of inspired articles during the past week in the press throughout the commonwealth have aroused the subject anew in diplomatic circles. In an interview today, a man who is recognized as one of the moulders of Australia's destiny, a man in a high official position, who prefers to have his name unmentioned, gave the following explanation of the situation: "The defensive and offensive alliance between England and Japan effects in reality only Manchuria and India and is directed entirely against Russia. England is committed to assist Japan against the invasion of Manchuria and Japan has agreed to aid Britain in repelling an invasion of India. The only possible invader of either country, is Russia. "The alliance has been received with an outburst of popular approval in Australia where the people are more anti-Asiatic than the Pacific coast. We have drastic Asiatic exclusion laws and a tariff practically cutting off Japan and China from competing with our home industries. This is where the clash will originate. "Soon Korea and Manchuria, which have been exploited for the benefit of the Japanese manufacturers will have been exhausted, and Japan will seek a market in Australia. "We will deny commercial entrance to Japan and she will appeal to England for coercive assistance. "England will not dare to attempt coercion and Japan will retaliate through a boycott or a tariff against British goods and this will result in a rupture. "The English statesmen expect a rupture before the expiration of the present treaty, and we think a break is inevitable within a few years."

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WILL NOT BE GIVEN INQUEST

SLAYER OF WHITE LOSES OUT

(United Press Leased Wire.) White Plains, N. Y., Oct. 12.—Harry K. Thaw, slayer of Stanford White, was remanded to the asylum for the criminal insane at Mattewan today, the proceedings for an inquest as to his state of mind, being dismissed. The order for the recommittal of Thaw to the Mattewan asylum was made by Justice Mills before whom the motion was made to have Thaw removed to a private asylum and before whom it was contended by Thaw's counsel that he is not now insane. The return to Mattewan is a blow to the Pittsburger, who repeatedly has said that he preferred to be in the Tombs prison in New York to confinement at Mattewan. He charges the attendants at Mattewan with mistreating him and alleged that he was subjected to unusual restrictions. As soon as the order remanding Thaw was made, argument was begun on the question of producing Thaw in the federal court at Pittsburg, in connection with his bankruptcy proceedings, in accordance with the order of the Pennsylvania judge.

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LABORER'S PICK HITS DYNAMITE IN REAR OF ZINN'S CANDY STORE

THURSDAY AFTERNOON—WAS BURIED WEDNESDAY—BUILDINGS ENDANGERED

Six workmen narrowly escaped death last Thursday afternoon from a stick of dynamite which apparently had been "planted" in the yard behind Zinn's candy store on State street, and which, if exploded, would probably have wrecked the new Meyer's building. It was a miracle that the deadly stick did not explode, as a laborer's pick struck it a glancing blow. The police are much puzzled over the presence of the explosive in the yard from which gravel was being taken by the Warren Construction company for use on the street. It is possible the dynamite was left there by someone wanting revenge on the workmen; by a party or parties desiring to wreck some of the adjacent buildings, or by robbers, as there is no accounting for a stick of fresh dynamite buried during the preceding night in an unused back yard. That the dynamite was buried during Wednesday night is the opinion of Willie Zinn, owner of the confectionery store. The stick of explosive is 4 1/2 inches in length and 1/2 inch in diameter. The workman who discovered the dynamite, and struck it a blow with his pick is well acquainted with explosives, having handled them frequently in the mines. Zinn has the stick of powerful dynamite, and is as far from a solution regarding its presence in the rear of his store as the police.

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Chicago Store
PICTURE BARGAIN HOUSE

Now Is the Time

FOR LADIES' COATS, SUITS, MILLINERY, DRESS GOODS, SILKS, HOSIERY, UNDERWEAR, BLANKETS, FLANNELS, MEN'S GOODS, GLOVES, DRESS SKIRTS, CHILDREN'S COATS, SHOES and all kinds of Heavy Goods suitable for Winter wear. WE ARE HERE WITH THE GOODS. The greatest values ever shown in Salem.

Fine Silks and Dress Goods

Thousands of yards of the latest settings and waists now on sale at small prices.

yd. 25c, 35c, 49c, 65c and up

Wrapper Flannelettes

Thousands of yards of the daintiest and prettiest patterns now on sale.

8 1-3c, 10c, 12 1-2c and up

We show the greatest values in the following goods: HOSIERY, UNDERWEAR, COMFORTS, BLANKETS, FLANNELS, MEN'S UNDERWEAR, CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR, OUTFITTING, FLANNELS, SHOES and MEN'S CLOTHING.

