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## NEW YORK STIRRED BY NEW ARREST

### STATEMENT OF HARRY VALLON CAUSES OTHER PRISONERS TO WEAKEN

## WIFE OF MURDERED MAN IS HEARD

### Dictagraphs To Be Used In Taking Testimony And Detective Burns Will Be Hired To Probe Case

NEW YORK, July 23.—Signs of weakness on the part of the defense of the men accused of complicity in the assassination of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler, became apparent this afternoon after Harry Vallon, who had surrendered during the night and been held without bail on a charge of complicity in the Rosenthal murder, had made a statement to the police and the District Attorney.

Evidently Vallon's statement was of great importance, for it stirred the police and the District Attorney's force to immediate action. Vallon admitted that he was in the vicinity of the Metropole Hotel at the time of the murder; that he had previously been a passenger in the touring car which conveyed the assassinating party to the scene of the crime, and that he was conversant with phases of the plot which the police had previously been unable to reach.

The assertions of Vallon were widely at variance with statements that have been made by "Jack Rose," whose real name is Jacob Rosenweiss, the man who, by his own admissions, hired the murderer car from Shapiro and Libby and rode in it from Fourteenth street to Harlem and back to Forty-second street and Sixth avenue.

The variations in the two statements were so important that the District Attorney and Deputy Police Commissioner Dougherty determined to bring the two prisoners together face to face and question them on their respective stories.

James M. Sullivan, counsel for Rose was notified of the plan of the District Attorney. Mr. Sullivan hurried to Mr. Whitman's office and held an excited conference with the District Attorney and Inspector Hughes.

Vallon's statement was shown to him and it appeared to set him back. He promptly announced that he would not allow his client to face Vallon and undergo an examination.

Rose, in his statement to the police, has said that Vallon was not in the gray assassination car in which the murderers escaped. Vallon admitted today that he was a passenger in that car during the time when Rose was running around town gathering up men who assembled in the vicinity of the Metropole when Rosenthal was killed.

In the course of a long examination before the grand jury today under the direction of District Attorney Whitman and Assistant Moss, Mrs. Herman Rosenthal, widow of the murdered gambler, gave in detail all the knowledge in her possession concerning the charge of Rosenthal that certain police officers were sharhgin in the profits of the tenderloin gambling houses.

## 2 KILLED, 5 HURT AS AUTO HITS TREE

PORTLAND, July 23.—Bertrand E. Fiske, an optician with offices in the Macleay building and residing at 568 Spring street, and Miss Elizabeth Toobing, of San Francisco, who is visiting the family of John F. D. Martin, Jr., at 861 Frances avenue, were instantly killed at 10 o'clock tonight when the touring car owned and driven by Mr. Fiske left the Base Line road while rounding a curve on the north side of Mount Tabor at a rate of probably 40 miles an hour.

Five other persons were in the car with them, but none of them was seriously hurt. Among them, it is reported were P. F. Munsell, brother of Mrs. Fiske and John F. D. Martin, an optician employed by A. C. Feldenhelmer.

## THOMAS WALKER BECOMES BENEDICT

### MISS ELSIE DOW BECOMES BRIDE OF OREGON CITY YOUNG MAN

## ROMANCE STARTS IN UNIVERSITY

### Mrs. Walker Graduate Of University Of Oregon And University Of Washington—Couple To Live Here

The marriage of Miss Elsie Dow, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dow, of Portland, and Earl Thomas Walker, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Walker, prominent residents of Oregon City, was solemnized Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock at the parsonage of the First Congregational church in Portland. Rev. Luther Drott, pastor, officiating. The marriage was attended by only immediate relatives of the contracting parties, and was a very quiet one. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Walker came to Oregon City, and were tendered a wedding luncheon at the home of the bridegroom's parents. The young couple have gone to housekeeping in Oregon City.

The bride is an accomplished young woman. She was graduated from the University of Washington, after which she attended the University of Oregon, graduating from that institution two years ago with high honors.

The bridegroom attended the University of Oregon for three years, specializing in mining and civil engineering and electrical engineering. He would have graduated from the University of Oregon had he resumed his studies the coming year. He was born in Oregon City, where he has resided all of his life except when attending college. He was graduated from the Oregon City High School before entering the University of Oregon. He has many friends in Oregon City. He is the grandson of Mrs. Sophia Charman, one of the well known Oregon pioneers, and of the late Major Thomas Charman. It was at the University of Oregon where Mr. Walker met and won his bride.

