'STOOL PIGEON"

Detective Day Fails to Intercede for His Confederate. "Bob" Lucas.

ATTER GETS TEN DAYS

Arrested and Sentenced for Roaming Streets After Hours -- In Six Months He Earned \$50 as a Plumber.

Headquarters Detective Joe Day failed his "stool-pigeon," "Bob" Lucas, in his hour of dire need yesterday morning, and Municipal Judge Cameron sentenced the prisoner to serve a term of ten days in

who arrested Lucas at 1:30 A. M. Mon-day morning in South Portland. The only work I have known him to

do, or that I have heard of him doing, was as a 'stool-pigeon' for Joe Day," replied Policeman Scallen. Judge Cameron evidently was not satisfied with such work on the part of Lucas, for he immediately passed sen-

to a jail cell by Bailiff Goltz.

It is not every policeman on the force who would brave the dangers of arresttrue to his duty to the city and discharged his sworn duty, landing Lucas in jail and prosecuting him in spite of the fury of Joe Day. The latter did not have the temerity to attempt a rescue of his "pigeon," for he evidently feared expo-sure of such a proceeding, and thought

Joe Sheeland, claiming to be a plum-ber, took the stand in behalf of Lucas, swearing that Lucas had worked for him recently. When cross-examined, however. Sheeland acknowledged that he and Lucas were intimate friends; that he had known Lucas for many years; that he had been a companion of Lucas and that he had paid Lucas but \$50 for labor performed

within the last six months Sheeland admitted that he knew Lucas had a bed reputation, but said he did not believe stories he had heard of a derogatory nature against his friend.

Lucas was a pai of "Chic" Houghton, formerly a notorious criminal, who gave the police of Portland no end of trouble the airship "City of Portland" made the where he is now servthe Penttentiar a term for highway robbery. Before Houghton went to jail, he served as a "stool-pigeon" for local detectives, and it was when great difficulty that the best flights ever made. the authorities ever succeeded in secur-

Houghton and Lucas perpetrated numerous crimes together, each serving terms in the County Jali at various periods of their lives. They were regarded as des-perate thugs and burelars.

Harry Earle, arrested by Detective Carcity, but is suspected of being "crooked." He was rather "saucy" in court yester-

Alphonse Hermann was very indignant pheric conditions were ideal for a thorat his arrest, which was made by Patrolman Parker. The latter charges that the
defendant interfered when he attempted
to arrest two men for fighting the other
soared upwards for a distance of about

ious to do their duty, why don't they arrest some criminals or 'stool-pigeons'? I
have served a term in the United States
Navy and have always here been as delivered as he gave full

FAMOUS WRITER IS HERE Typon reaching a point over Centennial

W. E. Curtis, Noted Correspondent, Will See the Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Curtis, of Washington City, are guests at the Port-land, having arrived in the city last excitement about the Fair grounds and

In the world.

His headquarters are in Washington, but save when Congress is in session most of his time is spent in traveling correspondence to his paper.

His headquarters are in Washington, self as satisfied with the showing he declared that an even greater demonstration will be made before the close of the Exposition. correspondence to his paper.

or the approaching Fair and Portland, or support, protrudes a propeller with and his letters did much to arouse interest in the Northwest. At that time he manipulation of the craft is almost promised to return and see the Fair and identical with the running of a gasoline his present visit is for that purpose. He launch. The aeronaut goes up or down has a large personal acquaintance in by dipping the point of his gas-bag. Fortland and during his last trip was this he regulates by ...s position in the the recipient of many social attentions. Car. By stepping aft he sends the craft Mr. and Mrs. Curtis will probably remain upward and by stepping forward points here several days. A dinner will be it downward. To sink the boat gradually given in his honor at the Commercial gas is allowed to escape and if it is then Club tonight.

AT THE THEATERS

What the Press Agents Saj.

M'EWEN TONIGHT.

Big Success of World-Renowned Entertainer at Marquam Theater.

E. H. McEwen, the world's greatest hypnotist, mindreader, magician and entertainer, will be the attraction at the Marquam Grand Theater, on Morrison Oregonian building. Ladies entrance at the hetween Sixth and Seventh, to-Marquam Grand Theater, on some street, between Sixth and Seventh, tonight at 8:20 o'clock and every night this week. It is not alone in hypnotism that McEwen excels, though it is a strong commendation of his hypnotic power that it is of such a high order that his other achievements are left in the shade. As an illusionist he is without a peer, and the especially prepared programmes for the especially prepared programmes for shall week are arranged to bring his shall week are arranged to bring his hundred beautiwonderful palming and a hundred beautiful illusions to the front. It seems, indeed, as though his hypnotic power ex-

animate, and that all things obey his will. A play may be "gotten up." a picture described, but the only thing that will convey an idea of what McEwen does is your eyes. You must see for yourself, and his series of entertainments will furnish you an opportunity that you will do well to take advantage of.

THE GIRL AND THE JUDGE"

Belasco Stock Company Is Meeting With Remarkable Success.

The Belasco was never offered its pa-The Belasco can never offered its patrons a more delightful production in every way than 'The Giri and the Judge.' now at the very height of its successful run. The play itself is one of the best Clyde Fitch has written, and it is doubtful if anywhere in this country it has ever been so well played as by the

Belasco Stock Company.

