PLAY MADE INSANE

Pendleton Teacher Kills His Wife and Himself.

LEFT A NUMBER OF LETTERS

Jury Decides Murder and Suicide Were Committed Under the Spell Cast by Actors in a Local Theater.

PENDLETON, Or., Jan 26.-(Special.)-Insanely jealous, without cause apparent to a Coroner's jury, John T. Brown, a stills County school teacher, induced his wife to submit to being killed and then ended his own existence. The dead bodies ended his own existence. The ucan booles of the two young people were found on the crest of the high hill south of this city this morning about 10 clock. A letter of instructions, written by the husband and left at the home of E. L. Smith, where the two had been living for the past two weeks, read as follows: "Mr. Smith: Mrs. Brown and I are tired

"Mr. Smith: Mrs. Brown and I are tired of life. You will find our bodies on the hill south or southeast of here. Please send my personal effects to my mother, Mrs. M. A. Brown, Reinbeck, Ia. Yours truly,

The bodies were found by Sheriff Tay-

for and Policeman Meeker, according to instructions and Coroner Cole held an in-quest tonight, when the following letter of January E. addressed to Brown's mother, was introduced in evidence: Puts Blame on His Wife.

Puts Blame on His Wife.

"My Dear Mother: When this reaches you I suppose you will know that I am out of existence. Knowing what I know of my wife I find it impossible to live with her, so have concluded to end her existence and mine. May God comfort you. Had she been true to me nothing would have driven me to such a step, but there are some things worse than death, and this is one of them.

"No, I am not insane, but I have looked the future fair in the face and find this the only solution. Forget me as soon as

only solution. Forget me as soon as

the only solution. Forget me as soon as possible and give my love to all. Again, may God comfort you, for I know this will hurt you, but if you knew my suffering you would not want me to live. Yours affectionately,

The woman left a letter addressed to her brother. Tom, other name and address unknown, saying good-bye, but in the stove, torn into pieces, was found a letter addressed to Tom as follows:

Letter That Shows Another Man.

"Dear Brother Tom: When this reaches you I will be no more, if you know what that means. I suppose I will soon know, as I have reached a crists in my life. I have found a man in Oregon 1 love bet-ter than my husband. Oh there the name of some person is lost and the piece could not be found) how I love him

not be found) how I love him."
The deed was committed this morning about I o'clock. The couple went to the play "Human Hearts" last night, as they jokingly said, in celebration of her 25th birthday. They returned home and about 2 o'clock in the morning left the house and never returned.

They had gone about 40 rods to the term

They had gone about 40 rods to the top of the hill. He placed a 22-caliber revolver close to her breast and fired, but the builet evidently did not kill, as her throat was cut. He then laid her down on her back, placed three letters on her breast and spread his overcoat over her. Then opening his clothing in front he drew his underclothing up and placing the little pistol directly over his heart fired and fell dead on his face beside her.

Lodges and Friends Informed.

The letters left on her breast were ad-dressed to the L O. O. F. Lodge at St. Anthony, Idaho, the A. O. U. W. Lodge at the same place and to his mother, Mrs. frown, Reinbeck, In.

Brown, Reinbeck, Ia.

In the room were found letters addressed
to her brother, E. L. Smith, of Pendleton,
and Bert Whitman, Pendleton. What the
letter to Whitman said nobody knows. It

Mr. and Mrs. Brown came from Ne-braska to Rexburg, Idaho, where he worked for a couple of years, at one time in the Rexburg Banking Company's bank, as he has letters from Ross J. Comstock, cashier. They also lived at St. Anthony, Idaho, coming to Pendleton last August Brown then taught school, while his wife worked as domestic and studied for a teacher's certificate.

Brown Was Man of Melancholy. Dr. D. J. McFaul testified Brown was of a morose disposition with tuberculosis in both bones of the shoulder, and sub-ject to fits of despondency and melan-choly. They were happy Monday night at supper and were joking about cele-

brating her birthday at the theater.