## HOUSE COMMITTEE SCORES STEEL TRUST

### WASHINGTON, July 23, (Special.)

Characterizing the present labor system in the mills of the United States as "a system of inhuman and iniquitous," the Democratic majority of the house steel trust investigating committee, headed by Chairman Stanley which inquired into the operations of the steel trust, completed its report today and has prepared three bills which recommend radical revision of the Sherman anti-trust law. Congressman Gardner announced that one and possibly two Republican minority reports would be presented.

Congressman Littleton of New York presented an individual report, in which he would oppose the plan to impose the "burden of proof" upon corporations sued as monopolies and requiring them to show that their combination is not an unreasonable one in restraint of trade.

## OAKLAND GIRL NOT STOLEN; SHE ELOPED

### ASTORIA, Or., July 23.—Ethel Metcalf, who disappeared from Oakland, Or., June 26, in company with a man by the name of George Gray, was located last night by Police Officer Bryant in a lodging house near the Hammond mill. They had been living as man and wife under the name of St. Clair for nearly a month.

According to a statement made by Miss Metcalf to local officers, her people knew of her leaving Oakland with Gray. She says they left on a freight train for Roseburg, intending to go to Los Angeles, where they intended to be married. Owing to a landslide the train was delayed and they hired a horse and buggy and went to Roseburg, and thence by train to Portland. After staying in Portland a couple of days they were dissuaded from securing a license because of the publicity given the case, and came on to Astoria, intending to remain until the thing blew over and then go to California by steamer. She had known the man with whom she eloped only about two days.

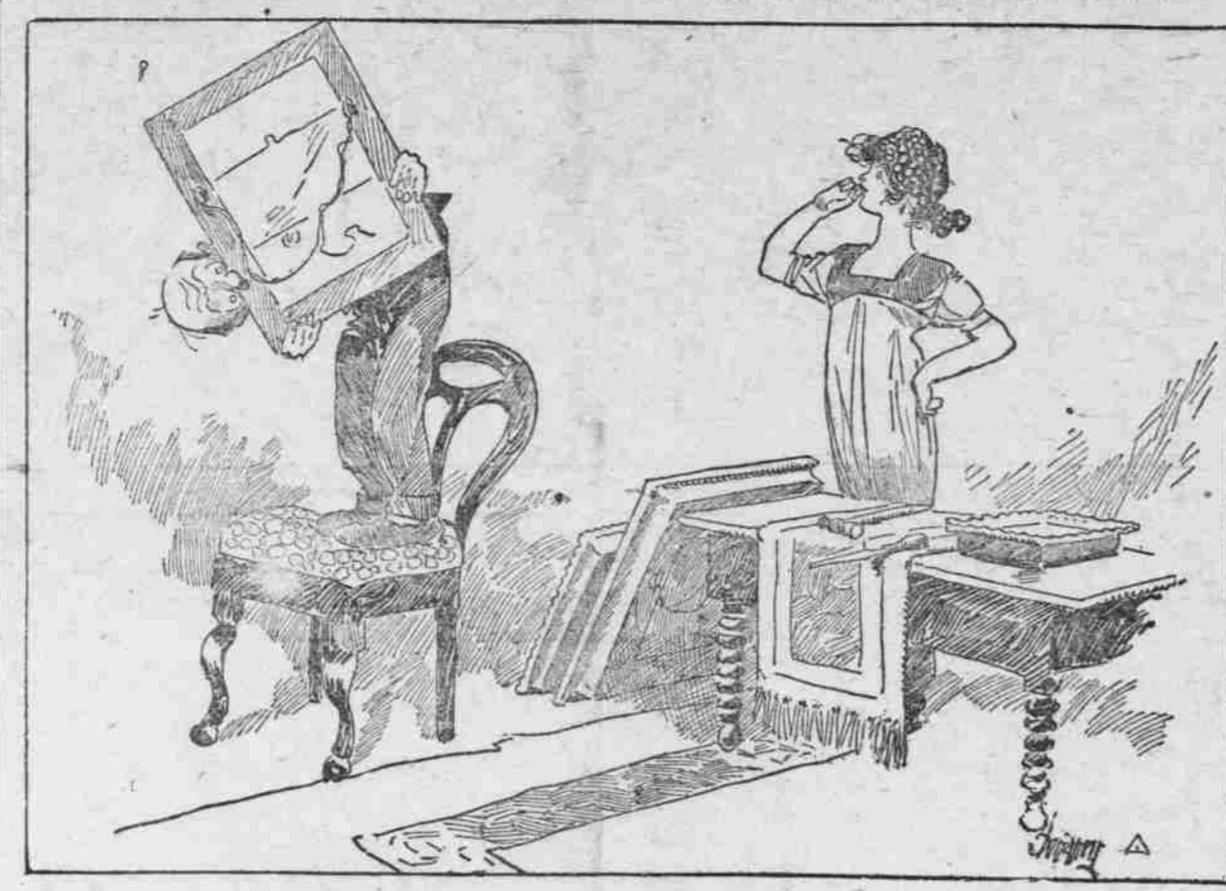
She is rather a pretty girl and believes the man intended to treat her fairly and marry her. She claims to be over 18, and blames the woman for whom she was working, who, she states, had been in the habit of arranging for girls in her employ to visit the rooms of travelling men and others in the house. However, she claims she refused all such requests.