The moutings are equal to the very best New York productions, and each member of the cast acts his part as if he had been in the role during an entire road season. It is inconceivable that such resuits are possible in stock work. Will Walling is the hit of the theatrical year. Already he has the public at his feet, and his present part gives him fine op-portunities. Miss Moore, Portland's pet leading woman, is in her last week with the company and is being tendered nightly

EZRA KENDALL COMING.

Famous Comedian at the Marquant Grand Theater All Next Week.

"What work, if any, have you ever known this defendant to do?" asked Judge Cameron of Policeman Scallea, who arrested Lucas at 1:20 A M Mon. ater next week, beginning Monday, August 28. Among its prominent members are Harold Russell, Thurlow Bergen, John D. Garrick, Philip Bishop, Ethel Brandon, Kathryne Browne, Polly Stock-well, Reda O'Neal, Elizabeth King and little Edith Taliaferro. The result is a highly original performance, dominated, of course, but not monopolized, by its immensely popular star. Some of the fin-est scenic effects ever seen here are prom-Licas, for he immediately passessed est scenic effects ever seen here are tence and Day's "pigeon" was escorted ised for "Weather-Beaten Benson," will be the attraction Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights. Thursday, Friday and Saturday matinee and night "The Barn-Stormer" will be presented for the first time. The advance sale will open next Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

GREAT SPEED ATTAINED AND SHIP CONTROLLED.

Captain Baldwin's "City of Portland" Covers Mile in About Three Minutes.

The embryonic science of acrial navigation scored a point at the Lewis and until they succeeded in sending him to most successful flight yet effected at the Exposition. From every standpoint the flight was satisfactory, and the performance of yesterday must take rank with

the authorities ever succeeded in securing his conviction, so great was the opposition of the detectives. He and Lucas
were regarded as perhaps the best "stoolpigeons" the detectives ever had.

Luc describing circles and loops and trav-The vessel was in the air for half an tor, describing circles and loops and traveling against the wind and with it. The craft, in making a spurt, covered a distance of one mile in a trifle more than three minutes. It made this record traveline the contraveline of the covered traveline the covered traveline the covered traveline to the covered traveline to the covered traveline to the covered traveline eling with the wind which recorded a velocity of five miles an hour at the time, Harry Earle, arrested by Detective Carpenter on a charge of trespass, was sentenced to serve a term of ten days in the
County Jail. Earle is a stranger in the joined in cheering the successful feat as Astonaut Lincoln Beechey made a safe He was rather "saucy" in court yester-day morning, and it was thought best to whence he had ascended. The vessel whence he had ascended. The vessel took the air at 11 o'clock sharp. Atmos-

ight. The trouble occurred at Third and
wo feet Beechey then turned on his
motor and set the propeller in action.
Hermann grew quite noisy when upon The "City of Portland" responded easily the witness stand, and denounced the police in no uncertain terms. "Why is it that the police do not arrest some criminais" asked Hermann, grow-ling demonstrative. "If they are so anx-line complete control of his charge and

Navy, and have always been a good citi-gen; I can't see why I was arrested."

Hermann said he could bring witnesses

seconds he had cleared the Exposition who would clear him of the charge, and grounds and in two minutes more the case was continued until this mornturned the vessel and came back. It took about 12 minutes to make the return

Park the aeronaut dipped the point of his craft downward. The descent occupied about ten minutes. He could have made it more quickly but evidently was taking pains to land at the point of starting. With very little maneuvering evening.

Mr. Curtis is the famous correspondent of the Chicago Record-Herald, perhaps the most widely-known newspaper writer matter of course. While expressing himmatter of course, with the shorting himmatter of course.

correspondence to his paper.

Mr. Curits was here last Winter on his return from a tour of the world. During that visit he devoted much attention to the preparations for the Lewis and Clark Exposition then progressing. He became an enthusiant on the subject in the car. From one end of this car, or support residuals and continuous continuou wished to regain elevation the casting out of a suck of sand ballast will allow the vessel to swiftly move upward.

Another flight will be made Friday or Saturday if weather conditions are sat-

THE TAVERN CRAWFISH

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50 inches wide, 3 yards long; great value at \$8.75 Khiva Couch Covers, Oriental patterns, beautiful styles; 60 inches wide 3 yards long; grandest value in a high-grade cover ever offered

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The Fall and Winter apparel for particular men is ready-The smartest ready-to-wear garments any man could desire-We will carry this season the largest, handsomest and most varied stock of men's and young men's Suits and Overcoats we ever had-Everything good in clothing will be found here and at prices that mean a saving of fully 25 per cent on what you are asked to pay for equal grades at the exclusive clothing store-All the prominent manufacturers in the land are represented in this Fall and Winter showing: L. Adler Bros. & Co., Hart, Schaffner & Marx, Stein-Bloch Co., The Washington Co., and others-Single and doublebreasted suits of the latest cut, fancy worsteds, fancy tweeds and cheviots, unfinished worsteds, clays, cassimeres, etc.-Prices range from \$12.50 to \$35.00.

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