

SMITH MYSTERIES AS REEL AS EVER

Grand Jury Hears Undertaker Deny Responsibility for Disappearance.

CEMETERIES ARE VISITED

Bodies Buried by Mortician Under Suspicion May Be Dug Up by Authorities in Effort to Determine Woman's Fate.

Grand jury investigation of the mysterious disappearance of Mrs. Hannah Smith on the night of May 8...

With all the papers belonging to the Swedish widow, which were in his possession at the time he handled...

Mrs. Edmunds Before Jury.

Mrs. Clara Edmunds, who declares that she saw Mrs. Smith enter and leave Erikson's undertaking establishment...

Detectives Visit Cemeteries.

Detectives Sloan and Endicott have visited all the cemeteries in and around Portland...

The letter which Erikson wrote to F. W. Lebeck of Los Angeles, and which the police of that city have mailed to Portland...

INNOCENT MAN CONVICTED

Confession of Real Thieves Results in Release of Harry Dewey.

SEATTLE, Wash., May 27.—In the Superior Court today an order was issued setting aside the conviction...

REPUBLICANS TO GATHER

Assembly Gaining Favor With Douglas County Members of Party.

ROSEBURG, Or., May 27.—(Special.)—F. E. Alley today issued a call for a gathering of Douglas County Republicans...

Good Things in Portland Markets

BY LILLIAN TINGLE. OREGONIAN strawberries, of the "un-suspected" kind—firm, sweet, juicy and fine flavored...

WOODBURN FEARS NO EPIDEMIC.

WOODBURN, Or., May 27.—(Special.)—The report that the City of Woodburn is quarantined on account of scarlet fever...

CLATSOP SUE FOR TAXES.

SALEM, Or., May 27.—(Special.)—Assistant Attorney-General L. H. Van Winkle today filed the complaint in the case of the State of Oregon versus Clatsop County...

oranges, apples, pineapples and bananas at unchanged prices.

The young and tender carrots and turnips make good Spring dishes...

A small quantity of celery hearts may still be had at 25 cents a bunch...

There are good Spring chickens and Spring ducks to be had...

There are still plentiful, low priced and delicious, large fish costing only 10 to 25 cents each...

Other available fish are black cod and sole at 12 1/2 cents; founders and perch at 10 cents each...

Butter prices are about the same as last week; eggs are slightly higher...

STRONG TEAMS ENTERED

EACH SCHOOL PREDICTS VICTORY IN TODAY'S MEET.

Interscholastic Events Attract Unusual Attention—Contests Open at 2 o'clock Today.

Every school that has a team entered in today's big Portland interscholastic track and field meet...

The big meet last year was won by the Washington High School...

The half mile relay race which will be the last event on the programme...

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NEW HOUSE IN PLAN

Klaw & Erlanger Will Have Theater Here.

LOCAL CAPITAL MAY JOIN

Syndicate Will Be Represented in All Cities of Northwest by January 1—New Version Given of Break With Cort's Circuit.

Portland is to have a new theater and one to be governed and leased, if not actually owned, by Klaw & Erlanger...

That local capital is waiting to jump into the hands of Klaw & Erlanger to invest in a local theater...

Mr. Cooke was confident that there would be no need for Klaw & Erlanger to raise the funds themselves...

From this it would appear that one result of the theatrical war has been to turn Klaw & Erlanger from being producers and agents...

Mr. Cooke gave the K. & E. version of the "split" between Cort, Heilig & Co. and the "trust"...

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NEW PERKINS Fifth and Washington Sts. Opened June, 1908.

A hotel in the very heart of Portland's business activity. Only hotel equipped with wireless telegraph.

THE IMPERIAL Oregon's Greatest Hotel

850 Rooms, 104 Baths, With Private Bath. NEW FIREPROOF BUILDING. Moderate Rates.

THE PORTLAND PORTLAND, OR. EUROPEAN PLAN MODERN RESTAURANT

Special rates made to families and single gentlemen. The management will be pleased at all times to show rooms and give prices.

HOTEL OREGON CORNER SEVENTH AND STARK STREETS

Portland's New and Modern Hotel. Rates \$1 per Day and Up. EUROPEAN PLAN. WRIGHT - DICKINSON HOTEL CO., Props.

NORTONIA HOTEL ELEVENTH, OFF WASHINGTON ST. BEAUTIFUL GRILL ROOM

European Plan. Our Best Meets All Trade. Sample Suites with Baths for Commercial Travelers. MODERN COMFORTS. MODERATE PRICES.

THE CORNELIUS "The House of Welcome" corner Park and Alder.

Portland's newest and most modern hotel. European plan. Beginning May 1st our rates will be as follows:

THE SEWARD Corner 10th and Alder

The leading hotel of Portland, opened July 1909. Modern in every detail, furnished in elegance.

HOTEL RAMAPO Corner Fourteenth and Washington New Hotel, Elegantly Furnished

Rates \$1.00 and Up Special Rates for Permanents. European Plan. "Bus Meets All Trains."