The doctor believed that the atmosphere of the play turned his head and he then talked his wife into the belief that both should die. She consented, as circounstances prove. She was never known to be with any other man. Mrs. Brown stayed at Mrs. Whitman's house, who lives on McKny Creek, where Brown taught school, for a few weeks last Win-ter. But Whitman says he was home very little of the time she was there. Jurors Decide on Temporary Insanity

The jurors do not believe there was man in the case unless it was one of the actors in the play. Morbidness and temporary insanity brought on by witnessing the play is the verdict of the jury and no one is connected with the case. Both were young and had bright prospects as the man was an excellent teacher. They were saving their money to buy a fruit farm in the Grand Ronde. as Brown's tuberculosis demanded outdoor loyment. He had \$100 in the bank and some money on his person. The let-ters of the lodge directed the disposal of his body, and that he be buried at Rex-

ROBBER SUSPECT IS IDENTIFIED

Walter McGuire Has Respectable Parents, and Is Deserter From Army.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 26 .- The identity of the man held in custody at San Luis O'Bispo on suspicion of having robbed the Sunset limited train of \$15,000, near Santa Margarita, last week, has been established despite his attempt to baffle the officers in this regard. The detectives have an-nounced that his real name is Walter Mo-Guire, and that for a number of years be under the assumed name of Wal-

It appears that there are two reasons for the prisoner's reticence concerning his personal history. One is that he is a deserter from the United States Army, the second reason, considered the more important, is that he is a well-connected young man, born of wealthy parents and brought up amid surroundings of refinement and brought up amid surroundings of refinement and brought up amid surroundings of refinement and brought up amid surroundings. ment and luxury. He halls from Santa Barbara where, before he run wild, he oc-

Though every means has been taken to Though every means has been taken to hush up this part of the young man's personal history, the detectives say they are in possession of information that not only say Walter McGuire, alias Clark, rolative among the ellis of the pretty town that neades in the bosom of the Santa Tree Mountains, but that he himself has been accessment to travel all over the continent in the style becoming a young recottement of means.

gentleman of means.

Up to a year and a half ago he made frequest trips on the Sunset route to various points in the East, and on these pil-

grimages he seemed always well supplied with funds. The officers are today look-ing up McGuire's Army record and gath-ering further facts about his past. He served at Fort Stevens and was there known as "the dude."

ARGUMENT IN DUNSMUIR CASE Case Closes, and Judge Drake Reserves His Decision.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. M.-Argumen of counsel in the Hopper-Dunsmuir will case commenced this morning. E. P. Davis, E. C., for the defendant after quoting authorities on mental jurisprudence and citing cases of valid wills made by excessive drunkards, held that this case

clates had never seen under the influence of liquor, and Alexander Dunsmuir, drunk and in an abnormal condition.

Judge Drake, the trial Judge, at the conclusion of Mr. Davis address, asked him to point out what standing Mrs. Hopper had in court. She was not helress-at-law. She was no relation, and he could not see that she could have any

make any standing.

Mr. Davis said he had not talked of these points, having made his strong plea on the soundness of Alexander Dunsemulr's mind, and the intervener having

taken part in the case made it un

The case closed this afternoon, and Judge Drake reserved his decision Following the argument of Mr. Davis, K. C., for defendant, Sir Charles Tupper, K. C., for intervener, argued that the interests of Mrs. Dunsmitr. plaintiff's mother, had been ignored. He adopted plaintiff's counsels' argument of the incompetency of Alexander Dunsmitr to sign a will

muir to sign 3 will.

E. V. Ballard, K. C., for plaintiffs, argued that undue influence was shown in both the mill and the subsequent agreement. He referred to the duplicity of Mr. Wilson, of San Francisco, and the conversations with Mrs. Alexander Dans-muir when she was told that if the will was set aside her social standing would be lost, as, if Dunsmuir was insane when he signed the will, he was insane when he married.

