

HOW TO WIN AT "21"

Gambler Burley Gives Jury a Few Points.

MARKED CARDS DO THE TRICK

Loss at Portland Gambling Joint Sues to Recover, and Some Highly Interesting Testimony is Elicited.

Marked cards an illustration showing how difficult it was for any one to expect to win at a "21" game, at the alleged gambling-joint of the Demartini Company, First and Madison streets, were in evidence yesterday in a jury trial before Justice of the Peace Kraemer...

The jurors were: W. H. Courteney, H. Harris, F. H. Harrington and A. L. Pike. Two other jurors were to have served, but they were out of the city...

In taking the witness-stand, Woolley testified that early in December, before he met the Demartini crowd, he and a partner had a stable they conducted at Eugene, for \$200...

"We will have the Demartini crowd swearing next that the whole they do at their place is to attend to the bar trade," commented one of Woolley's lawyers, sarcastically.

The surprise of the hearing came when F. Burley took the stand, and showed how difficult it was for any one, not an expert, to win any money playing "21" at Demartini's. "There is such a thing as marked cards," went on the witness, significantly.

In defense, the Demartini people asserted that games were not running at their place on the dates mentioned in the complaint, and that, if Woolley had money to spend and lost it, he lost it at some other place than Demartini's.

DEATH OF MRS. BLACKBURN

Wife of Pastor of First Baptist Church Expires. After a lingering illness, which extended over several months, Margaret E. Blackburn, wife of Rev. Alexander Blackburn, pastor of the First Baptist Church...

PORTLANDERS ON LONG TOUR

Dr. A. C. Froom and Wife in New Orleans—They Will Visit Mexico. The last reports from Dr. A. C. Froom, of the New York Dental Parlor, of this city, in his capacity of Oregonian, is information that Dr. Froom and wife, together with Mrs. McFarland, were stopping at the New St. Charles Hotel, New Orleans...

OREGON WINS BIG MEDAL

Apple Exhibit at Buffalo Gets American Pomological Society Prize. The silver medal awarded the display of Oregon fruits at the Buffalo Exposition by the American Pomological Society...

haps, the greatest honor bestowed on Oregon products at the Buffalo Exposition, or any other exhibition.

OLD, WORTHY & KING

Good News for Men

All sizes now ready in spring and summer weights of our well-known STUTTGARTER SANITARY WOOL UNDERWEAR. Size 34 garments \$1.85 each, with 15c rise on each size larger.

Final Clean-up of Winter Hats

We prefer the money to the goods, so offer TODAY AND TOMORROW FELT STREET HATS, gray, navy and castor, worth to 25c ea. 95c, good for present or seaside wear, 25c ea.

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Today's Shoe Sale



Today's shoe bargains for the 654th Friday Surprise Sale are worthy of more than the usual attention—Here's a shoe sale that's a money saver, and if you want to save at least one-third the regular price here's your chance—600 pairs of \$3 shoes for \$1.98.

All lace styles of fine quality kid or patent leather, light or heavy extension soles, kid or patent tip, all sizes and widths, every pair regular \$3 value; your choice for today only at the surprisingly low price of \$1.98 PAIR

Cloak Dept.

New arrivals in Spring Walking Suits and Jackets.

New Costumes and Evening Wraps.

Special values for today.

Black Sateen Petticoats, flounce, double row of pleating or pleating and rucha, \$1.75 value \$1.39 at

Eiderdown Dressing Sacques, crocheted edge with frogs, red, pink, blue and gray, big value 82c

Short Outing Flannel Skirts, pink or blue stripes, 29c at

Largest line of Golf Vests in town—Plain or figured—All the best colors—2d floor.

Waist Flannels

75c Quality 47c

There's splendid picking of waist flannel bargains here—Hundreds were liberal buyers yesterday, and more will come today because good news like this travels fast, and the flannels speak better than type.

Tucked Waist Flannels in stripes, 27-in., light blue, green, navy, red, old rose, pink, cadet and other good colors, large variety to select from, 75c value 47c

Plain Pebble Flannel Waistings with border, 27-inch, all the leading shades, including cream, the 75-cent quality, per yard 47c

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SUPPLIES FOR PRIMARY

COUNTY CLERK SWETLAND SUBMITS LIST TO COUNTY COURT.

