

MATCHES TEND TO IMPLICATE SMOKE

Lents Man Still Held in Jail During Investigation of Dynamite Explosion.

NOVICE PLACED CHARGE

Accused Man Denies Knowing About Explosion Until Next Day, but Match Found Near Fuse is Same Kind as in Pockets.

Although no formal charges have yet been preferred against him, John H. Smoke is still confined in the County Jail, and the net of circumstantial evidence connecting him with the dynamiting of Elsworth Piper's home in Lents about 1 o'clock Sunday morning is being drawn closer by Sheriff Stevens and Deputy Sheriff Leonard.

Perhaps the strongest bit of evidence of a circumstantial nature, aside from the fact that the dynamite was found in the house of a match, the head and half the length dyed red. While this sort of a match is not uncommon, it is not the kind usually sold at the stores.

This match was found at the end of the fuse which connected with the dynamite charge, and about ten matches of the same kind were found in Smoke's overcoat pocket just after his arrest.

Smoke Denies Hearing Explosion. Until recently the suspected man had a room in Portland, but lately he has been living in a small building a short distance from the Piper residence.

Piper Curtains Up. One of the curtains at the Piper residence was up a few inches, so that a person outside the house could have easily watched the persons within.

As to Smoke's cruelty to his wife, he denies ever having beaten her, but his son declares that he did beat her one morning while drunk.

LEG IS BROKEN; \$5000 ASKED Judge Cleland Denies Non-Suit in Damage Case.

The Chapman Timber Company is being sued by Judge Cleland yesterday afternoon in Judge Cleland's department of the Circuit Court. Jorgensen demands \$5000 for injuries sustained while at work on the company's logging road.

County Clerk Changes Made. Tom Norton, clerk of the Justice Court, has been appointed as deputy clerk.

False Arrest Damage Suit is Lost. L. A. Porter has lost his suit against the American Surety Company and others for \$10,000 damages on account of false arrest.

Card of Thanks. For the beautiful floral offerings, and for the sympathy and assistance of friends and neighbors in their recent bereavement of beloved wife and mother.

Half Dozen Small Crimes in Various Parts of City Reported to Police. Sneak thieves and petty thieves worked freely in Portland yesterday, judging from the reports of small crimes received by Captain of Detectives Moore.

HELP THE CENSUS WORK.

Work of taking the Federal census begins next Friday, April 15. Be it repeated: The duty of every citizen is to aid the enumerators. Help to expedite the work by answering questions promptly.

Landlords of family hotels, keepers of boarding-houses and lodgers should be prepared to render distinct service by preparing lists prior to the visit of the enumerator.

Once more: Report all absences to the office of Supervisor Beach, Lumber Exchange building, Second and Stark. Phones Marshall 1422, or Home A 7213.

CHURCH TO PRESENT GIFT

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar E. Courson Will Be Honored With Silver Service.

A reception to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar E. Courson will be given at the First Presbyterian Church.



Edgar E. Courson, Who For 20 Years Has Been Organist at First Presbyterian Church.

by the church tonight. This is the time for the regular post-communion social, when new members are welcomed into the church.

Mr. Courson, who is a professor in the Portland Academy, was born in Sacramento, Cal., in 1861. He began the study of music at the age of 6 years in San Francisco.

LOCAL BOOKMAKER CAUGHT

"Tip" Ryan Alleged Violator of Gambling Laws; Given Bonds.

As the result of investigations made by Deputy Constable Klernan, "Tip" Ryan, a well-known local racing expert, was arrested yesterday.

The matter will no doubt be brought before the grand jury at an early date. Data collected by young Blum and which will probably be given to the jury shows that Ryan, in partnership with Jack Cullison, conduct a racing handbook in an office somewhere in the city.

A complete investigation into the conduct of the handbook and the various places where bets have been accepted for it will follow.

A Healthful Hint. A bottle of the Hood Brewing Company's famous Book Beer to ward off that tired feeling. Phone E 129, E. 132.

Petty Thieves are Active. Half Dozen Small Crimes in Various Parts of City Reported to Police.

Swish-off goes you stiff hat! Not if it's a one-sixteenth size in the Knott Gordon—a perfect headfit.

PORTLAND CALLS CITIZENS TO AID

Taking of Census More Important Problem Than Civic Bodies Realize.

SEATTLE WORKS OVERTIME

Already Agents Are Laboring in Depots Securing Information From Travelers That Sound City's Population May Be High.

With but three days left before the millions of Supervisors Seneca C. Beach are abroad in the land for the purpose of ascertaining the population and growth of the City of Portland, only spasmodic efforts at co-operation have been offered by citizens.

Many Off to Mining Camps.

Probably 200 men from this city have gone to the fisheries of Alaska for the season, and in some cases every member of a family are in the party; hustling for business on the "road," are more than 1200 commercial travelers who will pass through the City of Portland.

It is believed that if these people shall not be lost to the census enumeration some effective organization must be organized in the remaining days before work begins.

How Seattle is Working.

"As I came through the Union Depot Saturday I was waylaid by two different agents of their organization and asked for my name and address, and was told it was for census purposes.

Seven different cements, guaranteed to stand hot or cold water, heat, frost and most chemicals. For mending rubber goods, china-ware, cut glass, celluloid, leather, wood, etc. Demonstration, 3d floor.

