

“STOOL PIGEON” LEFT IN LURCH

Detective Day Fails to Intercede for His Confederate, “Bob” Lucas.

LATTER 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 the City Jail on a charge of roaming the streets after hours.

“What work, if any, have you ever known this defendant to do?” asked Judge Cameron of Policeman Scallen, who arrested Lucas at 1:30 A. M. Monday 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.

Joe Sheeland, claiming to be a plumber, 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 \$50 for labor performed within the last six months.

Lucas was a pal of “Chic” Houghton, formerly a notorious criminal, who gave the police of Portland no end of trouble until he succeeded in sending him to the Penitentiary where he is now serving a term for highway robbery.

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 city, but is suspected of being “crooked.”

Alphonse Hermann was very indignant at his arrest, which was made by Patrolman Parker. The latter charges that the defendant interfered with the morning patrol to arrest two men for fighting the other night.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Curtis, of Washington City, are guests at the Portland, having arrived in the city last evening.

Mr. Curtis is the famous correspondent of the Chicago Record-Herald, perhaps the most widely-known newspaper writer in the world.

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 has never offered its patrons a more delightful production in every way than “The Girl 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.

EZRA KENDALL COMING.

Famous Comedian at the Marquand Grand Theater All Next Week.

Ezra Kendall has been surrounded by an excellent supporting company in his new play, “Weather-Beaten Benson,” which comes to the Marquand Grand Theater next week, beginning Monday, August 28.

MOST SUCCESSFUL FLIGHT

GREAT SPEED ATTAINED AND SHIP CONTROLLED.

Captain Baldwin’s “City of Portland” Covers Mile in About Three Minutes.

The embryonic science of aerial navigation scored a point at the Lewis and Clark Exposition yesterday morning when the airship “City of Portland” made the most successful flight yet effected at the Exposition.

Thousands of people saw the flight and joined in cheering the successful feat as Avonport Lincoln Beechey made a safe landing in identically the same spot from whence he had ascended.

Upon reaching a point over Centennial 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.

Mr. Curtis 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.

AT THE THEATERS

M’EWEEN TONIGHT.

Big Success of World-Renowned Entertainer at Marquand Theater.

The Meier & Frank Store An Important Rug Sale

1000 Rugs of different styles and grades comprise a rug sale economical housekeepers are interested in—The best values in inexpensive rugs we have ever offered



300 Australian Wilton Rugs, Oriental color combinations; size 27x54 inches; \$2.00 values. \$1.58

Handsome, serviceable Fibre Rugs, dainty colorings and artistic designs; two sizes at very low prices—

27x60 inches for \$1.47 36x72 inches for \$1.87

500 Reversible Smyrna Rugs, fringed on both ends; foral and Oriental designs; big variety to select from—

26x54 inches, \$1.25 values \$.83 30x60 inches, \$1.50 values \$.97 36x72 inches, \$2.00 values \$1.52

Custom Shade and Drapery work our speciality. Best materials and workmanship; lowest prices guaranteed. 3rd floor.

Couch Covers at Low Prices

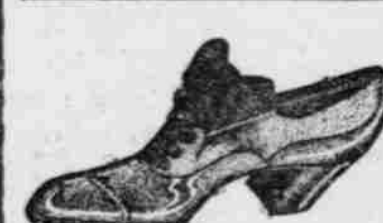
Heavy double-faced Tapestry Couch Covers, Oriental designs and colorings, 60 inches wide by 3 yards long; best patterns and big variety; our reg. \$4.50 values for. \$3.38

Bagdad Stripe Couch Covers, double-faced, best patterns and colorings, 60 inches wide by 3 yards long. \$3.00 values, on sale for. \$2.15

\$1.50 Oriental Striped Couch Covers, fringed all around; 50 inches wide, 3 yards long; great value at. 98c

\$8.75 Khiva Couch Covers, Oriental patterns, beautiful styles; 60 inches wide 3 yards long; grandest value in a high-grade cover ever offered. \$4.89

Clearance Sale of Women’s Oxfords



Women’s Low Shoes are being cleaned up at prices far below manufacturing cost—Best styles and leathers in two of the most popular grades—The details follow

Women’s Low Shoes in patent oiled, vici kid, patent tip, light and heavy soles tan Russia calf Oxfords and brown vici kid Oxfords; high, low and medium heels; regular or Blucher cut; new up-to-date footwear at less than manufacturing cost; all sizes and widths; every pair Johnson Bros.’ best \$3.00 product; your choice. \$1.72

Women’s Goodyear Welt Low Shoes, in patent oiled lace Oxfords, patent kid Blucher Oxfords, vici kid lace Oxfords, vici kid ribbon Oxfords, and tan Russia calf Oxfords; all sizes and widths; regular \$3.50 values for pair. \$2.22

Entire stock of Men’s \$3.50 Tan Oxfords for pair. \$2.38

Men’s \$5.00 Tan and Patent Leather Oxfords, pair. \$3.55

Entire stock of Norman & Bennet’s high-grade Sporting Oxfords for Men, marked at greatly reduced prices.

