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IMPERIAL COUNCIL INVITED TO MEET IN PORTLAND.

Annual Sessions in East Attended by 3000 or 4000 Representatives -Pacific Coast Members.

Al Kader Temple of the Mystic Shrine imperial council, which will be held at where the wages were better. Including Kansas City. June 11, 12, 13 and 14, and the wages of the watchman dispensed instructed them to use their influence to with, all of the changes in wages will rehave the imperial council of 1995 meet in Portland, at the time of the Lewis and Clark Centennial. The representatives elected are Nobles J. W. Cook, Ben M. Lombard and Charles V. Cooper.

The instructions given to the representa-tives last night will be repeated annually until the request of Portland is finally disposed of. The local Shriners are en thusiastic over the proposal, and if they fall, the fault will not be theirs.

The order of A. A. O. N. M. S., which is familiarly known as the Mystic Shrine, is one of the most powerful and influential organizations in the United States. mbers are among the most eminent the country. Its imperial councils in the East usually are attended by 3000 or 4000 Shriners. There are about 1500 Shriners in Oregon, Washington, Idaho If the imperial council comes here in 1905, all the Pacific Shriners will cross the "desert" sands Portland, and there will be more, too.

TINY HANSON STILL AT LARGE

Deputy Sheriff Makes a Search of the East Side Without Success.

Search was made yesterday for Tiny Hanson by the Deputy Sheriff from whom she escaped in the Osborn Hotel, on confidence in the honesty of white gam-orrand avenue. Tuesday afternoon. He biers. He preferred to stake his money made inquiry at the buildings on Union made inquiry at the buildings on Union in a Chinese gamoning nouse, where ware avenue, but obtained no information that men are not admitted, and said that every body is permitted to play at the white ight lead to the woman's recapture, ny was seen descending the fire escape the rear of the Osborn Hotel by Fred sidermark, from the back window of Neldermark, the control of the chinese gamblers are to have hidden under the steps in the rear in the Muchile bakers, on East Pine street, until the search for her ended, when she went to some building on Union now. If the white gamblers can only avenue. Tuesday night a window was secure the patronage of the Chinese who gamble, the Chinese gamblers will have broken in the front of the meat market at the corner of East Pine street and Union avenue, and 31 stolen. It is supposed that the fugitive took this method of raising a little cash. The Deputy Sheriff from whom she escaped is greatly chagrined. He says he has handled prisoners for years, but this is the first one that has escaped. He was several times within 10 feet of the steps under which Tiny is supposed to have secreted herself.

WAGES EQUALIZED.

Water Committee Makes a Saving for the City.

The operating committee of the City Water Works has been receiving com-plaints of late from a few of the em-ployes, who thought they had just cause for complaint. The committee therefore laid the matter before the Water Complittee at its last meeting, recommending hat some changes be made in the schedule "I wages and that they be equalized. The committee succeeded in making changes which satisfied every one and saved the city some money at the same time.

The two gate-tenders at the reservoirs, who have stood the night watch from 6 P. M. to 6 A. M. for years, at less wages than the gate-tenders who stand the day tioned that the day men sho exchange watches with them every two weeks. The request seemed reasonable, and was granted. As the duties of these four gate-tenders will now be the same, it was voted that their wages be equalized and made \$65 per month, except, in the case of one of them, who will be paid but \$55 because he is furnished with a dwelling free of charge. The two watchmen at the head works will hereafter be rated as gate-tenders and paid \$55 per month each. They occupy a dwelling free of rent,

The pay of Mr. Maupin, the pipe line

inspector, was increased from \$85 to \$100 per month.

One of the watchmen at the Palatine pump station was transferred to the powerhouse at the City Park, to take the place sult in a saving of \$35 per month to the

FAN TAN GAMES SUPPRESSED Graft Is the Too Strong for John

Chanaman's Purse.

Lam Duck, an old Chinese rounder, who has been away from town for some time, returnd a day or two ago with a pocketful of coin, and his mind made up to enjoy the pleasures of dissipation for a season. He was met by an old acquaintance yesterday on Second street, to whom he propounded the abstruse question: "Whassa matter? No fan ton games running? No Chinese gambling house open: no more?"