He stigmatized Attorney Wilson's line

of action as dishonest and said that James Dunsmuir signed the agreement with Mrs. Alexander Dunsmuir, promising half profits in the San Francisco business, realizing that she would never live to enjoy any of the money received.

Mr. Bowell laid stress on the fact that
Mrs. Dunsmuir had been informed of the will and said Alexander Dunsmuir eithe will and said Alexander Dunsmuir either did not know he had signed the will or defendant got it signed by undue influ-ence and had imposed the fact on Alex-ander Dunsmuir's mind that he must keep quiet shout it. Mr. Bodwell claimed that Dunsmuir did not think it was a will that he signed, but probably though. It a document relating to business in British Columbia, ie also held that Lowe, a witness, testified that he did not know it was a will he had witnessed, which, according to California law, an

mulled the testament.

The evidence tending to show that Dunsmuir's mind was unsound was dealt with at great length, and Mr. Bodwell said that a man who used alcohol as Alexander Dunsmuir had could only come to one end-insanity. He held that Dunsmuir was shown conclusively to have been de-mented when the will was signed.

OELRICHS DID NOT GO TO BANK Nor Did He See Checks Delivered to

the Nelsons. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 26.—When the hearing of the Fair case was resumed today before Commissioner Hosmer, Her-man Oelrichs, husband of Theresa Fair, testified that he had been in charge of the arrangements for the funeral of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Fair in this city. The offer of a settlement of the claims against the estates of the victims of the automobile accident in France, which had been presented by Mrs. Nelson, mother of Mrs. Fair, and her family, was not made by him, but was suggested by J. W. Harvey, in the interests of the Nelsons.

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Mr. Oelrichs stated ... at it was not until after three interviews with Mr. Harvey, who represented the Neisons, that he consented to sell their claims by signing checks for \$125,000. He handed the checks to his counsel, but did not see them de-livered. He said that if Mra Nelson had testified he went with her to a bank to ee them cashed, her statement was

TRIED TO ROB POSTOFFICE. / Grant's Pass Visted by Thieves, Who Are Scared From Work.

GRANT'S PASS, Or., Jan. M.-Burglars attempted to rob the Grant's Pass post-office last night and endeavored to secure admittance to the building by prying open the iron doors in the rear. The postoffice the iron doors in the rear. The postoffice is located in a one-story brick annex to the Masonic Temple, and the rear door and windows are protected by iron-covered doors securely fastened by means of iro

The burgiars had been seeking an entrance by prying open the double doors and succeeded in bending the iron bar fastening nearly double, but were frightened away just as entrance was nearly gained. W. I. Sweetland's pack of sheep dogs was in the back room of his meat market, and when the door was unlocked in the morning the dogs were ranged along the partition wall with noses to the floor and on being liberated immediately start-

and on seing distract influentatory started out in pursuit.

No clew has yet been found to lead to the identity of the burglars. The iron bar used to pry with was found and identified as one stolen from a local carpenter.

BRITISH COLUMBIA STATISTICS Census Returns Show Great Growth

of Country. VANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. M.-The Cen sus Bureau has completed statistics of manufacturing establishments in Canada. The number of industries employing five workers and over in 1881 was 12,879, and the value of products was \$18,136,781. In 1991 the number was 14,889 and the value

of products MEI,081,753.
Butter and cheese increased from 210,000,000 to \$25,000,000; cottons from \$5,000,000 to \$12,000,000; log products from \$46,000,000 to \$50,000,000, and slaughtering and mest packing from \$5,000,000 to \$22-000,000. The woolen trade remains about

the same. The value of butter and cheese and sed milk factories in British Co-increased from \$73,530 in 1891 to

Want Verdict Set Aside.

