CHARGE AGAINST WOMAN PRESSED

Prosecutors Seek to Fasten Federal Crime Upon Lodging-House Keeper.

Writ of Extradition Is Issued for Matrimonial Bureau Agent, Held in Scattle-George Davenport Held as Witness.

Following the conviction on "white glavery" charges of George Kavalin. James Tokas and Dave Westman, and the trial of Al Nathan, the indictment of a woman and two chauffeurs by the County grand jury, and the narrow es-cape of "Queenie" Fence, on similar charges, a new lead along the same line was developed in Municipal Court Jesterday when Mrs. Alice Patterson. prietor of a rooming house at Third and Salmen streets, had a hearing in connection with the delinquency of

connection with the delinquency of Emma Lane, 15 years old.

The prosecution will endeavor to prove that Mrs. Patterson shared with Emma Lane the proceeds of the girl's life of infamy, and that the older woman sent the girl to Kelso, Wash., in violation of the Federal law against

interstate "white slave" traffic.
Mrs. Patterson has conducted a rooming house 23 years. She declares that she knows nothing of the girl's alleged immorality and employed her at the rooming house simply as a chamber-aid. The hearing was nostroned un-The hearing was postponed un til today. Tom Thorsen, of the Anti-Saloon League, and Mrs. Lols. G. Baldwin, of the Department of Public Safety for Women, are pressing the

Girl's Career Stormy.

The girl was formerly Emma Niridge. She worked in a cracker factory at Seattle. That she became the subject of the machinations of white slave dealers there is intimated by the prosecuting officers. She fled from Seattle in company with Tim Lanc, an agent for a "matrimonial bureau," a few for a "matrimonial bureau," a few weeks ago, and was brought by him to this city. The pair lived together in a Bouth End rooming house until Lane married her, deserting her immediately afterward. He fled to Scattle and was arrested. Extradition papers were is-

After Lane's flight, George Davenport, a youth employed in a pressing establishment, acting at the request of the girl's mother in Seattle, took care of her and attended her through a seof her and attended her through a se-vere lilness. Charges were placed against him and he also went to Seat-tle, but hearing of the charges sur-rendered himself to the police of that city. They refused to hold him, and he returned here, surreadering at the Police Station Sunday afternoon. It is believed that he is wanted principally as a witness, and that the charge will be dropped after Mrs. Patterson's case is disposed of. The charges against is disposed of. The charges against Lane were taken up by the grand jury

Cox Sustains Mrs. Buldwin.

cials and Mrs. Baldwin's department was brought about by Mrs. Baldwin's action in this case, but has been amicably disposed of. Mrs. Baldwin, after laying the case before Chief of Police Cox, telegraphed personally to Chief of Police Wappenstein, in Seattle, in relation to the arrest of Lane. Chief Cox, asking him by what authority Mrs. Baldwin communicated with him over the head of her superiors. Neither Mrs. Baldwin nor Chief of Police Cox would discuss the case at length yesterday. The Chief said that Mrs. Baldwin had acted properly under the cirand Mrs. Baldwin's department win had acted properly under the cir-

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Evidence that disreputable men are
again congregating in this city reached
Chief of 'Police Cox yesterday and
warning was given all police officers
and detectives to be on the lookout.
The report is that numerous men have
recently arrived here, including one or
more Frenchmen who were ordered out
of the city a few months ago. Instructions were issued to arrest these men
on vagrancy charges.

SKITS KEEP EDITORS BUSY

Press Club Will Present Souvenir

Washington Lodges.

OLYMPIA, Nov. 29.—No fraternal or beneficiary society in the State of Wash-ington has any power or authority to admit to its membership any person over is years of age, by dispensation, by-laws or otherwise, according to an opinion handed down by Attorney-General Bell, who maintains that the state law is man-datory.

PERSONAL MENTION.

S. D. Evans, of Roseburg, is at the

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mooor and Mrs. in the Spring.