Salem The Store that Saves You Money Oregon



If you want to get the best values in this part of the world in Ladies Suits and Coats now is your time; they are going like wildfire. It's the small prices that does it.

WOMEN'S SUITS, \$7.50, \$10.50, \$12.50 and up.

WOMEN'S COATS, \$4.95, \$6.98, \$9.00 and up.

WOMEN'S COATS, \$1.95, \$2.95, \$3.50, \$4.50 and up.

CHILDREN'S COATS, \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.50 and up.

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RENO, NEV., OCT. 12.—

Mining men from Goldfield are repeating a story today to the effect that Maxine Elliott, former leading woman and wife of Nat Goodwin, is to marry Harry MacMillan, the mining man who was until recently engaged to marry Edna Goodrich, the leading woman of the Goodwin company.

MACMILLAN'S FRIENDS SAY THAT HE

met Miss Maxine Elliott on his recent trip east when he and Edna Goodrich agreed to disagree.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., OCT. 12.—

The police are searching today for a burglar who was driven away from the home of S. Schaefer by the courageous action of Robert Schaefer, the 18-year-old son, yesterday. Young Schaefer fired two shots at the intruder and frightened him away before anything was stolen.

THE YOUTH WAS ASLEEP WHEN THE

burglar entered the house. His parents were away at the theater and when he heard the footsteps he went down stairs to see what the matter was. In his mother's room he saw a robber going through the bureau, while his two little sisters slept within two feet of the murderer.

THE BOY WENT INTO HIS FATHER'S

room, and securing a revolver, he returned and fired two shots at the robber. The man escaped hurriedly through a window before the police arrived. Young Schaefer has had several encounters with robbers before. He was beaten and robbed eight months ago and was in bed for some time as the result of his injuries.

WHEELING, W. VA., OCT. 12.—

Mrs. Stephen B. Elkins, mother of Katherine Elkins, who is reported to be the fiancée of the Duke D'Abuzzi, reiterates today her denial of the engagement rumor. She declares that her daughter is not engaged to the duke or to any other man. "My daughter has never been engaged," continued Mrs. Elkins, "and when she is, the public will be given the facts. All of this talk is silly nonsense."

THE STATEMENT OF MRS. ELKINS IS

further augmented by the denial of her daughter. Friends of the family add that the reported displeasure of the Dowager Queen, arising over the suit brought against Blaine Elkins did not cause the issuance of the denial.

PASADENA, CAL., OCT. 12.—

Eugene Estoppey, the noted Swiss runner, is resting today after his arduous climb of the Mount Wilson trail yesterday in which the time record to the top and return was broken. Estoppey started at 4 o'clock in the morning and at six o'clock had made three trips to the summit and back.

SO FAR AS IS KNOWN, THE FEAT HAS

never before been equaled in the Sierra Madre mountains. The total distance covered is 43 miles and the elevation one mile.

WASHINGTON, OCT. 12.—

The constitutionality of the anti-rebate law, through an appeal of Harriman railroads from the decisions of the interstate commerce commission, will be among the important matters coming before the Supreme Court which met today for the first session of the October term. The court adjourned after a brief session to pay the customary call on the President, the justices having been on a vacation since June.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., OCT. 12.—

Governor Freer sends "Aloha" to the people of the Pacific coast through the United Press by wireless of the Hawaiian wireless company. The above was the first official message flashed across the Pacific ocean in the early hours of yesterday from the news station of the Hawaiian wireless company at Kauhuk Point, near Honolulu, island of Oahu, to Russian Hill, San Francisco, a distance of 2100 miles.

LONDON, OCT. 12.—

Newspaper reporters will hereafter be excluded from British war vessels during maneuvers of any kind, by order of the admiralty, because of the number of Americans employed on London papers. The decision follows the recent complaints in parliament of the completeness of information procured by American newspapers, concerning naval movements, doings and plans.

YOKOHAMA, JAPAN, OCT. 12.—

The Pacific coast business men representing the chambers of commerce on the coast, are seeing the sights today as guests of the allied chambers of commerce of Japan. The Americans have been enthusiastically welcomed and are the center of attraction.

AN ANNEX TO THE ACADEMY OF OUR

Adv of Perpetual Help, at Albany, which is soon to be built, will make that structure one of the finest of the kind in the states.