GRANT'S PASS, Or., Jan. M.—(Special.)
-The Circuit Court for Josephine County has finished its labors for this term, its last sitting being a hold-over for the pur-pose of acting on several minor cases. In the case of Durham vs. Southern Pacific Company the court listened to arguments on the motion to set aside the verdict of the jury and order a new trial. The mat-ter was taken under advisement and a de-

SOOTHED BY CIGARETTES

EGBERT, MURDERER, AWAITS THE DAY OF HIS HANGING.

Vain Man Has No Compunction in Regard to the Deputy Sheriffs Slain in the Wilds of Harney.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 26.-(Special.)-Smoking eigarettes incessantly and try-ing to reconcile himself to the inevitable, Harry D. Egbert is passing the time in excessive drunkards, held that this case was clearly one of fact, a matter of the was clearly one of fact, a matter of the credibility of witnesses. He discredited the evidence of the plaintiff berself, and said that other than three physicians, her witnesses were maids and belliboys.

There were maids and belliboys.

There were, Mr. Davis held, two Alexander Dunsmults—one who went to his business day by day and whom his associated by Murderer Armstrong, yet vanity W plainly one of his characteristic and he will probable try. acteristics, and he will probably try to maintain his self-possession during the last act of his life. He is in the best of apirits, cats heartily, aleeps well and talks pleasantly. If he is sorry for his foul deed there is no intimation of it in his conversation.

his conversation.

When approached today, he declined to make any statement whatever, but a few moments later was talking freely of his

tendent James will inform Sheriff Alls of this statement made by Egbert.

POLITICS LEADS TO CIVIL SUIT

Ex-Commissioner Byrne Wants Damages for Being Called a Poltroon. OLYMPIA, Wash, Jan. %-(Special.)— The Superior Court of Thurston County in now occupied with a likel sult, the principals in which are two prominent citizens of the city. John Byrne, ex-County Commissioner, and George H. Fank, ex-Prosecuting Attorney.

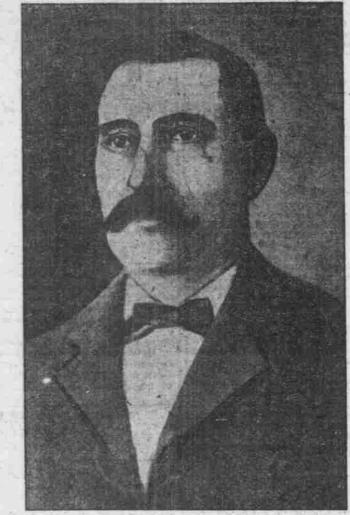
Funk, ex-Prosecuting Attorney.

The suit was inaugurated by Mr. Byrne, who is a Democrat, against Mr. Funk, who is a Republican, as a result of political controversies arising in the campaign of 1902 Mr. Byrne demanding \$500. paign of 1992. Mr. Byrne demanding \$5000 for an alleged libelens statement that appeared in the Daily Olympian of this city over Mr. Funk's signature.

Both principals to the suit were at that time in county office. Mr. Byrne, as a member of the Board of County Commissioners, was one of the parties to an agreement entered into between the Commissioners and the Northern Pacific Railway Company whereby an amount conway Company whereby an amount con-derably less than the total taxes due from the company for provious years was accepted by the county and litigation re-

garding the assessment was dismissed. Mr. Funk, as Prosecuting Attorney, decilined to act in the matter or represent the county in the preparation of the neces-

DIRECTED THE INVESTIGATION INTO THE CAUSES OF THE IROQUOIS THEATER DISASTER



JOHN E. TRAEGER, CORONER OF COOK COUNTY.

in his being condemned to die upon the | was fought out between Mr. Byrne and gallows. "It seems hard," he said, "to be cut down in the prime of life, but there is

no help for it now, and no use worrying over it." A reference to the two deputy Sheriffs who were shot down by him on the