Miss Metcalf's parents reside at Oakland, Or., and a reward of \$150 has been offered for the capture of the runaway. The sheriff at Roseburg has been notified and will leave at once for Astoria to take them back.

### CANAL BILL ARGUED

WASHINGTON, July 23.—The Panama Canal administration bill held the floor of the Senate long enough today for Senator Percy, of Mississippi, to make a speech against remission of tolls to American shipping. The measure then gave way to the sundry civil appropriation bill, which has pushed it aside for several days.

"GREAT SCOTT, CORELLA, WHICH NAIL DO YOU WANT ME TO HANG IT ON?"



## MRS. FIELDS' FATHER DIES IN NEW YORK

A telegram was received by Mrs. E. T. Fields Tuesday afternoon stating that her father, I. Sinsheimer, of New York, had died, after an illness of several months. Mr. Sinsheimer died in a hospital, where he had been taken but a few days before his death. He was seventy-five years of age and is survived by Mrs. E. T. Fields and three sons, Adolph, Alexander and Ben Sinsheimer, of Portland; two grandchildren, Miss Clara Fields, of Oregon City and Frantz Sinsheimer, of Portland.

Mr. Sinsheimer was formerly a well known merchant of Portland, being in business in that city for many years before going to New York. He made his home in Oregon City for about a year with his daughter, Mrs. Fields, and has visited in this city on many occasions, where he made many friends. Arrangements for the funeral have not been made.

## PETITION AGAINST SECESSION FILED

O. E. Freytag, manager of the Promotion Department of the Commercial Club, Monday filed in Salem the petition signed by several hundred voters in the county opposing a division of the county. The petition recites that residents of Estacada are advocating a division of the county so as to form a new one in the Eastern section to be known as Cascade County. This plan is opposed on the ground that it would not only be detrimental to the county as a whole but would be detrimental to the portion that desires to secede. Mr. Freytag reached Salem just in time to file the petition.

## MRS. DONEGAN, OF CANBY, IS DEAD

Mrs. Roy Donegan, who died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Zeek, July 14, was buried July 15 in the Zion cemetery at Canby. Mrs. Donegan was twenty years of age. She was born in Canby and was married to Roy Donegan, the Rev. G. Love officiating, September 26, 1909. One child, a son, was born to the union. Mrs. Donegan was the youngest of nine children, all of whom survive her. She was an accomplished musician, possessed a fine voice, and was one of the most popular young women of Canby. She is survived by the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. Laurie Luelling, Mrs. May Robinson, Mrs. Minnie Phelps, John Zeek, Jr., C. E. Zeek, George Zeek, Elmer Zeek and Arthur Zeek. The following friends of Mrs. Donegan were the pallbearers: Mrs. Laura Kelland, Mrs. Mattie Engel, Mrs. Maud Inglis, Mrs. Lila Richter, Miss Dora Lucas and Miss E. Zoe Inglis.

