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THE SWIFT PLANT

Arkansas and came to Surprise valley in 1879, later to Lakeview and in 1882 moved to this county where they resided until eight years ago when they moved to Washington.

Besides the widow eight children survive him, six of whom reside in this county: Mrs. Simon Lewis of this city Mrs. J. T. Shields, Mrs. R. J. Williams, Mrs. A. L. Vanderpool, of Silver Creek, Mrs. P. M. Cheney and J. T. Garrett of this city. R. C. Garrett and Mrs. R. N. Miller, the other two children, resided near the parents in Washington.

J. C. Garrett was one of the best known men in Harney county where he was universally liked for his sunny disposition and genuine Southern hospitality. He took a very active interest in politics as well as all matters of a public nature. The many warm friends of J. C. are grieved at his death and extend heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved ones.

RAILROAD BUILDING.

The electric railroad seems to be the practical thing at this time and the news from Portland that the Willamette Valley is to be completely covered by such lines lends encouragement to such possibilities throughout the state. Mr. Harriman has been taking his own time to open up the rich interior of Oregon and may do something in the line of building this season in fact it is rumored that the right-of-way men will be in Harney Valley within 30 days. What the people want is something to make him move and the electric line may be used not only for this purpose, but also to compete later.

It seems strange to those who are familiar with conditions in this promising section that the railroad people seem so indifferent regarding it. If electric roads will pay in the Willamette Valley with so much competition they will certainly be a greater source of revenue if pushed into a territory as central Oregon.

This section continues to settle up quite rapidly and the demand for transportation to market is growing. Capital is flowing in, but finds investment in land and other avenues of immediate returns—all dependent, however, upon transportation facilities. To us it looks strange that railroad people do not make a move in this direction. To the electric road the problem of building is not so complicated as the steam road, and why they should spend \$10,000,000 in paralleling competitive roads in the Willamette valley and not take up the proposition of entering this field is a mystery.

GENTLE HINT TO SENATOR FULTON.

Senator Fulton at his annual Oregon salmon dinner in Washington, D. C. told a tipping story. "In Astoria," he said, "there used to be an old fisherman who brought me the first of every month a present of a splendid salmon from his master. I always gave the old fisherman a tip.

"But one morning I was very busy, and when the old man brought the fish I thanked him hurriedly, and forgetting his tip, bent over my desk again. He hesitated a moment, then cleared his throat and said: 'Senator, would you be so kind as to put it in writin' that ye didn't give me no tip, or my wife'll think I've went and spent it on rum.'—Washington, D. C., Star.

THE TOWN CLOCK.

Local people are anxious to get the town clock in position and making inquiries. The matter of prices and size are now holding the order up, as Mr. Gemberling has not received all the information he desires before the order is made. From inquiry made it would seem that close figuring is necessary to secure a good town clock for the money now available. It is thought, however, that the order will not long be delayed.

VERY SENSATIONAL ARREST

EX-SHERIFF OF CROOK IS CHARGED WITH CRIME OF ARSON.

Accomplice Arrested and Turns State's Evidence, Implicating Others—Surprise to People at That County.

This city was treated to a big surprise Saturday afternoon in the shape of the arrest of C. Sam Smith, former sheriff of Crook county, on charge of arson, says the Prineville Review. J. N. Williamson is the complainant and the property destroyed was the steam shearing plant, ranch house and barn belonging to Mr. Williamson 18 miles east of this city.

Two weeks ago sheriff Frank Elkins, investigating the fire, found a piece of a bridge belonging to Elliott which was identified by Elliott's little boy as the property of his father. Elliott was taken into custody a week ago Monday and "sweated," and in a few days had confessed, implicating the ex-sheriff and his 14-year-old son, Stanley Smith, in the burning of the shearing plant and cutting the wire fence on the B. F. Allen place, close by, which was leased by Williamson and used as range for some of his sheep.

Sheriff Elkins wired District Attorney Menefee at The Dalles to come and take charge of the case, feeling that he needed legal advice before proceeding further in the matter. Mr. Menefee appeared Sunday night and went to work on the evidence. After sitting all week as a grand jury he ordered the arrest of Mr. Smith and his son, who in response to the sheriff's phone came in and gave themselves up. The boy, being young, was not given a cell, but turned over to the custody of Dick Tandever until court meets, the first Monday in next month.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

(Portland correspondence.) No announcement made in years has been more interesting to the state at large than the publication of the plans of the Oregon Electric Railway Company, which mean a system aggregating three hundred and eighty-one miles in length, and reaching the principal towns of the entire Willamette Valley, with an extension to the coast as well. McMinnville, Newberg, Dallas, Eugene, Albany, Cascadeville, Hillsboro, and Tillamook, with innumerable other communities, are included. The line between Portland and Salem has received such excellent patronage that on several different occasions it has been necessary to revise the schedule to accommodate additional trains. In the Eastern states the multiplication of trolley lines has decreased the passenger traffic on the steam roads, but the latter have felt so marked an increase in freight traffic that the passenger loss has been more than compensated in earnings.