"What else could I do?" he "What would you or anyone do? Those two men came out there armed with a rifle and shotgun and one of them tried to get the drop on me. I shot in self-defense." But a moment later he ad-mitted that he knew one of the men was an officer of the law, an admis-sion which carried with it the asser-tion of a right to defy and overthrow all law and order. Eghert does not claim all law and order. Eggert does not claim that he would have been shot if he had surrendered when called upon to do so. Born of good family, educated in the public schools and graduated from the Audobon County, Iowa, High School, Egbert started out in life with every oportunity to be an honest and useful tember of society. The second employment in which he engaged was running a "blind pig." a secret liquor selling establishment in a prohibition town. With every manifestation of pleasure and satisfaction he tells of the good profits, financially, which came to him through this unlawful business. Four years ago he came to Oregon, worked at various occupations at intervals and served a term for horse stealing. Knocking a man senseless with the butt of a pistol and living with a woman to whom he was not married are other crimes he admits leading up to the double murder. His execution on Friday will be the termination of 27 years of an ill-spent life. His mother is dea's his father is supposed to reside somewhere in Kan-sas and he has a sister, affectionate and true, in Union County. There is no one

else to mourn his death.

All preparations have been made for the hanging and all invitations are out. There will be about 20 persons present There will be about 20 persons present at the execution, as required by law. The hanging will take place at 12:30 P. M. Friday. It is customary to conduct executions early in the morning. The sentence of the court in this case re-M. At 12 o'clock noon all the prisoners at the ponitentiary will be locked in their cells, there to remain until 1 o'clock. For that reason the hanging was set for 12:10 o'clock, as a number of reg-ular guards will be free to assist in conducting Egbert to the execution cham-

Egbert is writing a few letters sending some photographs to friends and relatives. His vanity is plainly shown by a picture which he had taken a few days ago at the prison. With mustache stylishly curied and an affected smile on his face, he posed with a little finger pressed against his cheek so as to show a gold ring which he wore.

a gold ring which he work.

During his conversation today Egbert said that he was aided in his escape, after killing Deputy Sheriffs West and Caxton, by Sid Kurtz. This is information which the Sheriff of Harney County has much desired but has been unable to

has much desired but has been unable to secure. Eghert secured Kuriz' horse with which to make his escape.

There has been doubt whether Kurtz knew that a crime had been committed when he let Eghert have the horse. Eghert said today that when Kurtz arrived at the place he saw the bodies of West and Caxton, and they talked of the killing. Expert says Kuriz says him his ter was taken under advisement and caston, and they taked or use and caston will be given during the vacation, the plaintiff to have 30 days in which to file a bill of exceptions if a new trial is horse and what money he had with him, to help him out of the country. Superin-

was fought out between Mr. Byrne and Mr. Funk in communications to the press of the city. In one statement Mr. Funk promised to prove that Mr. Byrne was a "poltroon and a liar," or forfeit 1900 if certain facts could not be substantiated. This statement is the ground for the libel suit which is now being fought out in the courts.

NORTHWEST DEAD.

Funeral of Joseph Talbot Bush.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 25.-(Special.)-The funeral occurred in this city today of The funeral occurred in this city today of Joseph Taibot Bush, one of the oldest ploneers of the state, who died at the Soldiers' Home at Orting last Saturday, Mr. Bush was a veteran of the early Indian Wars and the Civil War, and last evening his body arrived from the Soldiers' Home under a special escort of Indian and Civil War veterans. The escort J. Dalton. The interment was made in Bush Prairie cemetery, under the auspices of the G. A. R.

Joseph Bush was born in Missouri in 1833, and crossed the plains with his father, the famous pioneer, John S. Bush in 1844. The elder Bush died in 1883, and Joseph Bush and his three brothers all continued to reside in this county. The and Sanford P.

Funeral of H. H. Alderman.

THLLAMOOK, Or., Jan. 26.—All the business houses and the public schools were closed today during the funeral of were closed today during the funeral of the late Sheriff of this county, H. H. Alderman. The public services took place at the Christian Church. Rev. Mr. Patterson preached a sermon, during the course of which he paid high tribute to the decensed, who was widely known and universally respected. The palibearers were prominent citizens of Tillamook, "She was a very nervous creature, and the least little mishap would agitate her. abers of the Masons and Knights of Pythias. At the grave the services were conducted by the Masons. The Knights of Pythias also held a brief ceremony.

