

MRS. KRAUSS HAS ORDEAL IN COURT

Her Love Letters to Man She Is Accused of Shooting Are Read.

EX-HUSBAND IS WITNESS

Educator Says ex-Spouse's Fascination for Realty Broker, Who, She Says, Jilted Her, Has Driven Woman Insane.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 14.—Faced on the one hand by the man she is accused of having shot because of alleged broken pledges of love, money and marriage, and on the other by her husband, Dr. William Krauss, dean of the medical college of the University of Mississippi, Mrs. Daisy Turney Krauss underwent a spirit-breaking ordeal today in her trial on the charge of having attempted the life of Frank H. Griffith, a realty broker of this city.

Every detail of the relations between Griffith and the young former society woman of Memphis, Tenn., was gone into in her cross examination. Her letters—the first of which was written when she had known Griffith only a few hours before, and all expressing passionate love—were read to her and she was forced to admit that she had written them.

These were the same letters that formed the principal evidence in Dr. Krauss' successful suit for divorce in Vicksburg, Miss., several months ago. Yet Dr. Krauss is here to testify in favor of his wife, and to support her contention that the fascinations of Griffith had driven her mad.

Mrs. Krauss alleges that she shot Griffith because he had failed to pay back large sums he had borrowed while visiting her and her husband in Memphis, and also because he had failed to keep a pact arranged during that same visit to marry her when she had obtained a divorce from her husband.

The woman broke down twice during the cross-examination because she will continue on the stand most of tomorrow when a number of other letters will be introduced.

FRUIT UNION ORGANIZED

Oregon City Association Subscribes to Stock, Names Officers.

OREGON CITY, Dec. 14.—(Special.)—Final organization of the Oregon City Fruit and Produce Union was effected Tuesday afternoon, when a meeting of the stockholders was held in the parlor of the Commercial Club. Fifty-two shares of the capital stock were subscribed to, a set of by-laws was adopted and the following directors were elected: Marshall J. L. Lyle, J. S. Yoder, George DeBok, Benjamin Kuppenbender, C. W. Swallow, A. J. Lewis and George Waldron. The directors are to meet the following officers: President, George Waldron; vice president, Benjamin Kuppenbender; secretary, Marshall J. L. Lyle; treasurer, O. D. Eby.

WASHINGTON 'DRYS' LOSE

Prohibition Towns That Incorporate May Have Saloons

OLYMPIA, Wash., Dec. 14.—(Special.)—Towns that incorporate after the district in which they are located voters have a right to regulate and permit the sale of liquor inside the town without holding an election, says the Supreme Court in reversing the Superior Court of Skagit County, which had held Harry Peterson, a saloon-keeper, at McMurtry.

ROSE CITY PARK BENEFITS

First Modern Reinforced Concrete Schoolhouse Is Planned.

Rose City Park will be the first neighborhood to have a modern reinforced concrete schoolhouse. The Board of Education will so recommend in the next annual budget to the taxpayers' meeting of December 23. This was the announcement made at the meeting of the Rose City Park Improvement League held last night in the postoffice building on Sandy boulevard.

WITNESS IS TOO LATE

JESSE PARKER, CONVICTED, TO SEEK NEW TRIAL.

LA GRANDE, Or., Dec. 14.—(Special.)—Appeals for a new trial for Jesse Parker, based principally, it is said, on the evidence of a woman from Burns who did not testify in the case just ended, but who will be here with evidence which the defense considers very important and relevant, will be made to Judge Knowles within the next ten days.

BOYS TRAINING HARD FOR BOXING BOUT

Tris Holland, who meets Jack Duarte in a ten-round boxing exhibition at St. Johns tomorrow night, is training hard for the bout. He is in fine shape and is down to the middleweight limit at present and will ease up on his work today.

SOLDIERS' HOME NEEDS MONEY.

HALEM, Or., Dec. 14.—(Special.)—Two reports were received by the executive

LORD DECIES, AGED 46, ENGAGED TO GEORGE GOULD'S YOUNG DAUGHTER.



Miss Vivian Gould.

