

# COLLEGE CALLS WIFE, ERMA GALT

### Awakened at Night That She May Enjoy Quarrel, Says Weary Engineer.

## HIS CARESSES DISLIKED

### Husband, Seeking Divorce, Declares He Is Taunted and Sworn at, Stepmother Accused of Cruelty to Husband's Children.

W. G. Collinge, an engineer for Schwarzschild & Sulzburger, has added his divorce complaint to the list now awaiting trial in the Circuit Court. He declares that his wife, Anna Collinge, has a most violent temper, which asserts itself so persistently that she will even awaken her husband at night in order to quarrel with him. He is continually taunted and sworn at, he says, so that life with her has become unendurable. When she flies into a rage it is dangerous, he asserts, for him or anyone else to be near her.

He tells of one occasion when she bought a bottle of laudanum and carried it about in her apron pocket while preparing supper, drinking it soon afterwards in an adjoining room. Collinge says only his prompt action in administering an antidote prevented her attempt at suicide from being successful. Collinge says he has frequently been told by his wife that his careses are distasteful to her, that all she desires is the money and clothing he furnishes. Of late she has refused to live with him as his wife, he says.

He tells of her return of February 10 from a trip to Washington lasting several months. She filed to see him, he says, of her arrival, and purchased needless clothing and finery to the amount of \$94.60. Collinge says his health has been ruined by the stress of his work. He married her April 23, 1907.

### Wife Said to Be Cruel Stepmother.

The divorce suit of August H. Johanningsmeyer against Caroline Johanningsmeyer, in which he accused his wife of strangling his 14-year-old daughter, was among those tried by Judge Brown yesterday. When Johanningsmeyer was married he had four daughters and a son. On the witness stand yesterday he testified that he had been beaten his children with sticks, and that in a fit of anger one day took his daughter by the hair and forced her head into a basin of water, holding it there until the child was unconscious from strangulation.

His eight-year-old son, Henry, was placed on the witness stand and when asked by the attorney if he understood the nature of an oath, and knew what would happen to him if he failed to tell the truth, he replied laconically that he would "go to hell." He told of the way his stepmother treated his sister, and said further that she "treated a butcher knife in her hand and told him she would kill him with it if she did not fear the judge." He said he had been in jail for it. The Johanningsmeyers were married in Boone County, Ill., February 2, 1907.

### Man Divorced While in Hospital.

Michael Johnson secured a divorce from Hattie Johnson, the decree being granted by Judge Brown yesterday. They were married in Vancouver, Wash., in June, 1902. Johnson declared that he went to California with his wife for his health in October, 1902, intending to return in a short time to Oregon. But on their way back, in the Spring of 1904, he was compelled to go to the City and County Hospital at San Francisco, where he remained until December, 1904. In April, while he was there, his wife left him.

### Mrs. Dickerson Seeks Alimony.

R. T. Dickerson, recently tried in the Circuit Court for the murder of Harry A. Garrett, is again in court. Martha E. Dickerson, his ex-wife, filed a petition yesterday for alimony. She is declared in contempt for having violated an injunction issued by Circuit Judge Morrow, restraining him from selling or mortgaging his property during the pending of his wife's divorce suit. The petition asks also that W. A. Kirtz, S. J. G. Young and G. N. Barker be declared in contempt for having participated in the mortgaging of the horses, wagons and tools used by Dickerson in his contracting business. Mrs. Dickerson asks that the court appoint a competent person to sell \$200 worth of the property that she may have a lien for her immediate needs, and that this person manage the business that it may return a profit and she may secure the alimony ordered by the court, which she says Dickerson has failed to pay.

Anna Edith Lashbaugh filed a divorce suit yesterday against George Henry Lashbaugh. She says she has been cursed and abused for the last four years. Early last month she asked him, she says, if she might pay a visit to her friend, Gertrude Skoog, at Oak Park, for a week. He consented, she says, but in three days called upon her and told her to take away her personal belongings, that he did not intend to live with her any more. He is often grossly drunk, she asserts. She married him February 16, 1906.