Mrs. S. A McCune. FOREST GROVE, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—Mrs. S. A. McKune, aged 74 years, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. T. Walker, here, today. She came to

Oregon in 1852. The following children survive her:

J. W. McKune, of Spokane; Melvin
McCune, of Napavine; John McKune, of
Toppenish; Mrs. Anna Putman, of Wapato, Wash.; Miss Emma Dyer, of

Henry Kliensmith.

OREGON CITY, Jan. 28.—(Special.)— Henry Kliensmith, aged 68 years, died of pneumonia at his home near Clarkes, this county, resterday. Burial took place today at the Clarkes' cometery. The de-ceased is survived by a wife and several children. He had resided in this county for about 30 years. for about 20 years,

Delayed to Get More Practice.

WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY. Salem, Or., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—The basket-ball game that had been arranged between the teams of Willamette and Dallas Col-lege for next Saturday has been called off by the manager of the Dallas team. The reason given was their desire for longer practice before the game. First Payment on Inheritance.

SALEM, Or. Jan. 28.—(Special.)—The first payment under the inheritance tax law was made today when the John M. Brooks estate, of Portland, paid \$20 into

ENDED HER LIFE WITH GAS

MRS. ALICE A. PITMAN WROTE AS SHE WAS DYING

Portland Woman Said She Was Wronged by a Man She Names as Harry Bennett.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. E.—Mrs. Alice A. Pitman, of Portland, Or., turned on the gas in her room, and white she walted for it to do its deadly work, permed a final missive to the man who she de-clared had forsaken her. She is dead. Harry Vernon Bennett, of 628 Sutter street, is the man she accuses of having wrecked her life and been responsible for her untimely taking off. The follow-ing note was found folded in the woman's ing note was found folded in the woman's

etery.

Aunt Wants to Be Guardian.

OREGON CITY, Jan. M .- (Special.)-Mrs. Mary A. McIntyre, of Salem,

through her attorney, Webster Holmes

mrs. McIntyre is the aunt of the youngster, whom the authorities of the asylum refuse to deliver to the woman who has been appointed guardian.

Williams' Title Held to Be Good. ABERDEEN, Wash., Jan. 26.-(Spe

ial.)-Judge Irwin, of the Superior Court, has decided the case of F. F. Williams

against H. L. Pittock, of Portland, which

Humpfulfps River valued at \$3000. Wil-liams secured a tax title to the land for the sum of about \$77 and Pittock sued to

recover on the ground that the publica-tion of summons was defective in that the data of publication was only placed at the bottom of it and omitted in the

body of the reading matter, which omis-sion, it was pleaded, was not according to law.

Judge Irwin held that the date made the

publication valid and held the title of Williams good. Inasmuch as publications of similar character only contained the date at the bottom, J. B. Bridges and

ex-Sheriff Hull, who held a similar titl

to a claim worth \$4000, attempted to cor-rect the alleged defect, before the Wil-liams case had been decided and the

original owner jumped into the breach an

Sues for Death of Husband.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—Mrs. Woolf, wife of Charles Woolf who was killed by a train on the W. & O. line near Fruit Valley in October last, has brought suit against

the railway company for damages amounting to \$40,000. The complaint sets forth that the plain-tiff is the widow and only heir of Charles

Woolf, who was killed on account of the neglect of the railroad employes while he

by those in charge of the train; which fact was due to the death of Woolf,

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given them, they must be given less work; in other words they must be starved. It

man who is unable to do all his own work

to cut down his busienss to his own ca-pacity as it is for a man to starve him-self to relieve his stomach. The sensible

husiness man employs help and goes for-ward with his business. Likewise the sen-sible dyspeptic will employ help for his stomach and give his body proper nour-

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the work assigned to them. They relieve weak and overburdened stomachs of a

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same as a good, strong, healthy stomach would do it. On this account Stuart's Dyspepsia Tab-

and effects. They do not cause any un-natural or violent disturbance in the stomach or bowels. They themselves digest the food and supply the system with all

eaten and carry out Nature's plans for the

sustenance and maintenance of the body.