## HANFORD PROBE IS TO BE CONTINUED

SEATTLE, Wash., July 23.—That Attorney General Wickersham should take up the Hanford investigation where it was dropped by the congressional committee, is the opinion of many Seattle attorneys today.

Attorney John H. Perry who worked with the congressional committee here, declares that men involved with Hanford should not be allowed to escape under the cover of Hanford's resignation.

"The resignation of Hanford," said Perry, "is merely a tactical move so far as he is concerned, but it is most certainly the duty of the department of justice to follow up the work of the committee with criminal prosecutions if it is justified by the facts which are now obtainable."

Hanford at first issued a statement saying "ill health" was the cause of his resignation. In later statements, however, nothing was said about this, but various other reasons were assigned. He declared that he was satisfied with the outcome of the investigation, proud of his record on the bench and of the enemies he had made.

Chairman J. M. Graham, of Illinois and Representative W. L. McCoy, of New Jersey, left at 11 o'clock this morning for Tacoma where they will spend the day. They will leave Tacoma tonight for the east. Representative E. W. Higgins, of Connecticut, left on the Canadian Pacific for the east, yesterday.

That Judge Hanford was induced to tender his resignation to shut off congressional inquiry that tended to involve seriously some of the most intimate supporters is the only tenable explanation credited here today for his action.

Just at the time when Hanford and his defenders were expecting the probe to be closed the committee made its most unexpected move. This move clearly hit upon a trail which had hitherto been covered. There was no mistaking the surprise it caused to the Hanford defense and there was no denial of the report that the probe in that direction would have involved others than Hanford.

## PARCELS POST IS REVISED IN BILL

WASHINGTON, July 23.—The post-office appropriation bills, shorn of the good roads provision proposed by the House and embracing a revised parcels post system, with charges based on zones of distance, was reported to the Senate today by the postoffice committee. The total appropriations proposed which carried approximately \$260,000,000. One of the principal features is the pay of railroads for transporting mails, the Senate committee adding more than \$2,500,000.

In striking out the Shackleford good roads feature, which provided for Federal improvement of highways, the committee recommends an investigation by a special Congressional committee and provides for no highway improvements until this commission has reported.

The Barnhardt amendment in the house bill for the regular publication of the names of stockholders of newspapers and periodicals is changed to provide for publication once a year. The bill makes some parcels post apply only to fourth-class matter.

## MAYOR MARRIES COUPLE

Mayor Dimick officiated Tuesday at the wedding of Mary E. Kehres and Herman Ridenbusch. A license to marry also was issued to Eliza M. Evans and August Kempen.

## Vaudeville at the STAR

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## SOUTHERN PACIFIC CONVINCES CLUB

### RAILWAY OFFICIAL SAYS OREGON CITY IS TO BE FAVORED

## PROTEST CHANGES TO RATIFICATION

### Superintendent Campbell Declares Company Will Spend Millions Of Dollars In County

General Superintendent Campbell, of the Southern Pacific Railroad, at a meeting of the Commercial Club, Tuesday evening, declared that the railroad was doing everything in its power to advance the interests of Oregon City. He said that the rumor the company intended routing its fast trains over the proposed west side line was unfounded, at least for the present. The meeting was held to protest against rumored change which it was declared, would be injurious to the city.

Mr. Campbell said the company intended to build an electric road from Oswego to Barlow to connect with the Salem line. He said that for the present the line would be double tracked, but the rights of way had been asked for four tracks.

"The new electric line will not in any way affect the O. W. P. system at present," said the speaker. "We are trying to rebuild Oregon City. Give us time. We have more insight for Oregon City than you anticipate. The Southern Pacific has set aside \$8,000,000 for an electric system a large part of which will be expended on the line between Oregon City and Canby. Before Christmas an electric system will be operated out of Portland, and in one year the line will be in operation to Oregon City."

H. L. Moody, Manager of the Moody Land Company which recently acquired the interest of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company in property on the West Side, declared that the proposed improvement of the Southern Pacific would be the greatest boon Oregon City had ever had. He said his company would be the means of establishing great industries and eventually Portland residents would have their home on the west bank of the river at Oregon City.

