

SLIPS BY POLICE

Crank Rushes to Roosevelt at Funeral.

LETTER IS PRESENTED HIM

Three Hundred Officers on Guard at Time.

MAN ARRESTED AS INSANE

He Turns Out to Be a Former Californian—Police Commissioner Will Put Captains on Trial for Their Negligence.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—An apparently harmless crank today eluded several hundred policemen and a number of special officers and gained the presence of President Roosevelt, to whom he handed a letter telling of a wonderful cancer cure he had discovered. The interview came as the President was leaving the Church of the Holy Communion, where he went to attend funeral services held for his uncle, James K. Grace. The crank, who gave the name of A. H. Deming, was promptly arrested and later sent to Bellevue Hospital for examination as to his sanity.

Mrs. Roosevelt was very much agitated by the incident, but the President was not at all alarmed.

The President arrived in the city this morning, accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt, Dr. J. B. Stokes, his personal physician, and Captain Cowles, of the Navy. Commissioner Greene had a force of police meet the President and a mounted detail escorted his carriage from the Twenty-third-street ferry to the home of his sister, Mrs. Douglas Robinson, on Madison avenue.

After breakfasting at the Robinson home the President went to the residence of Mr. Grace, in East Forty-eighth street, remaining there until time to go to the Church of the Holy Communion for the funeral service. At the head of the cortege were carriages containing the pallbearers. Then came a carriage containing the President and Mrs. Roosevelt. With them in the carriage was a central office detective sergeant and a secret service man, and a secret service man rode on the box with the driver. The hearse followed with carriages containing the other mourners.

Great Police Force on Duty.

The police arrangements for the protection of the President and the restraint of the large crowd were considered very efficient, more than 300 patrolmen being on duty about the block on which the church is located. On the west side of Sixth avenue opposite the church, there was a solid line of policemen, standing shoulder to shoulder for a block and on the east side a similar detail of men. Around the entire block patrolmen were placed at frequent intervals shutting off all traffic from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue on Twenty-third and Twenty-fifth streets. The middle of the street was kept open, and the crowds which assumed large proportions in a short time, was kept close to the sidewalk. No one was allowed in the middle of the street.

The President with Mrs. Roosevelt alighted at the main entrance and went quickly into the church. There was little excitement, the occasion barring any demonstration. The crowd by the time the cortege reached the church was so dense that ingress or egress on the avenue was practically impossible.

Just prior to the arrival of the cortege a police inspector noticed a man standing on the structure, leaning over the east railing directly over the entrance to the church. The man was ordered away after he had returned an insolent answer to the inspector's question and departed. While the man was presumably a curiosity seeker who had merely wished to get a vantage point to see the church, the crowd, impressed by the elaborate police protection, looked upon the incident as a possible plot against the President, but there was no further disturbance.

The funeral service was conducted by Bishop Potter, Rev. Dr. Mottet, Rev. H. F. Taylor, Rev. Howard K. Bartow and Rev. Henry H. Washington, of Oyster Bay. Among the floral offerings was a cluster of roses and orchids, sent by the President.

Crank Awaits His Coming.

When the President left his seat to leave the church he departed by a side door, leading to the twentieth street. Deming the crank had in some way been allowed to gain access to a small ante-room and in that manner was directly in the President's pathway. Deming said later:

"I handed the President the letter and said 'Please read this on your way out, will you?'"

When Deming held out the letter, the President took it and handed it to a Secret Service man. Deming was then pushed back and placed under arrest. He said he was A. H. Deming, of 19 Broadway, and that he had a cure for cancer, which he wished Emperor Roosevelt to try. He wanted President Roosevelt to write a letter to the Emperor, recommending the cure.

The President was untroubled by the incident. With Mrs. Roosevelt he entered his carriage immediately and was driven to the Twenty-third-street ferry, to take the train for Washington.

Deming was taken to the Tombs Police Court. Before being arraigned, he said: "I don't know why the President did not keep my letter instead of handing it over to a policeman. It is a charcoal cancer cure that cannot fail. I wanted President Roosevelt to write to Emperor William, recommending it to him."

Deming was later committed to Bellevue Hospital for examination as to his sanity. He told the Magistrate a rambling story, in which he said he was in the clothing business in Oakland, Cal., for 20 years, but that for the last 20 years he had been in New York and vicinity. He said he had met every President from Grant to McKinley.

The officials at the detective bureau said the man appeared to be perfectly harmless and rational on every subject except that of his remedy. Nothing was found on him to injure anyone. Deming told the officers that he depended on God to guide him in his business affairs.