### TRAMP BURNED WITH TIES

Charred Body Found Beside Railroad Track Reveals Old Tragedy.

LA GRANDE, Or., March 4.—(Special.)—The charred and blackened remains of an unknown man were today discovered a few miles north of here beside the railroad.

It is believed the man was a tramp and that an accident pinned him under a pile of old ties, from which he was unable to extricate himself in time to save himself when they were burned.

### CALIFORNIA BODY GROWS

Golden State Branch of Y. M. C. A. Spends \$1,535,000.

Throughout California the Young Men's Christian Association has gained 35 per cent in membership and in the scope of

its work, during the past two years, according to L. B. Rhodes, Oregon-Idaho secretary of the Y. M. C. A., who returned last night from Sacramento. Mr. Rhodes attended the 25th annual state convention, February 2 to 7, at Sacramento, and had a prominent part in its program.

Besides its membership gain, Mr. Rhodes said that the Association had erected seven new buildings, costing \$35,000, in California during the past two years. These do not include the San Francisco and Oakland buildings, now under way, which will involve an expenditure of \$1,000,000.

"The feature of the California convention was the attendance of men prominent in the business world," said Mr. Rhodes. "In this respect the convention reflected a condition that is found everywhere. Several millionaires were among those who showed by their presence their interest in Y. M. C. A. work."

The convention included reports of commissioners on the following four important subjects: "Relation of the Association to Young Men and Boys in the Churches," "Relation of the Association to the Immigration Problem," "Relation of the Association to Young Men and Boys From the Country," "Relation of the Association to High School Boys."

Mr. Rhodes will probably participate in the dedication next week of the new Y. M. C. A. building in Eugene. This is the finest Association building in Oregon, and is located in Portland. On his return he announced that the Potlatch Lumber Company, of Potlatch, Idaho, has decided to erect a Y. M. C. A. building for its employees. This company is a Weyerhaeuser concern and will put up a \$10,000 building.

## POLICE SEEK SWINDLER

### MAN WHO PASSED AS "PATTEN, WHEAT KING," WANTED.

### Clever Ruse Works on Unscrupulous Credulous Who Dabble in Stocks Only to Lose Money.

Who and where is James A. Patten, the alleged "wheat king" whose swindling operations were called to the attention of the police last night?

Through his bold effrontery and suave mannerisms the venerable old man is said to have succeeded in bilking various parties out of sums of money on the pretense of purchasing market stocks at a profit. The extent of his operations are unknown. He is believed to have fled from the city since the announcement was made Monday through telegraphic dispatches that James A. Patten, stock manipulator, whose earnings in that regard soar well up in seven figures, was to retire from active business life.

The alleged "Patten" according to himself, recently came to Portland from California. He sought out the real estate office of R. Peterson & Co., 226 1/2 Morrison street, where he made his headquarters. To the members of the firm and their customers he posed as "James A. Patten, the wheat king, incognito." As a reason for wearing shabby clothes, "Patten" averred that he was endeavoring to keep away from the newspaper men so that he might get a little rest.

For several days he quartered in the real estate office of Peterson & Co., becoming acquainted with customers. To these only did "Patten" confide his "real identity." Each one he approached was willing to take a fling at the stock market, and at his solicitation, several gave him money with which to purchase blocks of marketable stocks on Wall street. From one to two hundred dollars were advanced, and was seen to take a "handful of gold coins" with which he promised to "put him on the inside of the stock market."

Following this transaction "Patten" abandoned his haunts in the real estate office and has not been seen since. Connected with the case is a man named the apparatus game of "high finance" foisted upon one of his customers, Peterson filed himself to police headquarters, "Patten" averred that he had no money. A minute description of the man has been furnished the police.

## WALL FALLS; MAN DIES

### FRANK WALKER, LABORER, IS CAUGHT BENEATH BRICKS.

Exceeding Orders, Workman Said to Have Proceeded Too Far With Removal of Foundation.

Caught under a falling wall of brick which he had weakened at the base so as to permit its demolition, Frank Walker, a laborer 21 years old, was fatally crushed at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon and died while being conveyed to a hospital yesterday. He was the corner of Fourth and Alder streets, where workmen are tearing down old buildings for a new structure. The coroner will hold an inquest today.

