

WHY WILSON FELL

Borrowed Money From Kribs and Did Not Repay.

HIS SECRET SERVICE WAYS

Land Office Did Not Like His Placing Himself Under Obligations to Big Timbermen He Was Investigating.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Aug. 28.—Intimacy with Fredrick A. Kribs, the Oregon land operator, who was "good to Senator Mitchell," has cost Special Agent George F. Wilson his job in the general land office.

Asked why he had made this loan, Wilson replied that it was his method of doing good secret service work. He believed if he could get big timber men under obligations to him and could get on intimate terms with them, he could better serve the government than if he was unknown or distant.

The department failed to see things in this light, especially as Wilson had made another big loan back in South Dakota, which he likewise failed to repay, so his services were discontinued.

Wilson was a Rhode Island man. About the time the complaint was made against him by Kribs, he was transferred to New Mexico. The department has no concern over Kribs' money; he must take his own means to recover from Wilson.

ALBERS RESISTED THE LAW

Merry Tells Cause of American's Arrest in Nicaragua.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—A cablegram received at the State Department from Minister Merry, dated at San Jose, Costa Rica, today, says that Albers, the American citizen arrested in Nicaragua, is in comfortable quarters, and is allowed to receive his friends in jail. He has also been permitted to visit his own house twice and has retained two lawyers, who may consult with him.

A mail report received today from Mr. Merry, dated at San Jose, August 19, gives the information called for by the State Department as to the cause of the arrest of Albers. It appears from Mr. Merry's report that only one man of that name was involved in the trouble.

Quick-Meal Steel Ranges are built just as heavy as is necessary, with the metal distributed in the manner that will do the most good. The walls are so well lined with asbestos that no heat is lost, but is radiated to the points where it is most needed.

OLD'S, WORTMAN & KING STORE. "THE DIFFERENT STORE" Fifth, Sixth and Washington Streets. THE FOREMOST DEPARTMENT HOUSE WEST OF CHICAGO. VISITORS ARE URGED TO ENJOY EVERY PRIVILEGE OF THIS GREAT STORE TO THE UTMOST.

Linens, Towelings, Bedspreads and Wash Goods. Great Reductions All Along the Line. Domestic Aisle—First Floor. \$6.00 LINEN TABLECLOTHS, \$4.78—About 15 fine Irish linen Tablecloths, border all around, 2 yards wide, 3 1/2 yards long, pretty new patterns, very durable; regular value \$6.00; special, each, \$4.78.

Welcome THAT IS GENUINE. An advertising critic in a recently published article says that in store advertising generally there is a great lack of feeling displayed, and notes especially the fact that the word WELCOME is very seldom used.

Special Sale of CHINAWARE AND OTHER HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS. Austrian China Dinner Sets, \$18.00. 100-piece new Austrian China Dinner Sets, \$15.00.

New Arrivals in Lace Curtains. Including Brussels and Renaissance effect Cable Net, Cluny, Arabian, real Brussels, Battenberg, Ruffled Net and Ruffled Swiss, and novelty effects; more than 500 different styles to select from. Come and see them.

SPECIAL PRICE On the Celebrated Quick-Meal RANGES. Quick-Meal Steel Ranges are built just as heavy as is necessary, with the metal distributed in the manner that will do the most good.

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR. EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS TO CLOSE THE MONTH. \$1.50 Value for 39c. Women's extra size, medium-weight, White Silk and Cotton Vests and Pants.

Extra New Laces and Trimmings for Fall. We have a very handsome showing of new Laces and Trimmings, and although the stock is seemingly complete, many others are coming in rapidly.

Ladies' \$5 Umbrellas for \$2.98. Ladies' fancy Plaid Umbrellas, covered with pure silk in the sweetest blue and green plaids. All have the best steel rods with the double improved lock-rib Paragon frame.

Beautiful Ribbons. In endless variety: Roman stripes, fancy plaids, Dresden effects, embroidered ribbons, silk and satin Taffetas. As fine a showing as you ever saw and suitable for millinery purposes, ties, girdles, sashes or dress trimmings.

Special Demonstration of Asbestos and Irons Today on Third Floor. Housewives Are Especially Invited to Attend. Watches Cleaned and Warranted One Year for 75c.

All the New Coats. Long Coats, Short Coats, Automobiles and All the Rest. Our advance showing can best be expressed by the words of one privileged to see the goods on display: "It's simply wonderful."