About 120 Broadway it was said that Deming had a desk, and that he had always appeared to be perfectly rational upon all subjects except his panacea.

It is said that Deming is the man who on May 19, 1900, appeared at the House of Representatives in Washington and startled the House by suddenly shouting from the gallery: "Halt, order, by the grace of the Lord, listen," and then, having secured the desired attention, proceeded to make a speech to that branch of the United States Congress. Three or four policemen finally hustled him away and escorted him outside the building. It

is also said that last April he appeared at the White Star Line pier just as J. P. Morgan, Andrew Carnegie and others were sailing on the Cedric and preached a sermon to them.

POLICE TO BE TAKEN TO TASK

Commissioner Greene Not Satisfied With Their Explanation.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—After completing an investigation into the manner in which Deming gained entrance into the church and reached the side of the President, Police Commissioner Greene announced tonight he was not satisfied with the explanation made by the police who were in charge at the church, and that he would place Captain Cottrell on trial on charges of failing to make proper arrangements.

Three detectives and two policemen, who were on guard at the church, will also be placed on trial.

Well-Known in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 27.—Arthur P. Deming, who was arrested in New York today while trying to hand a letter to the President, is well known in this city, and is regarded here as harmless. Several years ago he was a familiar figure on the streets, where he sold powdered charcoal as a remedy for indigestion. Occasionally in a crowd he would attract attention by shouting, "Prepare to meet thy God," and once was taken into custody for disturbing a meeting in this manner.

STATEMENT BY MR. MITCHELL

Position of the Senator on the Indictment of Mr. Moody.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Nov. 27.—Senator Mitchell today gave the following signed statement to The Oregonian correspondent with the request that it be printed:

"My attention today has been called to a statement in the Washington correspondence of The Oregonian published in its issue of November 20, under a heading entitled, 'Miss Moody is Acquitted,' which reads as follows:

Senator Mitchell, when asked what he thought of the acquittal, said he would not discuss the matter at all. His colleagues say the press dispatches do not tell of any of the circumstances leading up to the acquittal, so an intelligent opinion cannot be expressed. The fact that the acquittal was by the Judge rather than by the jury, Senator Mitchell thinks, signifies that the court's action was based on some legal technicality.

"Now the absolute fact is, I was never interviewed by the correspondent of The Oregonian in reference to the question as to what I thought, or did not think, of Mr. Moody's acquittal, nor did I at any time make any statement to any Oregonian correspondent or to any other person that would substantiate the statement in the dispatch referred to that I thought 'the fact that the acquittal by the Judge, rather than by the jury, signifies that the court's action was based on some legal technicality.' I made no such statement, or anything like it, to any one."

"The truth in regard to this whole matter of the indictment of prominent citizens of Oregon, insofar as I am concerned is this: Shortly after indictments were presented against Mr. Thompson, Receiver of the La Grande Land Office, ex-Representative Moody, T. A. Wood, Miss Ware, Mr. McKinley and Mr. Pater, I was called upon by Washington correspondents of the Portland papers to state my views of these several indictments. As I know absolutely nothing about the facts, or alleged facts, upon which these indictments or any of them were based, I positively declined to discuss the matter, believing it would be inappropriate on my part to do so under the circumstances."

"The most I said at any time was to express my regrets that any of our citizens should be involved in this way, either rightly or wrongly. I am personally gratified that Mr. Moody has been exonerated. I shall be equally gratified if the facts in the other cases to which I have alluded will lead to the exoneration of the persons accused, and at no time have I indicated to any one anything to the contrary. I have assumed, in all these cases, that the officials having charge of the matter are proceeding honestly, including the District Attorney, the grand jury, Judge Bellinger and the petit jury, have performed their several functions conscientiously, and I have never thought differently, or have a slight directly or indirectly, ever at any time, said anything that would justify the conclusion that I did think differently."

(The Oregonian has two correspondents at Washington City, and their instructions are to report all matters likely to prove of interest or value to the people of the Northwest fully and fairly. They are especially enjoined to observe and report the sayings and doings of the Oregon delegation circumstantially and without bias. That they have endeavored to do so, The Oregonian is fully satisfied; and so must be all its readers who have read closely the correspondence during the many years in which the Washington bureau has been maintained. Inquiry was last night made by telegraph as to the particular matter of which Senator Mitchell complains. The correspondent who sent the dispatch replied that his language was bungled in transmission and that, if it had gone through as it was sent it would have attributed to another person the expression with which Senator Mitchell was credited.)