From all accounts the tragedy was the result of the man's failure to follow instructions given by Foreman West in charges of the work for the contractor, C. J. Cook. The wall was 12 feet high and 12 inches thick. A rope had been attached to the top of the wall, and workmen had been trying to pull it over. Failing to accomplish this, orders had been issued by Foreman West to weaken the wall by the removal of one brick at the foundation.

Next to Walker at the base of the wall was Price Davis. The two were at work following out the foreman's orders, when Walker said that he had cut a hole clear through. "Don't do that," shouted Davis, but Walker weakened the wall too much and it will fall on us.

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## \$500,000 NEEDED FOR BOULEVARD

### Terwilliger Roadway Figure Is Big Surprise to Authorities.

### CITY ZOO TO BE REMOVED

Complaints of Residents in Nob Hill and Portland Heights Districts Heard—Apparatus for Playgrounds Ordered by City.

An outlay of more than \$500,000 will be necessary for the construction work and payment of claims for property in the construction of the Terwilliger boulevard, which is to be the connecting link between the park on the West Side to the south end of the city.

This became known yesterday when the final report of the board of appraisers, of which D. E. Keay was chairman, was made to the Park Board.

After hearing the report, opening bids for construction work and listening to brief remarks by representatives of the booster clubs of South Portland and Fulton, Mayor Simon announced that the subject would be taken under consideration by the members of the board.

The figures prove rather a surprise. It had been hoped the boulevard could be built for less, including the property to be appropriated for use and damages to be paid for other ground partially consumed.

### Only Two Bids Made for Grading.

The Board received but two bids for the grading, which is the work to be done on the proposed boulevard. These were from Glöckel & Joplin and E. T. Johnson. Mr. Johnson did not comply with the advertisement, as he did not inclose a certified check for 10 per cent of the total amount of his bid. About \$30,000 will be the cost of this work. The bids were referred for tabulation.

Owing to complaints by residents in the vicinity, the big zoo maintained for many years in the City Park will be removed to a more remote place. Councilman Kells made a bid for the animals. He wants them placed in Columbia Park, on the Peninsula, in the Tenth Ward, which he represents. Councilman Baldwin also wants the animals sent to his district, which comprises a large section of South Portland and all of Fulton and the territory south to the city limits.

In any event, no more live animals of any kind will be bought by the city, as the sentiment of the Board at this time is that there is not acreage enough properly to care for a zoo in the possession of the city now. It is the plan, however, ultimately to provide proper space for a first-class zoo.

A bill of \$500 from Olmsted Bros., landscape architects, for laying out the boulevard and park system, came as a surprise to Mayor Simon and the members of the Board. They had supposed the services were ended long ago and that they had been paid in full.

### Olmsted's Services Passed.

He will be paid and his services discontinued, as the Board does not wish to continue him in its employ. The scheme of parking and of laying boulevards having been completely laid out.

A contract for enough playground apparatus to equip two small parks for children was awarded to A. G. Spalding & Co. It will be delivered in time for use this summer.

It is the purpose of the Mayor and members of the Board to have several of these playgrounds for children in operation this season.

## CONTRACTS FOR GAS MAINS AND CLUSTER LIGHTS AWARDED FOR LAURELHURST

### The Addition with Character

Have you ever realized how few additions possess all the essentials of a high-class residence section and how many have but one or two of the strong features to hide the lack of others equally important? Many additions advertise that they have this or that excellent feature; but when you are looking for a high-class home-site, you want the one that gives you every feature, in the way of improvements, car service, location, view, etc., and this is just what Laurelhurst does. It is the most highly improved, ideally located residence addition in Portland. Read the following letter:

PORTLAND GAS & COKE COMPANY  
FIFTH & BAINHILL STREETS  
PORTLAND, ORE., February 26, 1910.

Laurelhurst Company,  
522 Corbett Bldg.,  
City.

Gentlemen:  
Beg to acknowledge receipt of two executed contracts entered into with your company and the Portland Gas & Coke Co. for the installation of gas mains and cluster lights in the Laurelhurst Addition.