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than that employed by many sufferers

possibly be in proper working condition by starving himself or employing some new fangled, insufficient food that does

not contain enough nutriment for a year-old baby. A strong man, doing strong work, must be properly fed and this ap-plies to use brain as well as the body. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, by relieving the stomach of its work, enable it to re-

cuperate and regain its normal health and strength. Nature repairs the worn and wasted tissues just as she heals and knits the hone of a broken limb, which is, of

ourse, not used during the process

repair.
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does not try to sell something in the place of that's "just as good." Their unquali-fied merit and success and the universal demand for them has placed them within

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also of Salam, today instituted habeas corpus proceedings to recover the care and custody of Peter R. Emerson, of whom the former was today appointed guardian by Probate Judge Ryan. The lad over whom the controversy exists is "May the power controlling this uni-verse control Harry Bennett and force him to come and do what is right; make lad over whom the controversy exists is aged 4 years and is a charge at the St. Agnes Founding Asylum, near this city. The question as to the child's guardianship will be tried before Judge Ryan at 18 o'clock Wednesday morning. The boy is the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Emerson, both of whom died but a few days apart at Nelson. B. C., about two years ago. Three other minor children were cared for by relatives of the deceased parents, but the youngest boy was taken in charge by the Foundling Asylum, which is made the defendant in the writ of habeas corpus action brought today. me his wife and be sincere and true to me as I am to him. May he never rest until this prayer is answered."

The following letter, written just before the woman died, also was found:

the woman died, also was found:
"Dear Harry—I will just write a line or
two to let you know that I am still living. Just think what the cold glitter of
gold will do. The day you left me in Los
Angeles I thought that if you did not return, life would not be worth living. Well, Harry. I suppose you will wender how I got your address. You wronged me, you know, and may you never have cause to suffer. You have had your revenge. Oh! Heaven, may you never have cause to suffered.

The letter was unsigned, as the gas and evidently done its work.
On the body of the dead woman and in the room were found many letters addreased to her and signed "Harry Bennett." They are all of an endearing nature and show that the man and woman were on the most intimate terms. The linison seems to date back two or three

Harry Bennett is about 20 or 21 years of age, and is at present visiting in the East. From letters found on the dead woman it was learned that the young man's parents reside at the Lenox Hotel, man's parents reside at the Lenox Hotel, in this city. Mrs. Bennett was communicated with this morning, and she was loth to believe that her son was responsible for the woman's despondency. Mrs. Pitman engaged a room at 288 Turk street and paid a week's rent in advance. Catherine Lake, the landlady, states that she seemed despondent.

Last evening a roomer at the same house detected the odor of gas and traced it to the decedent's room, which was

It to the decedent's room, which was broken open. The jet key was turned fully on. She was lying on the bed fully dressed. Mrs. Pitman had an aunt residing in Oregon City, distant about 14 miles from Fortland, by the name of Eva Fletcher. It is said that this woman died recently and left a fortune to Mrs. Pitman.

It is not known where Mrs. Pittman and Beanett first met, but it is evident from the correspondence found that Bennett had met the woman at various cities in

An attorney who says he had Mrs. Pit-man's affairs in charge, declares that he will hold young Bennett responsible for her death. It is said financial losses on account of Bennett were one of the causes that led to the suicide. A letter found in the dead woman's room A setter found in the dead woman's room was written to the proprietors of the Patrick House in Los Angeles, and is signed by Mrs. J. H. Bennett. She states that she has written three letters to her son and has received no answers, and she asks that if the letters are still there that they be returned to her. This letter was pany.