It is perfectly certain that the Senators and Representatives who were before they left Oregon were apprised that an effort would be made to indict Mr. Moody; but The Oregonian has seen no reason to suppose that they encouraged it. When, however, it was reported to them at Washington, it did not take them by surprise. Mr. Williamson spoke of it before he left Oregon. There was a conspiracy to indict Mr. Moody. The Oregonian would be glad to learn from any member of the delegation, or from all of them, that singly or collectively they conspired against it; and yet The Oregonian thinks that this whole miserable business, which is a credit to nobody concerned in it, or informed about it, would better be dropped now and forever.)

Distress After Eating

Nausea between meals, belching, vomiting, flatulence, fits of nervous headache, pain in the stomach, are all symptoms of dyspepsia, and the longer it is neglected the harder it is to cure it.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Radically and permanently cure it—strengthen and tone the stomach and other digestive organs for the natural performance of their functions.

Accept no substitute for Hood's.

"I had dyspepsia twenty-five years and took different medicines but got no help until I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. Have taken four bottles of this medicine and can now eat almost anything, sleep well, have no cramps in my stomach, no burning and no distress." MRS. WILLIAM G. BARRETT, 14 Olney St., Providence, R. I.

Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keeps the promise.

"THE... 'DIFFERENT STORE'"

OLDS, WORTMAN & KING

FIFTH AND WASHINGTON STREETS

GOODS PURCHASED HERE TODAY OR MONDAY ON CREDIT WILL GO ON THE DECEMBER ACCOUNT

This Great Mercantile Ship has no bristles on its back, neither barnacles on its keel to impede progress. With all modern stores of this era, we're the one shining example in Portland's diadem of big stores to live up to the principle of

SHORTER HOURS FOR EMPLOYEES

We close every evening, Saturday included, at 6 o'clock

EVERY SPECIAL OF THE WEEK GOES IN TODAY AT ITS ADVERTISED, REDUCED PRICE. A gala bargain day for this "Different Store's" great public. We print a few that hint of the many.

By special request of our out-of-town patrons who are Portland's welcome visitors—pleasant Thanksgiving "stop-overs"—we continue the GREAT SALE OF SILKS, DRESS GOODS AND DRESS PATTERNS TODAY.

A Positively Never Before Equaled

Bargain in superb Silk Waists

For Today Only—Absolutely the Most Wonderful Bargains in Silk Waists Ever Offered by Any House in America



LADIES OF PORTLAND! If you could see these waists as you read these words, you would leave every household duty, every other engagement, no matter of how pressing a nature, and get to this store as fast as electricity or other mode of locomotion could bring you.

THE HANDSOMEST, RICHEST, MOST MAGNIFICENT SILK DRESS WAISTS YOU EVER SAW—At regular prices, which were \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00 and \$16.50. All included in one grand lot and placed on an immense table near the center of our second floor Woman's Salon—for ONE DAY ONLY—TODAY—ALL AT ONE PRICE.

\$4.65

Over 200 in the lot, the immense variety includes every sort of beautiful all-silk waists, so infinite as to baffle detailed description—suffice to say the magnificent silks from which they are made include beau de cygne, beau de soie, crepe de chine and taffeta silks; colors include black, navy, reds, pinks and whites. The trimmings are superbly rich and handsome, but in such grand variety as to baffle description, just a hint of two or three. Rich net over taffeta, black silk piped with white, black with rich red pipings and black with beautiful Persian trimmings on fronts and cuffs. Some are tucked, some shirred, some plaited and others handsomely embroidered in black silk. The greatest, grandest SALE OF SILK WAISTS EVER HELD BY ANY STORE IN THIS UNION OF STATES! On display last night and early this morning in one of our Fifth-street windows, but they'll go in a twinkling today, so may be taken from the window early that purchasers may have full selection.

TAKE OUR ADVICE IF YOU NEVER TOOK IT BEFORE! ONLY 200 IN THE LOT. GET HERE EARLY, FOR THERE'LL BE A SCRAMBLE WORSE THAN THAT OF YESTERDAY FOR THOSE SKIRTS! Guess folks Compared, eh? Do it some more!