H. M. West, of Shaniko, are at the W. N. Rickeron, of Hopewell, is at the Lenox.

E. Thorson, of La Grande, is regis tered at the Perkins A. W. Norblod, of Astoria, is regis-tered at the Cornelius.

A. C. Elliott, of Pittsburg, Pa., is egistered at the Lenox. Miss Juliet Greer, of Corvailis, is taying at the Portland. B. K. Lawson, of Cottage Grove, is registered at the Oregon. Henneth L. Cook and C. E. Rupp, of

dicton, are at the Oregon Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Leland, of Eugene. re staying at the Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Blahop, of Hood River, are at the Imperial. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Walts, of Los Angeles, are staying at the Lenox. Mrs. D. W. Dexter, of White Salmon Wash, is staying at the Cornelius.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Bean and Mrs. J. K. Weatherford, of Albany, are staying at the Imperial. CHICAGO, Nov. 29. - (Special.) --Northwestern people registered at ho-From Portland-C. F. Woody, at the Great Northern; M. C. Woodard, at

the Lassile.

From Bend-Mrs. J. O. Johnston,
Samuel Johnston, at the Congress.

From Hood River-Mr. and Mrs. C. R.
Bone, at the Congress; H. C. Allen, at the Great Northern. From Albany-J. M. Hawkins, at the

SALOON FINE AFFIRMED

CIRCUIT COURT RULES SUNDAY CLOSING LAW VALID.

Monroe Bolich Must Pay \$200 for Violation of State Code-Legal Points Are Settled.

Judge Gatens decided yesterday that the act of 1854, providing that saloons must remain closed on Sunday, was not repealed by the Legislature of 1885, and that therefore the act is in full force. He did not go into the question of the constitutionality or unconstitutionality of the act, however, on the ground that the title does not ecompletely set forth the intent of the aw, and that therefore, when a Legisator voted on the bill he might not have known its purpose. This was one of the points urged by Lester W. Hum-phreys and John H. Stevenson, counsel for Monroe Bolich, the saloonkeeper who was arrested for keeping his place open on Sunday. His saloon was at 40 North Sixth street. He was fined \$200 in the Municipal Court, and the case was appealed to the Circuit Court. Judge Gatens affirmed yesterday morning the decision of the lower court.

It was one of counsel's contentions that the Code Commissioners of 1872. in taking out section 5 of the act of 1854 and making it part of the Code of Criminal Procedure, acted without

of Criminal Procedure, acted without authority of law, and that it should have been made a part of Title I. Chapter 21, of the Deady & Lane Code. This section has since remained in the Criminal Code, later compilers copying it from Deady & Lane. When the Legislature repealed Title 1, Chapter 21 of the Deady & Lane Code, they the Legislature repealed Title 1, Chap-ter 21, of the Deady & Lane Code, they also repealed this section which was arbitrarily removed from the original law, according to counsel's contention.

Judge Gatens said:

"For the reason that the Legislature of 1885 made no reference to section 685 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, which was in effect at that time, and being of the opinion that had they intended to repeal the law pertaining to the closing of saloons on Sunday, they would have made reference to that section, I feel that the contention of appellant, that the act under which the defendant was convicted is unconstitutional, is not well taken."

LAWYER'S CHARGE OF BRUTAL-ITY IS DISBELIEVED.

Saloonkeeper Who Interferes When Patrolmen Question Boy Says His Money Was Stolen.

Investigation by the grand jury of the Investigation by the grand jury of the manner in which prisoners are handled in the North End by police officers was threatened in Municipal Court yesterday morning by Attorney Albert B. Ferrera, arguing for the defense of John Qualiza, who was arrested by Patrolmen Burri and Johnson on charges of being drunk

Press Club Will Present Souvenir
Book on "Night Off."

From now until the night of December 19, when the Fortland Press Club will present its holiday frolic. "A Night Off."

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WIDE, LONG BERTHS.

On Great Northern Shore line express On Great Northern Shore line express, portland to Puget Sound and Vancouver, B. C., 11:20 P. M., daily, from Hoyt-street station, Eleventh and Hoyt streets. Other trains leave 10 A. M. and 5 P. M. Tickets, sleeping and parlor car reserva-tions, city ticket office, 122 Third street and at depot.

Mines to Work All Winter.

SUMPTER, Or., Nov. 29.-(Special.)-At SUMPTER. Or., Nov. 29.—(Special.)—At three mines near Sumpter, where the snow is often 10 feet deep on the level, work will be carried on all the Winter with crews of from 15 to 29 men. A new power drill plant has been installed at the level, and the tunnel is progressing at the rate of 10 feet a day. There are laborers brought suit in the Circuit the Ibex, and the tunnel is progressing at the rate of 10 feet a day. There are laborers brought suit in the Circuit cornellus.

Dr. C. E. Wade, of Drain, is at the cornellus.