Contracts for the pipe necessary has been let, and we certainly shall do everything to expedite the work of getting these mains installed.

Very truly yours,  
J. M. Raper,  
Portland Gas & Coke Co.,  
Manager.

This is the last contract for improvement work to be let in Laurelhurst. Every contract is now awarded and it is only a question of a very short time before every improvement will be finished. Asphalt streets, cement walks, 9-foot parkways, water, gas, sewers, cluster lights and shade trees are all scheduled to be completed by August 1, 1910. There are only a few lots left, however, in the section of Laurelhurst now on the market, and they will soon be gone. See this property at once in our autos or take Montavilla or Rose City Park cars—both these lines run to and through the property. Deal with any of our authorized agents if you prefer.

## REMEMBER

### ONLY 11 DAYS LEFT BEFORE PRICES RAISE \$200 TO \$300 ON EVERY LOT PRICES POSITIVELY ADVANCE ON MARCH 15TH

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Waldfield, Fries & Co.  
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Buff-Kleinberg Land Co.  
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Chapin & Herlow.  
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Eugene, Or., Agents  
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Send to California Fruit Growers' Exchange  
34 Clark Street, Chicago, Ill.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

A. O. Hunter, of Bend, is at the Seward.

J. S. Grant, attorney at McMinnville, is in the city at the Nortexton.

Rev. W. G. Smith, of Wolf Creek, is among the arrivals at the Perkins.

F. A. Garrison, of San Diego, arrived in the city yesterday for a short stay.

Dr. C. E. Wade and J. H. Delaney, from Drain, are at the Cornelius for the week end.

J. B. Cartwright, proprietor of the Seaside Hotel, is among those registered at the Imperial.

J. A. Ackerman, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, reached the Imperial last night.

Edwin I. Payle, residing at Bridgeport, Conn., is at the Cornelius while looking for an Oregon home.

J. E. Ferguson, engaged in building and construction contract work at Astoria, is staying at the Imperial.

Edgar Hafer, owner of a large amount of timber land in the vicinity of Medford, is staying at the Portland.

Miss Olive Shook, of Mason City, Ia., arrived at the Lenox yesterday, where she is the guest of relatives.

C. H. Callender, largely interested in the cannery business at Astoria, was among the arrivals at the Portland yesterday.

J. Curry and wife, of Nova Scotia, are among the arrivals at the Cornelius and will visit in Portland several days.

L. E. Merton, Seattle member of the Portland member of Merton & Huggison, was among the arrivals at the Oregon yesterday.

Henry B. Hazard, Immigration Inspector at the Port of Seattle, was in the city yesterday and registered at the Nortexton.

J. B. Callahan, traveling auditor for the Northern Pacific, with headquarters at Tacoma, is among the arrivals at the Nortexton.

J. C. Mansfield, connected with the management of mining interests in the Coeur d'Alene, is among the arrivals at the Perkins.

R. P. Bonham, connected with the Immigration Service at Astoria, came to the Portland yesterday and was engaged at the United States Court during the day.

## ANNEXATION TO BE URGED

### Oak Grove Improvement Association Plans to Raise Funds.

At the meeting of the Oak Grove Improvement Association B. Lee Paget gave the following as the dividing line between Multnomah and Clackamas counties in the event of the annexation of the territory north of the Clackamas River:

Beginning at the mouth of the Clackamas River and following its course two miles beyond Egan's, and thence east on the section line to the eastern boundaries of the county. The division will embrace that part of the county on the west side of the Williamette River and will take in Oswego, but the line will not extend further south than the Clackamas River. Mr. Paget said that the annexation campaign would cost about \$2000, and suggested that the money be raised by subscription.

George W. Stapleton, of Portland, is the secretary of the association.

## SILENCE!

The instinct of modesty natural to every woman is often a great hindrance to the cure of womanly diseases. Women shrink from the personal questions of the local physician which seem indelicate. The thought of examination is abhorrent to them, and so they endure in silence a condition of disease which surely progresses from bad to worse.

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