By Request Another Day of These Figures on New Silks and Dress Goods

Today only we offer all the odd pieces of Colored Dress Goods accumulated from this season's selling, fabrics that in individuality cannot be surpassed for sterling value, divided now in two lots:

LOT 1—Comprises 45 to 56-inch Dress Goods in the following much-wanted fabrics: 56-inch Glenarrie tweeds, 52-inch novelty plaid zibeline, 52-inch Scotch mixtures, 45-inch novelty etamine, 45-inch silk warp poplins, 45-inch seeded and corded voiles, 44-inch embroidered zibeline, 56-inch rainproof goods, 52-inch Clay worsteds, 52-inch nub Panama, etc.—the colors are all good and desirable, in fact, you will find every staple wanted shade in the lot. They have sold regularly from \$1.50 to \$2.50 a yard, but to clean up for this last day of the great sale only they are marked.....\$1.15

Goods-bought at this sale can neither be returned nor exchanged.

LOT 2—Consists of 1165 yards of 52-inch Scotch Tweeds, basket cloths, Panama Suitings, French vigoreaux, French beige, 45-inch novelty mistral etamine, novelty flaked suiting and French, Scotch and English Plaids, every wanted color and combination regular \$1.25 to \$2.25 a yard goods, and splendid values at the regular price for today only at the yard.....\$2.62

Also what remains of those handsome Novelty Suit Patterns, goods not to be found elsewhere; most of them exclusive individual suit lengths; positively the newest and smartest fabrics shown this season. They include all the new French carreaux, zibelines, novelty twine etamines, novelty Scotch plaid mistrals, silk and wool lattice etamines, etc.—they are excellent fabrics for swell party gowns and street costumes. For today only they go at exactly Half Price:

\$35.00 values for.....\$17.50	\$25.00 values for.....\$12.50
\$32.50 values for.....\$16.25	\$22.50 values for.....\$11.25
\$30.00 values for.....\$15.00	\$20.00 values for.....\$10.00
\$40.00 values for.....\$20.00	\$17.50 values for.....\$ 8.75
\$30.00 values for.....\$15.00	\$15.00 values for.....\$ 7.50

SENSATIONAL SILK BARGAINS

FOR TODAY ONLY—New Novelty Taffetas, the celebrated Round-gent finish, very soft and absolutely all pure yarns, giving them far superior wearing qualities to any other silk offered. They are the late delivery of those made for next season—SPRING, 1904—wear, all in neat effects, checks, stripes and polka dots, in every new and wanted coloring. These were manufactured to sell at \$1.50 the yard, but owing to a fortunate purchase of our buyer, we offer them for today only at, yard.....\$.69

Last Day of the Best Lace Sale

Best because it includes the best Laces shown in town at lower prices than shown elsewhere; prices go like this:

25c values for.....19c
50c values for.....37½c
60c values for.....45c
75c values for.....55c
85c values for.....64c
\$1.00 values for.....75c
\$1.50 values for.....\$1.12
\$1.75 values for.....\$1.31
\$2.00 values for.....\$1.50
\$2.50 values for.....\$1.87
\$3.00 values for.....\$2.25
\$4.00 values for.....\$3.00
\$5.00 values for.....\$3.75

A Special Sale of Lace Curtains

On sale today—a special lot of elegant, hand-made Battenberg Lace Curtains; all marked at SPECIAL SALE PRICES TODAY ONLY.

Last Day of That Tremendous Clearance Sale of New and Elegant Street or Pedestrienne Suits, Walking Skirts and Superb Coats for Women's Wear

STREET SUITS THAT MUST CHANGE OWNERS TODAY. Every one new—all \$18.50, \$20, \$21 and \$25 values, go in a JUBILEE SALE AT ONE PRICE, TODAY.....\$13.95

COATS AND WALKING SKIRTS GO, TOO.

Every coat new, all the latest down-to-date novelties, including the swagger military effects, embracing those that remind us all of the Napoleonic era—a popular renaissance—materials include all of the latest novelties and standard, sought-for weaves, such as chevrons, Bannockburns, chevrons, kerseys, etc., in the colors worn today in Fashion's set—tons, castors, browns, blues and blacks—novelty mixtures, too—trimmings of velvet and the new novelty buttons, etc.—in short, the swell lot of coats ever offered in Portland, at prices starting at \$28.50 and running along up to \$38.50—here together an dwill be offered today for, A CHOICE FOR.....\$19.55

THEN COME WALKING SKIRTS AT ABOUT HALF.