HOTEL LENOX E. D. and V. H. JORGENSEN Props. and Mgrs.

Hot and Cold Water. Long Distance Phone in Every Room. Rates \$1.00 and up.

THE WOODS HOTEL European Plan \$1 & \$1.50 Per Day

Our Table D'Hotel is a Feature. In heart of business district, center of city, half block from G. N. Ry. and N. P. Ry.

VANCOUVER, B. C.

AMERICAN PLAN \$2.50 Per Day. "It's All Comforts." Our Table D'Hotel is a Feature.

FUNERAL NOTICES

JENSEN—May 27, at the family residence, 1540 13th street, Mrs. Otella Jensen, aged 34 years.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATE

Daily or Sunday. Per Line. One line 100 words... Same ad two consecutive times... Same ad three consecutive times...

TONSHEP FLORAL CO. FLORAL DESIGNS

Dunning & McEntee, Funeral Directors, 7th and Pine, Phone Main 419.

ZELLER-BYRNES CO. Funeral Directors

EDWARD HOLMAN Co. Funeral Directors, 429 Alder, Phone Main 933.

J. P. FINLEY & SON, 3d and Madison

Erickson Co.—Undertakers; lady assistant, 429 Alder, Phone Main 933.

LERCH Undertakers, cor. East Alder and 6th, Phone 281.

AMUSEMENTS PORTLAND THEATER

Every Evening This Week At 8:15. Wed. Sat. 2:30. MBE, Alva Bennett and G. L. Baker.

Fra Diavolo

BAKER THEATER M. A. ASHBOO Geo. L. Baker, Manager.

Expheum

THEATER 15-25-50-75-100 WEEK MAY 23—Lily Lena, Comedienne; "The Code Book"; Paul Spadoni; Lyons and West; Wolf and Zedella; Pictures; Orchestra.

GRAND Week May 23, 1910

World's Greatest The 4 Trocadero. Juggler. Wolf, Moore and Young.

LYRIC THEATER

Seventh and Alder Streets. THIS WEEK ONLY. LATEST ANIMATED PICTURES.

MASONIC TEMPLE

Return of the Brilliant Plans of FRANCIS RICHTER

Baseball RECREATION PARK.

COLUMBIA LODGE No. 514, A. F. AND A. M.—Special communication this (Saturday) evening at 8 o'clock.

MEETING NOTICES

OREGON LODGE No. 101, A. F. AND A. M.—Special communication this (Saturday) evening at 8 o'clock.

UNCALLED - FOR ANSWERS

ANSWERS ARE HELD AT THIS OFFICE. PLEASE RETURN ANSWERS CHECKS AND MAY BE HAD BY PRESENTING YOUR CHECKS AT THE OREGONIAN OFFICE.

OREGON HUMANE SOCIETY

PRESIDENT, Main 212. SECRETARY, Main 599. HUMANE OFFICER, East 477.

Tillamook Country Store

HOTEL AND FEED BARN, centrally located in a thriving dairy community.

Tillamook Dairy Farm

of 150 acres, 5 miles from Tillamook City, 1 1/2 miles from cheese factory and school.

To Lease Morrison Street

Fine store on Morrison, near Second street. A long lease to desirable party. Apply.

HARRY WOOD, In meat market on Second St.

NEW TODAY

\$7000 50x100, 3-room house, 1124 Thurman; modern; Willamette Heights.

\$10,000 40x100, 7-room house, Market, bet. 13th and 14th.

\$21,000 50x100, N. W. corner 7th and Hall. Income \$1200.

\$40,000 50x100, Kearney and 15th.

\$76,500 75x100, 267-69-71 First St. Income \$2700.

\$76,500 100x100, Hoyt, bet. 17th and 18th. Income \$4200.

\$36,500 50x100, Front st., bet. Madison and Main. Income \$1920.

S.T. Hanawalt

424 Fourth of Trade. Office—Main 6543. Residence—Main 1029.

\$16,000

A nice corner on 23d, well improved, bringing in \$100 per month.

\$4500

50x100 on Overton street.

KEASEY HUMASON & JEFFERY

14 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Greenway Lots

110x110 GRAND VIEW This tract is level and is the best buy in Lower Greenway today.

\$1000 Per Acre 13 ACRES

West Side, in Mountain View Park. Adj. to Maclay Park. For a short time only. One-half cash will handle.

Lambert-Whitmer Co.

70 Fourth Street.

West Side RIVER VIEW ACREAGE

27 minutes' ride, 5c fare; \$250 up; 10 per cent down, 2 per cent monthly.

Glen Harbor Realty Co.

431-432 Mohawk Building.

10 ACRES ON PENINSULA

Price \$21,000, One-Half Cash. Fronting on railroad and deep water, in active business center.

Holladay's Addition

The one BEST place in Portland to buy. GEOGRAPHICAL CENTER and MOST DESIRABLE residence property of the city.

Central Oregon

MADRAS, REDMOND, BEND, PRINEVILLE, LAIDLAW.

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Fine store on Morrison, near Second street. A long lease to desirable party. Apply.