Sale of Boys’ Clothing



Boys’ all-wool 2-piece doublebreasted Suits in dark mixtures, ages 8 to 16 yrs.; reg. \$3.50 and \$3.75 values for. \$2.60

Boys’ Percalé Blouses, best patterns and colorings, all sizes, \$1.00 values. 75c

Boys’ 2-piece Suits, good serviceable mixtures, well made, ages 8 to 15 years; regular \$3.50 values for. \$1.98

Entire stock of Boys’ Washable Suits, Russian blouse, sailors, kilts, very best styles and materials; all wash pants at one-half price. Half-Price

New line of Reefers for boys and girls, ages 2½ to 12 years; latest styles and materials at prices from \$5.00 to \$12.50.

New Fall Suits for boys—sailors, Buster Browns, Russian blouse, etc., \$3.50 to \$10.00 a suit.

Young Men’s Suit Spec’ls

Our entire stock of Young Men’s Summer Suits on sale at great reductions—materials and styles the best, many of which are desirable for Fall wear—

Young Men’s \$10.00 Suits for, each. \$6.95

Young Men’s \$12.50 Suits for, each. \$8.85

Young Men’s \$13.50 Suits for, each. \$9.35

Young Men’s \$15.00 Suits for, each. \$10.95

Young Men’s \$16.50 Suits for, each. \$12.15

The “August Linen Sale”

Continues to offer the finest Table Linens at prices that must interest every housekeeper

All our 50c grades of bleached satin damask Table Linen, very best patterns, in great variety: 78c sale price, yard. 78c

All our \$1.25 grades of bleached satin damask Table Linen, full 72 inches wide, new patterns; sale price, yard. \$1.08

All our \$1.50 grades of bleached satin damask Table Linen, 3 yards wide, superior quality and patterns, yard. \$1.28

\$1.80 grades of bleached satin damask Napkins at, dozen. \$2.18

\$1.50 grades of bleached satin damask Napkins at, dozen. \$2.08

7c grades of hemstitched damask Traycloths, each. 62c

5c grades of hemstitched damask Traycloths, each. 52c

Fringed Marseilles patterns white Bedspreads; great values, very best patterns, superior quality, each. \$1.43

Bleached hemmed Turkish Bath Towels; 5c grades for this sale, each. 27c

High-grade sets satin damask Table Cloth and one dozen Napkins to match, all nicely hemstitched. Special values at—

\$10.00 Table Sets for. \$ 7.15

\$12.50 Table Sets for. \$ 9.20

\$15.00 Table Sets for. \$10.95

\$20.00 Table Sets for. \$14.10

Notions and Toilet Article Specials

4-lb. bars of White Castile Soap, largest piece soap made; great special value at this price, bar. 39c

Pure White Castile Soap and Wash Cloth for. 7c

Hard rubber Dressing Combs, coarse and fine, each. 8c

Pure Bay Rum, superior quality; great special value. 19c

Shampoo for washing and cleaning the scalp. 12c

Wood back Hair Brushes, gray bristles, special, each. 19c

Violet Sachet Powder, extra strength, special, ounce. 39c

Ideal Hair Brush, best money can buy; \$1.00 value. 89c

Hand or Stand Mirrors, plate glass, special. 8c

World’s Fair Toothpicks, best wood pick made, package. 4c

Pure Machine Oil, extra quality, guaranteed not to gum. 4c

Satin Skin Cream, none better for the complexion, box. 19c

All Toilet Articles sold here at the lowest price.

Principal Agents for Butterick Patterns and Publications

200 New Walking Skirts

\$10 Values \$3.95 On Sale Tomorrow

Another unusual bargain in women’s high-grade Walking Skirts, 200 of them, a special purchase from a well-known manufacturer at less than half their real value, a duplicate of the splendid lot offered two weeks ago and which you bought us out of before half the day had passed—All are high-grade skirts, plain and fancy mohairs, Panama cloths, and cassimeres, 40-pleat skirts, kilt effect, handsomely tailored, desirable materials, black, brown, navy, tans, plain colors and figured, light and dark mixtures—Only 200 of them, every skirt \$10 value, your choice \$3.95 tomorrow, see Fifth-St. window display, ea.



All White Suits at Half-Price

Our entire stock of White Suits and Dresses on sale at one-half regular prices; high-grade White Linen Suits; plain tailored and embroidered effects; this season’s leading styles, values \$7.50 up to \$44.00, at. Half-Price

White mull, organdie and net Dresses; very handsome creations; 1905 styles; made up very prettily with lace. Half-Price

Women’s madras, percale and galatea Shirtrwaist Suits, skirts kilt effect and full flare; all the best colors and combinations, \$3.50 values, on sale for. \$1.68

Bargains in Silk and Wool Suits. Second Floor. Misses’ and Children’s Apparel at very low prices.

Men’s Fall Suits \$12.50 to \$35

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 double-breasted suits of the latest cut, fancy worsteds, fancy tweeds and chevots, unfinished worsteds, clays, cassimeres, etc.—Prices range from \$12.50 to \$35.00.