Bids Are to be Called For—Polling Places in Precincts Will be Selected at Once.

County Clerk Swetland yesterday submitted to Judge Cate a list of supplies for the primary election required to be furnished to the judges and clerks, as follows:

Official ballots, Republican, 24,000.

Sample ballots, Democratic, 10,000.

Sample ballots, Republican, 21,000.

Sample ballots, Democratic, 10,000.

Envelopes for enclosing poll books, tally sheets, etc., 570.

Ink, 15 dozen bottles.

Needles for stringing ballots, 20 dozen.

Twine for stringing ballots, 2 dozen balls.

Buttons, 35 dozen, in packages of one dozen.

Official seals for ballot boxes, 500.

Notices of election, 750.

Mr. Swetland said yesterday: "I have sent to the County Court, in accordance with the opinion of the District Attorney, a list of supplies which the primary law requires me to furnish judges and clerks of election. As the time is necessarily short, I have no doubt the court will call for bids at once. In the general election the state furnishes all needed supplies, with the exception of ballots, envelopes and a few incidentals. Under the new law the county bears the expense of the city primary. There will be 87 polling-places in the city, to be selected by the County Court. The law requires the Clerk to notify the judges and clerks appointed by the County Court. I am required to give 10 days' notice by publication of the date fixed by me as primary day, and the notice includes the names of judges and clerks, the places where the polls will be located, and the hours the polling-places will be open.

The primary election in the precincts in Multnomah County outside of the city limits is arranged by the central committees of the political parties, and the expense of the outside elections are settled by the central committees.

Judge Cate says that a man will be sent out to select polling-places at once, as it will take some time to cover the whole city. Two years ago this duty was performed by H. P. Emery, the Court-house carpenter, and he also put up the election booths. Booths must be provided for the primary election, and the law provides that there shall be one booth for every 40 electors.

Decisions Today.

Judge Frazer will announce decisions this morning in the following cases:

Witmore vs. Witmore; demurrer to separate answer.

Frost vs. Pacific States Building & Loan Association; demurrer to separate answer.

Holmes vs. Ames Mercantile Agency; demurrer to complaint.

Blumauer vs. Highest; demurrer to plea in abatement.

Judge Sears will announce his decision in the case of R. H. Thompson vs. W. W. Epey, et al.; motion to consolidate cases.

Mrs. Clara E. Young Gets Divorce.

Clara E. Young was granted a divorce from A. G. Young by Judge Sears yesterday, and was granted the legal custody of a minor child, the issue of the union. The parties were married in Portland in May, 1898. Mrs. Young testified that her husband deserted her in November, 1901. Notice of the suit was sent to Young at San Francisco, but he paid no attention to it. He is a locomotive engineer.

Petition in Bankruptcy.

Joshua Weston, of Rainier, yesterday filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States Court. He is a dealer in cordwood and telegraph poles, which appears to be an unremunerative business, as he has liabilities amounting to \$450.95, and only \$50 of assets.

Chas. Houghton Goes Free.

District Attorney Chamberlain yesterday returned not a true bill in the case of "Chas." Houghton, who was charged with larceny of a rifle valued at \$4 in a gun store at 135 Sixth street, January 14.

Court Notes.

Mary Ann Long has filed suit against John C. Long for a divorce.

A. Goodnoth yesterday filed an attachment suit against Seth D. Willis and Mary Willis, to recover \$125 on a note executed in 1896.

The inventory of the estate of Catherine Burke, deceased, was filed yesterday by the appraisers, E. E. Hill, John Kelly and John J. Jennings. The property is valued at \$75.47.

In the suit of Conrad Hindlaub against William Melten, Max Rossberg, August Frank, et al., a decree was rendered by Judge Frazer yesterday foreclosing a mortgage on property in Tremont.

The East Side Lumber Company has filed a mechanic's lien suit against Hampden Stone Manufacturing Company, W. K. Smith, Paquet & Bennett, R. O. Camp and T. J. Whittier, to recover \$81 for lumber furnished for a building erected on lot L block 8, east Portland.

The final account of John R. Shaver, James W. Shaver and Albert S. Helzert, executors of the will of George W. Shaver, deceased, was filed in the County Court yesterday, showing \$12,385 receipts and \$81 disbursements. There is real estate valued at \$23,350, and stock in the Shaver Transportation Company valued at \$500.

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