A very large delegation from Albany visited Portland last week for a double purpose. First, the City Council came to investigate the subject of paving, and as a result Albany will immediately begin the permanent improvement of her main streets. Then the committee representing the Albany Commercial Club completed arrangements with Bury I. Dasent to take charge of the city's publicity work as Manager of the Club, May 1st. Mr. Dasent is now Advertising Manager of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, Secretary of the Rose Festival Association, and Secretary of the Pacific Coast Advertising Men's Association, and his experience will make his work effective.

The greatest success has attended the Oregon Development League meetings throughout the Eastern part of the state. La Grande raised \$3300 in a few minutes, besides adding greatly to the membership of its Commercial Club—they will complete a fund of \$6000. Elgin business men subscribed \$600 to advertise their city. The Dalles will continue their publicity work on an even more liberal scale than

heretofore; Baker City is alive to the value of similar work.

ALFALFA HELPS THE SOIL.

"At the Kansas station alfalfa roots have been traced to a depth of over nine feet, while at the Colorado experiment station Dr. W. P. Headden has washed out the roots of an old alfalfa plant to the depth of nearly 12 feet, says an alfalfa leaflet. Various reports have been made, without good authority, of finding alfalfa roots at even greater depths. It is without doubt one of the deepest rooting plants grown on the farm.

GOVERNOR IS A CANDIDATE

SEES NO REASON TO GIVE WAY TO CAKE FOR U. S. SENATOR.

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AUCTION

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NOTICE

Being unable to give our personal attention to the collection of the accounts due us, the same have been placed with Mr. C. H. Leonard. A year having elapsed since the dissolution of co-partnership a prompt settlement of the same is requested.

MARSDEN & GEARY.

Religious Services.

First Church Christ Scientist 9 p. m. Sunday. Sunday school 2 p. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:30. Meetings are held in McMullen's Studio.

Rev. A. J. Irwin will preach at Harney the 2nd Sunday of each month at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school every sabbath at 2 p. m.

The Harney Sunday school meets at 2 o'clock each Sunday and a cordial invitation is extended to all who can attend to meet with us.

At the Presbyterian church Burns, Rev. A. J. Irwin pastor, Devine services the third and fourth Sundays of each month at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. every Sabbath morning.

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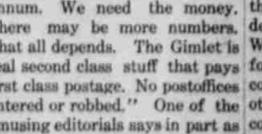
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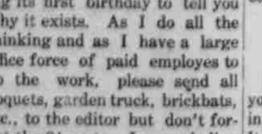
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WILL MAKE A THOROUGH CANVASS OF STATE

Will Also Mr. Cake—Itinerary Has Not yet Been Announced.

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FROM MISSOURI.

Down in Missouri there is a publication called "The Gimlet" and it is issued monthly. The February issue has reached this office and the editor, Mike Kinney, has some very amusing editorials. On the title page is the following: "The Gimlet is issued monthly. Damage 24 cents per annum. We need the money. There may be more numbers. That all depends. The Gimlet is first class postage that pays first class postage. No postoffice entered or robbed." One of the amusing editorials says in part as follows: "The Gimlet starts with a total unpaid circulation of 10,000 copies. Those who sent 24 cents run the risk of getting the Gimlet regularly. Those who do not send 24 cents take the chance of being overlooked. The Gimlet reserves the right of telling the truth or otherwise just to suit the occasion. Not being dependent for support upon its advertising columns it can at least say what it pleases which most editors will tell you is a great privilege. The Gimlet makes no promises. If it survives one year I will promise in celebrating its first birthday to tell you why it exists. As I do all the thinking and as I have a large office force of paid employees to do the work, please send all bouquets, garden truck, brickbats, etc., to the editor but don't forget the 24 cents. In concluding my introductory editorial let me impress upon all my readers that everything in The Gimlet should be taken dead serious. It is a serious publication with a serious object in view.

Yours faithfully, MIKE KINNEY, Editor and Janitor."

Charley Kenyon is going to have a horse machine this season instead of a buzz wagon. Frank Davis has fixed Charley up with a spanking pacer and a phaeton.—Ontario Argus.

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