New Top Coats and Raincoats

New Top Coats for early Fall wear, fancy mixtures, plain and fancy overts; very newest fashions; best values in the city at \$30.00

New Raincoats, the genuine “Priestley” Cravenettes far rain or shine wear, new dark, fancy mixtures; also silk mixtures in gray and olive shades; \$12.50 to \$30.00

Specials in Picture Dept.—2d Floor

A select assortment of unframed Water Colors, mounted on white and gray mats, sizes 10x14 inches and 14x17 inches; values from 75c to \$1.25. Great special value at. 55c

A yard of flowers framed in one-inch gilt frames, with fancy corners; special value at. 98c

7x9 and 8x10 colored Medallions, 45c values. 29c

Colonial Dames, framed in colored passepartout, size 7x9 inches; best 25c and 35c values for. 19c

Picture Framing to your order at low prices.

Specials in Knit Underwear

Women’s fine ribbed Hilo Union Suits, high neck, long sleeves, ankle length, high neck and quarter sleeve, or low neck, no sleeve, knee length, hand finished. Values at \$1.25 to \$1.50. Regular \$1.25 values for this sale at. 85c

Women’s knee-length Hilo Tights, fine ribbed, pink, blue or black. Great value at. 41c

Women’s Hilo Union ribbed Hilo-Thread Vests, low neck, no sleeve, white, pink or blue; all low price. Value at. 23c

Glassware

Some Very Special Values

Jelly Tumblers, each. 2c

Covered Jelly Glasses, each. 2c

Thin-blown Table Tumblers, each. 4c

Engraved Table Tumblers, each. 5c

8-inch Berry Dishes, each. 10c

4-inch Sauce Dishes, dozen. 45c

Handled Jelly Dishes, dozen. 65c

12-inch Glass Vases, each. 11c

6-piece glass Table Sets, butter dish, sugar bowl, creamer and spoon holder, set. 52c

8-inch footed Fruit Bowls, set. 45c

Bargains in nickel-plated ware of all kinds—Basement.

Wash Goods Bargains Today

2000 yards of cotton Batistes, Dimities and Swisses, immense variety of patterns, all this season’s styles, the greatest wash goods value of the season. 8c

15c value, yard. 8c

1500 yards of white striped Lawns and Dimities, prettiest styles for waists and suits; extraordinary bargain at, yard. 8c

2500 yards of white mercerized Waists; this season’s very best patterns in great assortment; unannounced bargain, 49c value. 21c

40 white novelty Waist Patterns, embroidered effect in very desirable patterns, only 40, remember, so come early! If you want one Regular \$1.50 values on sale for, each. 59c

Cotton Etamines and Voile Suitings, in the very best styles; 25c values at the wonderfully low price of. 16c

Cotton Homespun Suiting in great variety; regular 15c value for the extraordinary low price of, of, yard. 11c

Elbow Length Silk Gloves 87c a Pair

Special offering of 40 dozen women’s elbow length, all pure silk double-tipped Gloves in white, champagne, reseda, pongee, cardinal and brown. The quality and style other stores ask \$1.25 a pair for. Choice today, pair. 87c

Mail Orders Will Be Filled. See the new Washable Glaec Gloves, latest styles and shades; every pair guaranteed perfectly satisfactory pair. \$1.75

“Peninsular” Steel Ranges

The best America produces; made of planished steel, constructed by the most improved methods; 50 per cent more heating and cooking capacity than any other make; 30 models; every one guaranteed for ten years. Parties of good credit can make arrangements for easy payments. “Peninsular” Cook Stoves and Heating Stoves. Best line in the city.

A Great Sale of Muslin Underwear

The great manufacturers’ sale of fine Lingerie is the opportunity of the year to buy dainty Corset Covers, Skirts, Gowns, Drawers, and Chemise at remarkably low prices—Immense assortment, prettiest styles and every garment has the Consumers’ League label

Cambrie nainsook and muslin Gowns, 85c to \$6.50 values, on sale for 50c to \$4.18

Cambrie, nainsook and muslin Drawers, values from 35c to \$2.25; on sale for the low price of; pair. 22c to \$1.89

Thousands of the daintiest Corset Covers, immense variety; values 40c to \$5, on sale for, each. 27c to \$3.12

White Petticoats, values up to \$35.00, all at wonderfully low prices. Every good style is included. Second Floor.



Specials in Men’s Furnishing Goods

Men’s muslin Nightshirts, made extra large, plain and fancy trimmed; also plain, heavy trilled cotton Nightshirts. The styles and quality most stores ask 75c for; sale price. 43c

Men’s plain blue and tan chambray Golf Shirts, all sizes; best \$1.00 values on sale for. 69c

Men’s colored border hemstitched handkerchiefs; regular 10c values; for the low price, of each. 4c

Men’s Windsor Ties in plain and fancy silks, plaids, dots, stripes, figures; 25c and 35c values. 18c

Men’s fancy half Hose, the very latest novelties in plaids, jacquards and embroidered effects, all sizes; regular variety; 35c to 50c values, pair. 25c

Men’s Four-in-Hands, Bowes, Middie, String Ties, best silk, patterns and colorings in great assortment; 50c values for the low price of. 25c