LONDON, Dec. 14.—(Special.)—The marriage engagement of Lord Decies and Miss Vivian Gould is officially announced. Miss Gould is the second daughter of George J. Gould, of New York. Lord Decies is 46 years old on December 5.

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BASKETBALL MATCH AT Y. M. C. A. RESEMBLES FOOTBALL.

Spartans Win From Hawthornes by Score 46-24; Play Replete With Accidents.

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BARNS DENIAL OPEN

Friends of Anti-Treating Law Spurn Other Regulation.

TACOMA "WET" ALL NIGHT

Mayor Fawcett and Supporters on Commission Defeat 1 o'Clock Closing Ordinance, Proposed by Opposition.

TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 14.—(Special.)—Friends of the Fawcett anti-treating ordinance, who are posing as sticklers for more stringent saloon regulations, today killed the Mayor's 1 A. M. closing ordinance. The vote in the Municipal Commission was three to two, the same as for the anti-treating ordinance, Fawcett, Lawson and Freeland having voted for the latter and today voting against the one o'clock measure. This leaves the saloons still with the right to remain open all night and every night except for the 24 hours of Sunday, which is covered by a state law.

Asked whether steps would be taken to regulate the hours of opening and closing saloons, Commissioner Freeland said, after the meeting: "I do not know just what will be done or whether anything will be done at present."

During the last few days, Mayor Fawcett says he has received a number of resolutions from churches, endorsing his anti-treating ordinance but a number of the resolutions also included an endorsement of the one o'clock closing ordinance. Introduced by his political enemy, Commissioner Roy.

None of the petitions asking the Council to repeal the anti-treating ordinance or to refer it to the people for approval was filed with the City Clerk today. About 2500 signatures have been obtained to the petitions, it is said. It was reported that one petition containing 150 names was stolen from the Annex Cafe Monday.

"JAG TRAIN" MENACE LOOMS

Bellingham Contractor Predicts Minority Will Not Be Dry.

Charles Lind, a contractor of Bellingham, Wash., which voted "dry" at the recent election, was at the Oregon Hotel yesterday, gloomy over the prospect of "jag trains" from neighboring cities that remain "wet."

"Billy Sunday is probably responsible for Bellingham's going 'dry,'" said Mr. Lind. "He held a meeting of six weeks there and carried the people away on the prohibition question. Sumas, Burlington and Sedro-Woolley, all within a radius of 25 or 30 miles, voted 'wet' and there is no doubt in my mind that we shall have the famous 'jag train' from those places. Bellingham voted 'dry' by 20 votes and I feel quite certain that the big minority will not become total abstainers. In the meantime 45 licensed saloons are put out of business. The city must remain 'dry' for two years, by that time I think the people will have had enough of it, just as they will have in Oregon."

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TETU RETURNS FROM EAST No City so Talked About as Portland, Says Realty Dealer.

MILWAUKEE MAY ENTER LINE LIKELY TO USE O. R. & N. RAILS, SAYS OFFICIAL.

FELLOW-OFFICER FELLED Father Sees Another Man With His Daughter and Shoots.

YANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 14.—(Special.)—Benson C. Condit, of Oakland, Cal., has filed notice of location or appropriation of 50,000 cubic feet per second of the natural flow of the Lewis river, of the North Fork of the Lewis river, 25 miles northeast of Vancouver, on the line between Clark and Cowlitz counties.

A. L. Tetu, general manager of the Realty Associates, who went East last June, returned to Portland yesterday, having visited the principal cities in the country and traveled 25,000 miles.

Entrance of the Milwaukee road into Portland over the tracks of the North Coast from Marengo to the Snake River and thence over the O. R. & N. lines westward, as suggested Monday by Julius Kruttschnitt, of the Harriman system, is very probable, said R. M. Calkins and George W. Hubbard, traffic manager and assistant general passenger agent, respectively of the Chicago Milwaukee & Puget Sound Railway, who arrived in Portland from Seattle last night.

HOUSTON, Texas, Dec. 14.—Mounted Officer Lubbock, of the city police force, today shot and probably fatally wounded James Fife, also a mounted officer of the city.