It is also stated that the trains were run at an unreasonable and unnecessary speed, and that at the time of the accident no alarm of any kind was given

they be returned to her. This letter was written January 6.

There are letters among her effects from Stella Baker, of Eugene, Or., to whom she had loaned money, and Susie Morrow,

of Monkland, Or. A girlish letter to Mrs. Pitman begins "Dear Aunt Alice," and is signed "Elva." It is postmarked Goldendale, Wash. Mrs. Pitman recently told Attorney Maples that Bennett had induced her to sell out a lodging house in Portland, Or.

Grief Caused Suicide, Says Friend, SEATTLE, Jan. M.—Francine Pitman kept a lodging-bouse in Portland, for a year prior to her journey to San Francisco. She is the widow of a well-known business man of Northern Gregon, Harry Mr. Funk's defense is justification in the V. Bennett, son of a former railroad man the woman to marry him, and Miss Lulu as far as it goes and a great many dysorcut, her intimate friend, now in
Seattle, bolieves her grief at the discovery that he was faithless caused her
to kill herself. recent criminal hunt in California, asked to kill herself.

THREATENED TO KILL HERSELF

Suicide of Mrs. H. M. Pitman Not Unexpected by Portland Friends. Mrs. Pitman was the widow of the late H. M. Pitman, who, prior to his death, was engaged in the retail grocery busi-ness in this city. For a year prior to December 17 Mrs. Pitman lived at 251 Sixth

she was disappointed because she falled to receive a letter from Bennett, and she tore around the house and cried and made an awful fuss. She said she would kill berself and that she was going to take haudanum, but I told her she would have to get out of my house because I wanted no suicide here. She then decided to telefrom weak stomachs. By this means the body and brain get all the good, nutritious food they need and the man is properly nourished and equipped to carry on his work and perform his duties. He could not

"She was a very nervous creature, and the least little mishap would agitate her. She said she hated work, that she had been a pet at home and was petted by her former husband, and that she did not know what work was. She was dark com-plexioned, small of stature, rather good ooking and 38 years old.

"I think that Bennet once lived in Port-and. She told me that she went from here to San Francisco with him in March and returned after quite an extended visit. During her absence another woman looked er the house. When she received the last letter from

Sennett she seemed to be all right again and bought several new dresses, among them a stylish traveling suit, and outfited herself with plenty of new clothes. When she left she told me that she was to meet Bennett at the Golden West Hotel, in San Francisco, and for me to tell her nephew, who called a few days before she left, that she had gone to San Francisco, but not to tell him her address or that she was going to meet Bennett. She did not want folks to know just where she was going. She promised to write to me, but failed to receive a letter.

Mrs. Charlotte Walker Dead.

WOODBURN, Or., Jan. 28.—Mrs. Char-lotte Walker, of Gervals, passed away at the home of her son, William Walker, at the home of her son, William Walker, of Woodburn, on the morning of January E. aged 24 years. She was born in Yorkshire, England, June II, 1839. She was married to William Walker, September M. 1841, and came with her husband and one son to the United States in 1853 and settled in Wisconsin, remaining there three years. In 1852 with her husband and two children, she crossed the plains with ox team to Oregon. After six months of travel they landed in Portland. After four years she

sided ever since. Since the death of her husband, Ma:

SORE HANDS Since the death of her husband, May 15, 1851, she has made her home with her son, E. P. Walker, on the old home place one mile south of Gervais. She was the mother of eight children, five of whom are living, as follows: William Eugle, of Woodburn; E. P. Walker, of Gervals; T. C. Walker, of Portland, and T. B. Walker, of Gervais, Eastdee her five children she leaves it grandchildren and soven great-grandchildren.

The funeral took place at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church at Woodburn, of which she was a member, on Wednesday, January 7, at 11 o'clock, with interment at the Bell Passi cemetery. Itching, Burning Palms, Painful Finger Ends, Shapeless Nails.

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