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FIRE FROM BRITISH GUNS BATTERS REAR OF GERMAN LINES



BRITISH GUN THAT TOOK PART IN DRIVE.

"An extraordinary thing happened as I looked across to Chateau Contalmaison," says a British observer of the battle of Somme. "The earth seemed suddenly to open in the enemy's lines and let forth the smoke of its inner fire. It gushed out in great round, dense masses and rose to a vast height, spreading like the foliage of some gigantic tree. It was not a mine explosion, for a mine flings up a black mass, with jagged edges like a piece of black

cardboard cut into teeth. But this was a regular uprising of curly black clouds of great volume, getting denser and coming continuously. I watched it for 20 minutes or more and could not make out its meaning, but guessed we had blown up an ammunition store. Two great explosions which came quite a few seconds after the first vomit of smoke suggested this." In the picture are seen a gun and the ammunition used in the great British artillery attack on the German lines.

Court House News

The appraisers appointed by the county court in the estate of the late Solomon Durbin have filed their report. The estate is appraised at \$17,827.74.

Olive McKellips has been appointed by the county court as administrator of the estate of the late T. M. Hamilton. The value of the estate is about \$1500.

Supt. Steiner of the asylum for the insane having reported that Roy Stearns of Oakland had been released from the institution, the hearing of Stearns' application for a writ of habeas corpus, set for this morning in Judge Galloway's court, did not take place. The matter was dismissed.

An order of default and judgment has been filed in the case of J. H. Blanford vs. J. H. Humphreys.

Motion for a judgment on pleadings was filed by the defendants this morning in the case of Frank S. Ward vs. City of Salem.

In the matter of the Oregon Fruit Juice company vs. J. C. Gregory the plaintiff has filed a demurrer on the grounds that facts stated in defendant's answer are not sufficient to constitute a defense to plaintiff's complaint.

Judge Galloway entered a decree this morning in the case of Carrie E. Palmer vs. G. S. Cresser et al that plaintiff recover from defendants the sum of \$450 with interest at 7 per cent from February 27, 1914, until paid, \$75 attorney fees and costs and disbursements of the action.

A trustee's deed covering certain Marion county lands, including lots in the Sunnyside district, was filed in the office of the county recorder this morning. The Phoenix Title and Trust company, as trustee of the bankrupt United States Land Title and Legacy company, transfers the property to Peter Corpsteia for \$7000, subject to a mortgage of \$5000 held by J. C. Perry.

A license to marry was issued by the county clerk this morning to Edmund May, 31, and Ida M. Lynam, 28, both of Salem.

A meeting of the boundary board, which consists of the county judge and the county superintendent of schools, will be held tomorrow at 1 p. m. to consider the affairs of school district 119. This district has had no school for five years and is threatened with lapsation. N. W. Mahoney will appear before the board in the interests of the district.

Angler's licenses have been issued to D. F. Jernau of Salem, I. A. Loren of Wacoua, A. G. Graham of Salem, Clyde Harris of Brooks, and J. T. Welsh of Salem. A combination resident hunter's and angler's license has been issued to L. K. Siegmund of Gervais.

August 21 has been set by the county court as the date for hearing objections to the petition of Peter Irmann administrator of the estate of Mary Irmann, for permission to sell a number of lots in Butteville.

Demurrers to a petition for a writ of prohibition in the case of the Central Oregon Irrigation company vs. Public Service commission of Oregon and the Central Oregon Water Users association were sustained in an order issued by Judge Galloway this morning. The petition for a writ of prohibition is dismissed.



Miss Lulu McCoy, with "September Morn."

"September Morn," a rollicking musical farce by Arthur Gillespie and Aubrey Stauffer, under the direction of the La Salle company, who produced it originally at the La Salle opera house, Chicago, where it made a furore during a run covering 250 performances, comes to the Bligh theatre next Thursday. It possesses much of the spectacular aspects of a Broadway "review," al-

though distinctly a musical farce. The company to present it numbers among its principals Vernice Martyn, Jack Brazee, Bennett Finn, Wm. Lemle, Carrie Poppiano and Lulu McCoy. It will be given here with all of the original costumes and scenery. The organization is meeting with considerable success on its tour from Chicago to the Pacific coast cities. It is quoted as being the one positive hit of the present season.

Supreme Court Releases Level

The supreme court yesterday ordered the release of James Level from the Multnomah county jail, where he has been confined since May 20 for non-payment of \$1043.49 alleged to be due John Level, who is serving a life sentence for murder in a California prison. The levels are not related.

The case arose in December, 1912, when the California convict began action against James M. Level and wife to recover money which he alleged, James Level owed him. When the defendants had filed their answer and a cross bill in equity, to which the plaintiff replied, the lower court referred the question to a referee to take testimony and "decide the whole issue." Upon the referee's reporting Judge Hamilton entered a decree. An execution was then issued and James M. Level was imprisoned.