A motion that the meeting be changed from one of protest regarding the proposed action of the Southern Pacific to a ratification was carried. Votes of thanks were extended Campbell and Moody.

O. D. Eby explained that a petition opposing the division of the county had been filed in Salem. He declared that the petition was signed by 217 persons living in the section which desired to secede. The question of title for the locks on the west side was argued, but no definite decision was reached.

## MAN AND WOMAN ARE SEEKING DIVORCES

Alleging that his wife left him November 15, 1911, J. E. McMurren Tuesday filed suit for divorce against Myrtle Zeola McMurren. They were married December 25, 1906. The plaintiff alleges that his wife remained away from home for several months in 1911, before she finally deserted him. The plaintiff is represented by Dimick & Dimick. Mabel Curry, through Brownell & Stone, seeks a divorce from Arthur E. Curry. They were married July 3, 1907. The plaintiff alleges that she was deserted by her husband September 16, 1910. She asks the custody of their three children. Judge Campbell granted a decree of divorce in the suit of Theresa Harr against Emil Harr. The plaintiff was awarded the custody of their child.

## NEIGHBOR THREATENED HIM, SAYS WITNESS

Justice of the Peace Samson Tuesday took under advisement the case of G. W. Caves, who is accused of threatening to kill Anto Striker. A decision will be rendered at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Caves and Striker are neighbors in Clackamas Heights and according to the latter the defendant several days ago threatened to kill him. Striker testified at the hearing that he had heard the defendant and his wife talking of the plot. According to the witness Caves was planning to shoot through the house in the hope of striking his enemy. This Caves denied, and he asserted that he did not even own a gun or a pistol.

## FATHER TELLS COURT YOUNG MAN IS INSANE

David W. Barton, of Eagle Creek, will be taken in charge today for a hearing as to his sanity. The young man's father reported to the county court Tuesday that his son was insane. He said his son's mind had been unbalanced for two years and that in the last week he had become violent. Sheriff Mass will have him brought to the county court today.

Boost your city by boosting your daily paper. The Enterprise should be in every home.

## SCHUEBEL NOW SUES FOR \$20,000

### CANDIDATE AVERS REPUBLICATION OF ADVERTISEMENT WAS UNNECESSARY

## SUPPLEMENTAL COMPLAINT FILED

### Newspaper Simply Printed Copies Of Plaintiff's Own Court Papers Which Are Public Documents

Chris Schuebel, who is suing the Morning Enterprise and Weekly Enterprise for alleged libel for publishing an advertisement of Gustav Schoerr, President of the Deutsche Verein in Clackamas County, and Vice-President of the German Societies in Oregon, Tuesday filed the following supplemental complaint:

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Clackamas.

C. Schuebel, plaintiff, vs. Oregon City Enterprise, Defendant.

The plaintiff for his supplemental complaint herein served under and pursuant to an order of said Court made and dated July 20, 1912 to which reference is hereby made, alleges:

The plaintiff re-iterates and avers the truth of each and every allegation contained in his amended complaint on file herein and hereby adopts and makes the said several allegations of said amended complaint part and parcel of this his supplemental complaint.

Plaintiff furthermore alleges that since the filing of the original complaint in this action the defendant most wantonly and maliciously and with intent to injure the good name and fame of the plaintiff as an attorney-at-law and as a candidate for the election to the legislature of this state and to humiliate and disgrace the plaintiff, did on the 9th day of July, 1912, and on the 16th day of July, 1912, and on the 21st day of July, 1912, in its said Daily Morning Enterprise and on the 12th day of July, 1912, and on the 19th day of July, 1912, in the Weekly Edition of the Oregon City Enterprise, print, republish, recirculate and deliver to and amongst its many subscribers and the general reading public of the county and state aforesaid the libelous matter complained of, to-wit:

"Neither can I understand how a person (meaning plaintiff) can afford to spend hundreds of dollars for the

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## The GRAND TODAY

### MAKING SILK HATS (Industrial)

### PERCY'S FIRST CAMERA (Comedy)

### THROUGH THE SASKATCHEWAN (Scenic)

### A REDSKIN'S REWARD (Indian Drama)

### THE VISION BEAUTIFUL (Drama)

## The Thayten Duo

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