"I don't savey," said the acquaintance, "but I suppose the Chinese refuse to pay the amount charged for running gambling

"Whassa matter? All white gambling games running. 'Spose they pay!"
"I rather think they do, but have no idea who they pay, nor how much."

Mr. Duck appeared much put out. He said there is a fan tan game running on Burnside street, between Second and Third, but it is owned by a white man who has Chinese dealers employed. He did not like the combination, having no confidence in the honesty of white gam-blers. He preferred to stake his money body is permitted to play at the white man's fan tan game mentioned. Inquiry elicited the information that there are no Chinese gambling houses open. The

SOLD ADULTERATED JELLY.

Food Commissioner Bailey Com-

plains Against Two Grocers. Food Commissioner Balley caused the arrest yesterday of Stehken & Julien, grocers, at \$14 Burnside street, for viogrocers, at 314 Burnside street, for vio-lating the pure food law, prohibiting the sale of adulterated fruit jellies. The sale of adulterated fruit jellles. The case will come up in the Municipal Court. A bucker marked "Strawberry Jelly" was bought at the grocery and sent to the State Agricultural College for analysis. The jelly was labeled, "30 per cent fruit and 50 per cent glucose," but the college chemist decided it to be "sugar 1 per cent, glucose 37 per, cent, starch paste 38 per cent, with preservatives containing sulphuric acid."

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FATAL ENDING OF THE TUXEDO-

POMEROY CONTEST.

While the Owner Was Being Con gratulated, the News Came of the Death of His Horse.

An unexpected and rather pathetic incident was the ending of the race at Irvington track yesterday between Tuxedo and Pomeroy. Tuxedo ran a gallant race winning out by a long lead over his rival. While the crowd was discussing the race and showering congratulations on the owner, E. M. O'Brien, the news came from the paddock that the horse was seriously ill. Drs. McLean and Kramer, who had witnessed the race, were called to the stable, but found that the horse was beyond relief, having burst a blood vessel. In less than six minutes after running the race, the gallant horse was

dead. The race had been arranged between Tuxedo, owned by E. M. O'Brien, a wellknown turfman, and Pomeroy, owned by C. Hunt Lewis, and was the outcome of rivalry engendered by the result of the meet of the Pertland Hunt Club Saturday. The two horses had been pitted against each other in the gentlemen's five-eighths dash, and also in the stable boys' race of half a mile. Pomeroy won both events handly, finishing about a length shead of Tuxedo each time. The owners were not satisfied with the con-test, and decided to run a friendly race for sport, and decide the merits of the two horses, with both horses under professional jockeys, and the distance in-creased to seven-eighths of a mile. A crowd of followers of the turf gathered for the race at Irvington race track, the match having aroused considerable interest, and each horse having its par-

tisans. Jimmy Moran was on Tuxedo and Mike Shults was the pilot of Pomeroy's destinles. The race was one of the best ever seen in Portland. Both horses broke from the fall of the flag as if they had been a team controlled by one rider. It was Tuxedo's race from the start. By the quarter he was in the lead two lengths, which he increased to five at

the half. "Now watch Pomeroy come up," the admirers of the horse shouted. Tuxedo was expected to weaken, and Mike Shultz was making desperate efforts to bring his making desperate efforts to bring his horse's head up to the front. Contrary to expectations, Tuxedo increased his lead to six lengths at the turn into the home stretch. From there on it was simply a gallop for him, and he won easily by ten lengths, although forced into a lively finish by Jockey Moran. The quarter was run in 24½ seconds, the half in 50½ seconds, and the seven-eighths in 1:33%. The majority of the spectators had left. seconds, and the seven-eighths in 1:33%. The majority of the spectators had leftthe track and Jockey Moran had pulled
the horse up easily and ridden him to
the stable, when the news came that the
horse was not recovering from the excitement of the race, and seemed to be
collapsing. In a minute after that he
was dead.

Tuxedo was a well-known horse on all
the Eastern tracks. He was 10 years old,
and had won his share of victories. Most

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WON THE RACE AND DIED of his best work had been done on the hurdles. He had a record of 2:06 in a mile and a quarter made in St. Louis. He was valued at \$1000.

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