Justice Benson wrote the opinion declaring the decree of Circuit Judge Hamilton void and the imprisonment of Level as unlawful. "There are two grounds upon which it must be considered that imprisonment of the petitioner is unlawful," declares the court. "First, a careful reading of the answer to the cross bill discloses no fraudulent actions upon the part of the plaintiff, and therefore the cause is not one in which the severe remedy of an execution against the person may be invoked. Second, it will be observed that the decree is based exclusively upon the findings and decisions of the referee. The statute in this state has taken away from the referee the authority to make findings of the fact and conclusions of the law in an equitable proceeding. The recital in the decree that the said judgment be for money fraudulently and unlawfully obtained by James M. Level is not based upon any issue found in the pleadings."

Six Escaped Convicts Were All Camp Cooks

The six convicts who escaped from the Bechtel ranch, also known as the Ike Durbin ranch, were trustees, and for this reason were permitted to sleep in the oats field near the regular convict camp. As they were all cooks, it is probable they were well supplied with food before making their departure.

That they had left was not known until they were called at 4 o'clock in the morning to prepare breakfast. In making their get-away, they walked around first in the oat field and then to the part of the flax field where work had been going on during the afternoon. This was probably done to throw the hounds off the scent. It is understood that one of the escaped trustees hiked out by himself for the timber near by while the five struck out towards Pratum.

It is generally believed that the five traveling together have stolen an automobile at Silverton and have succeeded in getting provisions for a week. They are also said to have obtained arms and are preparing for a desperate resistance in their hiding place.

Little Lemuel — Say, paw, what is a bachelor maid?

Paw — It's a term a girl applies to herself after she has given up all hopes of becoming a wife, my son.

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"SEVENTY TIMES SEVEN" THE WOMAN MUST FORGIVE

Can a woman find that she still loves a man who has wronged accused and publicly humiliated her, when she discovers that the man really believed her guilty? This is the problem that gives a new and tense turn to the "love interest" in "The Primal Lure," new Triangle play starring W. S. Hart, at the Oregon theatre tomorrow and Saturday.

Any woman who has endured the lash of a cruel and false accusation will sympathize with Lois Le Moyne, the youthful heroine of this play of the far Northwest. Seeking to leave a little gift, the work of her own hands, in the desk of the man whom she shyly and secretly loves, she is seized by that man as a thief, dragged through the settlement, and thrust into prison before the eyes of everyone she knows.

Her revenge comes. The man who has humiliated her is in his turn publicly humiliated, and bears a bitter burden. But despite his mistakes, he is made of the stuff of which heroes are molded, and in time of desperate peril he offers his life for the girl. Then—does she still care for him?

At first she thinks she does not, but when he tells her that she has come to occupy his heart and mind, to the exclusion of all other women—she finds that she must forgive him, and go to him, or else deprive herself of her greatest happiness in life.

BOY'S FATHER WILL SETTLE

A. E. Powell, father of Carroll Powell for whom a warrant has been issued on the charge of taking money from Russell Edmeades of the Capital Journal's circulation department, wired Edmeades this morning that he will send cash Saturday to cover the sum stolen, provided the Salem police consent to drop charges against his son. A reply has been sent Powell that if the money is in the hands of the Salem police by Saturday night the matter will be dropped.

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SEPTEMBER MORN

DAME FASHION'S DECREE

New York, Aug. 3.—A Parisian edict was received today about the amount of material in midday's skirt. There is to be more of it. The addition, say fashion formulators, does not mean fuller garments. Skirts are to be worn longer. The big hips, predominant in present styles, are taboo. Coats will be longer for women. Sleeves must be enlarged near the shoulders without too much trend toward the old "leg o' mutton" of years ago.



Miss Carrie Poppiano with "September Morn."

Today the LaSalle company will begin their engagement of three days at the Bligh theatre in the musical comedy success "September Morn." The company interpreting the Gillespie-Stauffer farcical comedy comes direct from the LaSalle Opera House, Chicago, in which theatre it received its premier and became the vogue. The organization is under the personal management of Martin and Lemle. It includes among its principals Vernice Martyn, Carrie Poppiano, Wm. Lemle, Jacques Brazee, Bennett Finn, Morgan Davis, Ernest Marx and twenty others in the ensemble. The play will be given with all of the original costumes and stage embellishments used in the Chicago run.

WOULD JOLT ENGLAND

Washington, Aug. 2.—Representative Gallivan of Massachusetts yesterday moved in the house the breaking of diplomatic relations with Great Britain because of its refusal July 25, to admit Thomas Hughes Kelly of New York and Joseph Smith of Massachusetts, two American citizens entrusted with funds and relief supplies for Irish revolution sufferers.



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