Dr. David Robinson, of Mosier, is at the Ocegon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moe'r and Mrs.

Man Accused of Robbing Bank at Gresham in Court.

SOME TESTIMONY HEARD

Fireman Tells of Giving Punches to Defendant - Deputy Sheriff Says He Found Them at Scene of Trial.

Frank Wayne, alleged robber of the Gresham State Bank, went to trial before a jury in Judge Morrow's department of the Circuit Court yesterday morning. The jury was secured before noon, and a part of the state's testimony was taken before adjournment last night. E. Schwedler, a milkman living near Gresham, discovered early on the morn-ing of January 8, 1967, that the Gresham bank had been entered. He found three doors broken, the door into the street, the door leading to the counting room, and the door to the vault. He left word at the telephone station to call up A. Meyers, proprietor of the bank, and notify him of the affair. Both Schwedler and Meyers were in the witness-stand yesterday and told how the speel door of the vault was found to have been blown up with nitro-glycerine. It was found, however, that the thieves did not succeed in reaching the money in the vault, of which there was between \$1000

Blacksmith's Tools Gone

D. A. Hart, who was at that time proprietor of a blacksmith shop two blocks from the bank, said he found in the morning that his shop had been broken into, and some of the tools taken. He afterward found a coldchisel, drill bits, a sledgehammer and a steel bar used

for cutting bolts, at the bank.

A fireman employed at the firebouse adjoining the police station, who was fined \$150 for selling stamps stolen from the Sellwood postoffice, was upon the witness-stand, and told of ordering two punches from the captain of the fireboat. These were made, he said, and turned over to Wayne and a pai in Tom Sellwitz select between three and six for cutting bolts, at the bank. Fallon's saloon, between three and six weeks before the bank robbery.

The fireman was given a close cross-examination by sein F. Logan associated with R. L. Blewett as Wayne's

Punches Are Found.

Deputy Sheriff Leonard took witness stand to tell of finding the punches on the floor at the Gresham Bank. He said he placed file marks upon them so that he could identify them if it became necessary.

It was through the efforts of Sheriff Stevens and Deputy Leonard that Wayne was first arrested for complicity in the robbery of the Sellwood postoffice. He robbery of the Sellwood postoffice. He was sentenced in the Federal Court on four counts to ten years imprisonment, but after corving three years was Toleased because the court held that he served four terms concurrently. Frank Kelly and one Anderson were indicted him for the Gresham bank rob-When he was released from Mc-Nell's Island, he was re-arrested on the

Neil's Island, he was conter charge.

The jury which is trying him is composed of A. H. Harding, W. L. Enyart, Charless J. Allen, J. Beck, John M. Bacon, J. O. Hanthorn, G. C. Stanard, J. F. Horning, John Mair, J. A. Addleman, Charles Porth and A. W. Hammersmith, Charles Porth and Charles P Deputy District Attorney Pitzgerald and Assistant United States Attorney Cole are prosecuting the case.

John F. Scott Sues for \$2500.

Alleging that the false representations of E. W. Kimble and Harry F. Kimble induced him to deed over two lots in block 8, Reservoir Park Addition, John F. Scott brought suit in the Circuit Court yesterday for the recovery of \$2500 damages. He says it was on January 10, last, that one of the kimbles offered him a \$2500 note nigned by H. F. Carstens, saying that Carstens was worth at least \$25,000, that he owned property in Cowlitz County, Wash, and a wheat farm in Eastern Washington. Scott accepted the note for the lots, he says. Kimble transferred his property to his wife. Scott alleges, placing it beyond the reach of the law.

Hannah Morris' Estate Is Closed.

Joseph N. Teal, executor of Hannah Rodney Morris' estate, was discharged.

Joseph N. Teal, executor of Hannah Rodney Morris' estate, was discharged by County Judge Cleeton yesterday, his final account having been accepted and the estate closed. He was allowed the estate closed. He was allowed \$1500 executor's fees, and \$1000 additional for special services. The receipts of the estate were \$22,340.52 and the disbursements \$19,193.51. This left real with a balance of cash on hand amounting to \$12,148.71. Judge Cleston

Boy Taxi Victim Dies.