"Sahlin" Perfect-Form, "Marquise" "Howd" and Rengo Belt Corsets Royal Worcester & Bon Ton Corsets—Ladies' Home Journal Patterns

Wonderful Bargain Days at The Greater Olds-Wortman-King Store



Great Sale of New Colored Madras Lace Curtains

All the newest patterns and most artistic colorings. Special designs for the hall, dining-room, den or library; also for side drapes, with lace curtains. On special sale at:

- \$5.00 values, the pair, \$2.95
\$6.50 values, the pair, \$3.50
\$8.50 values, the pair, \$4.75
\$10.50 values, the pair, \$6.75
\$13.50 values, the pair, \$8.50
\$15.00 values, the pair, \$9.50
\$18.00 values, pair, \$11.00
\$20.00 values, pair, \$12.00

Hand-Made Lace Bed Sets

A general sale of hand-made Renaissance Lace Bed Sets, with separate lace bolster piece; large assortment of new, attractive patterns, mounted on high-grade, heavy French net, at these prices:

- \$10.50 values for only \$ 8.25
\$22.00 values for only \$14.75
\$25.00 values for only \$16.75
\$27.00 values for only \$17.75
\$30.00 values for only \$19.50
\$32.00 values for only \$21.50
\$45.00 values for only \$29.75
\$50.00 values for only \$32.75

Boys' Blouse Waists at 25c

A most extraordinary value in good quality gingham and percale waists for boys 4 to 10 years of age. The patterns are in neat stripes and conventional designs; very 25c specially priced at, each 25c

"Fix-It" Cements and Glues

Seven different cements, guaranteed to stand hot or cold water, heat, frost and most chemicals. For mending rubber goods, china-ware, cut glass, celluloid, leather, wood, etc. Demonstration, 3d floor.

A Great Sale of a Carload of Brass

A mammoth purchase made by our Mr. Olds when at the factory a few weeks ago. The largest shipment of brass goods ever brought to Portland. A whole carload of Jardinieres, Fern Dishes, Candlesticks, Trays, Loving Cups, Jugs, Ash Receivers, etc., and hundreds of small fancy articles, displayed in window and on tables in the department, Third Floor. You are cordially invited to inspect them.

- Jardinieres: Beautiful new designs in Hammered Brass, on special sale as follows: \$1.50 values \$1.03, \$2.00 values \$1.38, \$2.75 values \$1.92, \$3.00 values \$2.18, \$4.00 values \$2.79, \$5.00 values \$3.49
Fern Dishes: Very artistic patterns in Fern Dishes. Good, heavy hammered brass. 80c values for 55c, \$1.10 values at 78c, \$1.50 values \$1.03, \$2.00 values \$1.39, \$2.50 values \$1.75, \$4.50 values \$3.15
Candle Sticks: New ideas in hammered brass and smooth-molded candlesticks. Prices: 35c values for 24c, 60c values for 42c, 90c values for 63c, \$2.00 values \$1.39, \$2.50 values \$1.75, \$2.75 values \$1.92

Nothing is more appropriate for gifts, favors, card party prizes, etc. For the bachelor's quarters, an ash tray or smoker's stand, an umbrella stand, loving-cup or tray; for the home, a jardiniere, trumpet vase, hanging gipsy kettle, solid brass flower basket, card tray, fern dish, candlestick or jug.

- Brass Trays: For serving, for card receivers, for platters. 40c values for 25c, 90c values for 63c, \$1.10 values at 77c, \$1.35 values at 94c, \$1.50 values \$1.03, \$4.00 values \$2.79
Loving Cups: Very artistic models for decorating, gifts, etc. Priced at less: \$1.50 values \$1.03, \$2.50 values \$1.72, \$3.00 values \$2.19, \$1.65 Hammered, Brass Jugs \$1.15
Ash Receivers: For men who smoke; have one in your den; it's such a comfort and relief to your guest who smokes. Prices: 50c values for 34c, 80c values for 56c, \$2.40 Hammered, Brass Jugs \$1.68

Mammoth Sale of Women's Suits 1/4 Off



Today we inaugurate a most sensational sale of Wool Tailored Suits, \$50.00 and up. The finest garments in our store without reserve. You can pick from the racks any Wool Suit costing \$50.00 or more and save 25 per cent. This means:

- A \$50 Suit for.....\$37.50
A \$60 Suit for.....\$45.00
A \$75 Suit for.....\$56.25
A \$100 Suit for.....\$75.00
Be among the first comers and 1/4 save.....

White Rock. A crystal-clear beverage of Nature's distillation, sparkling with Purity, Healthfulness and Pleasure. "The World's Best Table Water" In New Sterilized Bottles.

White Rock advertisement featuring a bottle illustration and promotional text.

Pacific Stationery & Printing Co. advertisement with promotional offers and contact information.

Wenatchee Gets Editors. Washington Association Will Hold Convention in June.

Auto Scorcher Fined. Ten Penalized by Judge Bennett for Exceeding Speed Limit on Sunday.

Missionary Body to Meet. Methodist Women to Assemble in Semi-Annual Session Today.

Madison Bridge Will Be Done Too Soon to Warrant Expense.

County Clerk Changes Made.

False Arrest Damage Suit is Lost.

Card of Thanks.