Men's Toggery. First Floor—Annex. MEN'S 25c HOSE FOR 15c. A line of Men's Plain Black Sox of Maco yarn, with high-spliced heels and double soles; extra value at 25c. Special at the pair, \$1.50.

SPECIAL PRICE THIS WEEK \$34.50. A Dainty Lunch Served Free On Third Floor. Come and sup with us on the toothsome delicacies our demonstrator serves FREE on the Third Floor.

New Fall Catalogue. For out-of-town folks is almost ready. Send your name and address. It will be mailed free. GREAT Hosiery Values. Cut Prices That Will Thrill the Hosiery Aisles.

NEW HATS For Immediate Wear. We have just received a new shipment consisting of patent leather polos, sailors and colonial shapes, trimmed in patent leather, quilts and gold ornaments; splendid hats for street wear, for the Fair and for Autoing.

Fine Corset Covers for Half-Price. Odd and broken lines of Corset Covers, made of Cambric or fine Nainsook, in full-front style and trimmed daintily with lace and embroidery; our regular values from 35c to \$1.75. SPECIAL AT HALF PRICE.

Fall Carpets. New Goods Just In. We are showing a new line of Carpets in the new Fall styles that is far ahead of any previous Portland carpet exhibit.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—At the present rate of progress in the work of improvement, it is expected that three months will see the Grand Central station razed and work begun on the magnificent structure which is to replace the only railway terminal at present existing on Manhattan Island.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Harrison Bros. and Bert Morris, owners of the dock at the foot of G street, which has been used for a ferry approach, have decided since the completion of the toll bridge across the Chehalis River to extend the dock, and several hundred feet are being added in order to accommodate ocean traffic.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. SICK HEADACHE. Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating.

"The Governor" PINGREE-MADE MEN'S SHOES, FORMERLY \$5.00, ON SALE Today for, Pr. \$3.49. Nothing but high-grade stock in any of these Shoes. In the lot are all kinds of leathers and all shapes; now going at the uniform price of \$3.49.

25c Hose for 16c. Women's Black Lace-Front Hose, with fancy cross-stripe, seamless—25c value; special at the pair, \$1.60. An Extra Hosiery Bargain. For fine trade. Women's Extra Fine Gauge Black Maco Cotton Hose, German make, full finished, white cotton sole; a hose that good judges of hosiery will surely appreciate—35c quality; special at pair, \$5.00.

NEW FALL DRESS GOODS. Remarkable Showing in Our Dress Goods Annex—First Floor. New Colored Dress Goods for Fall are now in, and here, without doubt, you will find the latest collection of every new weave and color shown west of Chicago.

Another Opportunity to Buy Children's Colored Wash Dresses -- AT -- Half Price. In Baby-to-Miss Salons. Winter goods are coming in very early this season, and we need the room for them.

Gold Rings. Jewelry Aisles—First Floor—West Annex. GOLD RINGS FROM 25c TO \$1.50. Just received a large shipment of Wm. Loeb & Co.'s Solid Gold Sherry Rings in the newest and handsomest designs.

Men's \$3.50 Shoes For \$2.45. Men's Tan Russia Calf Half Shoes; beautifully made; stylish, reasonable—Regularly \$3.50; now going for, \$2.45. Women's \$3.00 Shoes For \$1.98. Women's Black Vici Kid Boots, from one of the leading and most reliable manufacturers and sold for \$3.00; on sale today at \$1.98.

Misses' Hosiery 19c. Women's Black Ribbed Black Hose; finished foot, elastic, lined-spliced knee—35c, 30c and 25c qualities; special at the pair, \$1.90. Misses' Ribbed Black Hose; finished foot, elastic, lined-spliced knee—35c, 30c and 25c qualities; special at the pair, \$1.90.

"ROYAL" Worcester Corsets. We have just received another large shipment of the famous Royal Worcester Corsets and among them came some of the new Fall models. They must be seen and examined to be fully appreciated.

HALF PRICE ON CHILDREN'S HATS AND BONNETS. Our stock of Children's Hats and Bonnets in Mull, Chiffon and Lace, ribbon trimmed, was never so pretty as it has been this season. While the stock is somewhat broken at this time, there is still a good assortment from which to select and regardless of former prices we have reduced them all to HALF PRICE.

GUARANTEE. All Rings stamped W. L. & Co. are warranted to wear a year's constant use. Those that fail to give satisfaction will be replaced in any store in the United States where W. L. & Co.'s Rings are sold. WM. LOEB & CO. Makers of Rings, Providence, R. I. Date of Sale, August 29, 1905.