For alleged permanent injury of his left leg by being run over by a taxicab. Frank Jones, 3 years old, brought suit in the Circuit Court yesterday through his mother, and guardian ad litem, Jennie Z. Jones, to recover \$1500 damages. The Portland Taxicab Company is the defendant. The accident occurred at Fourth and Washington streets August 30. The auto ran over his left leg below the knee and his head struck the curb. He was in the hospital for two weeks.

did not materialize. They were sent to Klamath Falls on November 11 to work for Erickson & Peterson, they allege, but had to return to Portland

Church Cause of Divorce Suit.

Mrs. Nora A. Salstrom refused to go to church with John A. Salstrom, her husband, or to allow him to go without her, according to his allegations in a divorce complaint filed in the Circuit Court 7 caterday. They took the marriage 70w at Red Bluff, Cal., April 16, 1892.

Circuit Court Notes.

K. F. Ludington, wife-beater, who has been in Jail since August 23, was paroied yesterday after being sentenced to serve four months in the County Jail by Presiding Judge Cleland. He admitted beating Grace Ludington. His wife secured a divorce while he was in Jail. Judge Cleland made one of the terms of the paroie that he stay away from his exwife to avoid trouble.

F. H. Lasher pleaded not guilty in the Circuit Court yesterday to a charge of obtaining money by false pretenses, and his case was set for trial February 7. It is alleged that he passed a bad check

It is alleged that he passed a bad check for \$25 on M. C. Adkins.

C. L. Meracle was arraigned yesterday on a charge of obtaining 519 from N. W. Rountree November 7 by falso pretenses, and will enter his plea Friday. Meracle is to years old and was arrested at Fourth and Washington streets yesterday by Deputy Sheriffs Bulger and Leonard.
Albert Schell was arraigned on a
charge of assault with a dangerous
weapon October 31, on George Schmidt.

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Judge Gantenbein decided yesterday
that the Municipal Court was right in
convicting Viola Lee of conducting a
disorderly house, and in fining her \$100.
He affirmed the decision and the fine.
Judge Gantenbein gave Maud V. Tatro

ROADS IMPASSABLE IN COOS AND DOUGLAS COUNTIES.

Postoffice Inspectors Have Complaints and Consider Abandoning Service.

Cities and towns served by "star cities and towns served by state route" mail deliveries in Oregon may be côt off because of poor roads. The Winter season has advanced to the point where many roads are now almost impassable and mail carriers are sending in their annual batch of complaints. Unless better roads are provided for mail carriers, it was intimated in the postoffice inspector's office vesterday, the Government may fice yesterday, the Government may adopt a system applied to cities—that no deliveries of mail shall be made to districts that do not provide sidewalks, treet lights street names and numstreet lights, street names and num-

G. W. Prior, who has the contract for carrying the mails between Oakland and Stephens, wrote a letter to the United States Marshal, which found its United States Marshai, which found its way to the postoffice inspectors, in which he charged that the road had been made impassable by the Southern Valley Land & Water Company digging a ditch and throwing all the dirt on top of the road.

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burg to Myrtle Folk.

These roads are so bad that the contract for carrying the mails was raised from \$14,000 to \$23,000 at the last award. The delivery of mail over these roads requires the services of 75 horses and 22 to 24 men, when the roads are good.

"These two roads, for the distance and the size of the cities they connect, are the worst in the civilized world," said one of the inspectors yesterday. "I do not base this assertion on my personal knowledge of the roads, but I have been over them with people from all parts of the world, and without exception they say they are the

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day are hauled over the roads and the people who are dependent upon such an amount of mail should certainly try to do something with the roads."

SISTER THERESA DEPARTS

Her Sanitarium at Oak Grove Is Deserted, Except for Caretaker.

Sister Theresa's sanitarium at Oak

Grove, which was in the public eye under charges of being improperly conducted, about a year ago, is de-serted and Sister Theresa is missing. A man who says he is the woman's brother, is acting as caretaker of the abandoned building. abandoned building.

Without authority from the Catholic Mithout authority from the Catholic hierarchy the woman who called herale self Sister Theresa, were the garb of a nun and supported her institution by begging. Charges of improper methods of securing support and of bad sanitary arrangements were made against the place and differences of opinion between Sister Theresa and physicians who had sent incurable consumptives to her, caused the busienss of the institution to fall away. stitution to fall away.

Holiday

woman suffrage amendment and that an employers' liability law will be passed almost unanimously. A bill for state initiative and referendum and restate in the Senate. A second choice provision of the primary law. The Legislature will meet January law.

Suggestions

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