# Don't Forget

Removal Sale

SIMON CARO'S

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men died without a whimper.

died today apent hast night praying. while Garrison worked on a speech which he had intended to delive one of the guards last night, Garrison referrated the statement that he did kill Perkins, but neverthe-

The traps were sprong by Warden bergen and Guard Snedgrass, who offered no protest.

Governor West refused to altend the hanging, and during the hour set for the executions he was busy

Garrison, who it was thought postensed almost from nerve, proved the an involuntary confession, econd trial he was again convicted and without the confession.

Adding to Garrison's plight was torneys. he fact that he were a long criminal seard, the records of the state peni confined in that institution no lehan five times for various offenses

That Garrison was guilty of the rime charged, District Attorne Brown contends there never was any doubt. Had there been, the districattorney says he would have used hi influence in having his sentence com muted to life imprisonment.

Taylor Is Jubilant.

The sentence of John W. Taylor illeged murderer of A. 31. Perry day commuted to life imprisonmen weaking of the four men executed the trial of Taylor indicated that he today. In fact, he appeared us a had been hounded by Perry, who was child, and at times it was thought recognized as the "bully" of that see-be would collapse into a simple faint. Itom of the state. In fact, it mater Garrison was prosecuted by District latined that Perry and threatened to Attorney George M. Brown, of Ross-burg, and was twice convicted of the afraid or his life. In order to procrime of murdering Roy Perkins. Following the first trial his case was ver, and upon being attacked by Per appealed to the supreme court, and ry pulled the weapon and fired. Perreversed on the grounds that he made ed, tried and convicted of murder is

#### A RARE DISTINCTION.

Harry S. Hodley, wife ◆ local Southern Pacific ◆ • engineer, who resides at 734 • · South Stephens street, has the · son on the 12th day of the 12th • month of the 12th year of the • • century. The child was born • hortly after three o'clock yes-◆ terday afternoon, and peculiar. ◆ ly, on the birthday of its fath- o The child is also said to . · weigh in the neighborhood of 4 • 12 pounds. Suffice to say that • · the proul father is busy today · treating his friends to cigars o and other lexuries

enced to be hanged, and was only desperate fight on the part of his at-

Garrison's Full Statement.

SALEs, Or., Dec. 13.-In a state ment prepared yesterday and hands; to the wardsh of the penitentiary just before the noose was placed about his neck, Frank Garrison, murderer of Roy Perkins, of Coos coun y, declared that he was innecent of he crime for which he was convictd, but that he was condemned die to project the grafters and real riminals.

The statement prepared by Garrison and furnished to the press o

"To the citizens the state of Ore-

being executed for a crime which I never committed-murder in the first degree. I am just another vie tim of circumstantial cylinence, boistered up by perjured testimony on the part of the state's witnesses.

Even though I dle tomorrow Friday, December 13, 1 am innocent wish to state that I hold no illfeeling against any one of the jur that tried the case. But I believe it putting the blame where it belongs and in this I point to District Attor ney Brown and his deputy, both of whom knowingly used perjured evidence to secure my conviction. On one occasion I called my attorney C. H. Schibrede's attention to th perjured evidence of Mrs. Carl Smeadberg, which was different a the two trials. My statement in this regard can be verified by scanning the court records. Attorney Schibrede told me to shut up. my life must be taken for I know too much. Certain officers must be protected, one of whom belongs to the Coos county ring of grafters who tion to prey upon innocent girls, is he who also protects the white slavers, and the prostitutes. It is this same fellow who protects the degenerates who live off the carn-ings of prostitutes. I say that this inn also protects the Illicit sale of liquor in houses of prostitution, and protects the gambler.

When protection is paul for this tellow even protects the marderer. and even stoops to state his or hands with blood in order to protect some of his gang from prose-cution. My life must be taken to protect Marasht Carter, of Marabthe murder of W. L. Joyner and Jacob Evans, of South Slough.

"My execution tomorrow will be another murder to protect their vice and graft. Oh, how I would like to be called to prove my assertions beore a court of justice-a court, sean, which stands for justice and tot for the protection of a gang of grafters and marderers, and where he court is not one of such a gans

s is the court in Cons county "I love the law of our country, and I respect It as lone as it is used for the protection of life and property for watch it is engaced. But I detest some of the practices to which it is put. Our thankam, one day stave the word "Law" a definis better definition he would like t have them do so. Here is the wat to defined the word "law" s a set of rules enacted and put or our statute books for the protection

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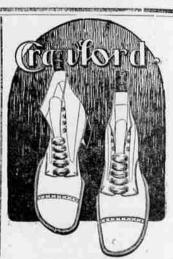
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