All new, Olds, Wortman & King's very smartest and latest—materials are kerseys, chevrons, hoespuns, in colors including blues, grays, tans, castors, handsome black and white effects, fancy Scotch and English novelty cloths, all wool, and a very few blacks, nicely and tastefully trimmed with straps and fancy stitching. Values up to \$12.50 go today at.....\$6.95

WOMEN'S SMART PEDESTRIENNE SUITS.

Regular \$30.00 Suit costs.....\$22.25	Regular \$37.50 Suit costs.....\$27.90	Regular \$48.50 Suit costs.....\$36.45
Regular \$32.50 Suit costs.....\$23.50	Regular \$40.00 Suit costs.....\$29.95	Regular \$50.00 Suit costs.....\$37.85
Regular \$35.00 Suit costs.....\$25.70	Regular \$45.00 Suit costs.....\$33.60	Regular \$55.00 Suit costs.....\$42.25

RAIN COATS AT REDUCED PRICES.

Take your choice of the splendid Rain Coats selected by the buyer of this great house's garment section to sell at \$20, \$22.50 and \$25, today for.....\$14.35

BARGAINS UNMATCHED IN ALL THE NORTHWEST ARE OFFERED HERE THIS WEEK ON CHILDREN'S COATS.

Reg. \$3.50 values.....\$2.75 today	Reg. \$7.50 values.....\$4.25 today	Reg. \$10.00 values.....\$7.50 today
Reg. \$5.00 values.....\$4.00 today	Reg. \$8.00 values.....\$6.87 today	Reg. \$12.50 values.....\$9.00 today

THE BIG SHOP ON THE CORNER THAT'S ALWAYS "ON THE SQUARE."

Special Saturday Bargains

PURE LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS—Hemstitched and embroidered, all popular width hems, 3 for.....50c

NEW PRETTY VEILINGS—Modestly priced.

FOR SATURDAY GLOVES—Our Glove Store provides Monarchs at \$2.00, Derbys at \$1.50 and the best \$1.00 glove on earth. Kid, suede or worsted gloves in infinite variety.

Wonderfully pretty new Neckwear for today's choosing. Belts and trimmings at special values.

VERY SPECIAL VALUES, THESE—5,000 yards white cotton lace edging and insertions for trimming fancy underwear, etc., 25c and 35c values, the yard.....12½c

40c RIBBONS FOR 18c—Miles of pretty new Ribbons, all silk, dotted patterns and all newest colorings, a wonderful ribbon value, regular 35c and 40c ribbons, today, the yard.....18c

KERCHIEF BARGAIN—Ladies' pure linen handkerchiefs in all widths of hems, a grand value, special today for.....10c

FOUNTAIN PEN SPECIAL—Regular \$1 guaranteed pen, in fine, medium or stub points, black or mottled—special at, each.....75c

SATURDAY'S SPECIALS UPSTAIRS

Art Shop, Children's Store, Corset Salon, Undermuslin Counters—Second Floor.

50c FASCINATORS, 29c.

SPECIAL—All-wool fancy crocheted Fascinators, with wool tassels at end, colors pink, sky, cardinal, white and black, today only, regular 50c values for.....29c

SPECIAL IN CHILDREN'S BONNETS

A long range of Children's fancy Bonnets of silk, bengaline, plush and cashmere materials, in full front and French styles:

Regular prices.....\$3.75 \$5.50 \$6.50 along down to \$15.00 Today at.....\$1.88 \$2.50 \$3.25 along down to \$ 7.50

Special today of Ladies' Knit Petticoats in plain colors and fancy stripes, regular 75c grade at.....57c

Be fitted in a Royal Worcester Corset. Last week brought us our usual weekly large shipment of these famous Corsets.

THE ART SHOP

Mexican and Spanish hand-drawn work in dinner sets, tea cloths, centerpieces, scarfs and doilies, with Tenerife or hemstitched borders, sizes from 4-inch doilies to 95x140-inch dinner cloth, at prices for \$100.00 down to.....15c

We also show a full line in the above pieces of linen with hand-made Cluny lace.

Special sale of 4 1-3 yards long cushion ruffles, in six styles and as many different kinds of materials and colors. Regular prices from 75c to \$1.25; special today.....47c

MEN'S SPECIALS

For Today Only!

Today—Men's fashionable English Squares in very latest, smartest effects and colorings, including the popular grays, regular 75c values in the lot, none worth less than 50c—choose for.....39c

MEN'S 20c LINEN KERCHIEFS, 12c—Handkerchiefs of full size, the famous Richardson Linens, ½ or ¼-inch hemstitch, the best 20c value ever offered in Portland—today only.....12c

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—\$3.50—

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