WOMAN CONFESSES JEWELRY THEFTS

Apartment House Burglaries Cleared Up by Arrest of Thieving Pair.

LOOT BEDECKS PRISONER

Alice Teater Says She Committed Robbery at Request of J. E. Morris While Posing as His Wife.

Burglaries in fashionable apartment-houses to the number of 10 or more, resulting in losses of several thousand dollars, have been cleared up through confessions of J. E. Morris and Alice Teater, who were arrested Wednesday night. The catch is said to be one of the best recently made by the department. The work was done by Detectives Mallet and Moloney. The Teater woman has been posing as Mrs. Morris.

Standing within a ring of her victims, all prominent persons, in the office of the clerk of the Municipal Court yesterday morning, the woman told the complete story of her operations with Morris.

"We dressed well," she said, "and though many saw us entering apartments, they did not dare question us, because they thought we were friends of the owners."

Thief Gives Up Diamonds.

"I stole your diamonds all by myself," boasted the woman, addressing the wife of Dr. T. C. Little, living at the Hyland apartments. As she spoke she wept, and unscrewed a pair of diamond ornaments from her ears, turning them over to the owner.

The woman thief, who is 24 years old and originally from Connecticut, said she fell in with Morris at the Burton Hotel last October, and soon afterward began posing as his wife. Later he began bringing home loot, and she was at length inveigled into accompanying him on his raids. Morris before taking up burglary was employed as salesman for a creamery.

"I don't know how many places we robbed," she said. "About 10, I guess, but we were in nearly every apartment-house in the fashionable quarter. Usually he went in while I kept watch. At Dr. Little's place he talked to the Swede girl while I went in. Didn't the girl tell you?" she asked Mrs. Little.

Tears Follow Laughter.

Laughing, weeping and by turns becoming stubborn and mute, the woman told all she could remember of the thefts. She showed a marvelous memory in relating to the victims the smallest details of their rooms.

"He sent me in and I went," she said. "I guess I was easy."

Morris was captured upon descriptions obtained from pawnbrokers who had bought part of the loot. When arrested he had on his person jewelry stolen Wednesday from Mrs. Charles Corser, living at the Parkhurst apartments. Mrs. Corser did not know she had been robbed till informed by the detectives. Finding himself surrounded by evidence, Morris went through the "slips" at detective headquarters and picked out seven which contained reports of crimes committed by him.

The cases of Morris and his companion will be taken direct to the grand jury.

DEMOCRATS ARE ADVISED

Names of Candidates to Be Written In Are Suggested.

In today's election, the Democrats expect to nominate candidates for every state and county office to be filled in November. Where one or more candidates has not qualified for nomination to an office, it is the plan of the members to write in the name of a Democrat.

To this end, Bert E. Haney, chairman of the Democratic state central committee; H. B. Van Duzer, chairman of the Multnomah County Democratic organization; George I. Smith, president of the Jackson Club, and F. C. Whitten, Multnomah County member of the state committee, held a conference and mailed postal cards to 5500 members of the party in this county, suggesting and recommending that unless they had some other choice, that they write the names of the following men on their ballots for the respective offices indicated:

Vice-President, United States Senator Chamberlain; Representative in Congress from the First District, R. G. Smith, of Josephine, or Charles W. Talmage, of Tillamook; Justice of the Supreme Court, Robert J. Slater, of Union; Dairy and Food Commissioner, William Schulmerich, of Washington; Sheriff, Tom M. Word; Assessor, H. D. Wagnon; Treasurer, E. Versteeg; School Superintendent, A. R. Draper; Circuit Judge, Department No. 2, John Van Zante.

INTERURBAN CHANGES TIME

New Schedule Will Accommodate Portland Passengers.

To accommodate patrons who have business or employment in Portland, a new passenger schedule will be inaugurated by the United Electric Line next Monday. This schedule will provide for an early morning train from Wilkesboro to Portland and intermediate points and a late night train from Portland to Wilkesboro and intermediate stations. The new schedule also provides for the following changes:

Four round trips between Portland and Wilkesboro instead of three as at present; daily night service between Portland and Linnton; through trains will leave Portland for Wilkesboro daily at 8:15 A. M., 10:15 A. M., 1:15 P. M. and 6:15 P. M., and will leave Wilkesboro for Portland daily at 6:20 A. M., 10:45 A. M., 1:20 P. M. and 4:20 P. M.; the night service between Portland and Linnton will operate trains to leave Portland for Linnton daily 7:45 P. M. and 11:35 P. M., and leave Linnton for Portland 7:00 P. M. and 10:50 P. M.; additional trains will be run Saturday and Sunday nights, leaving Portland 10:00 P. M. and leaving Linnton 9:15 P. M., the present train leaving Portland 5:15 P. M.

CANDIDATES MAKE APPEAL

Business Men's Club Hears Final Bid of Officeseekers.

Candidates' day at the luncheon of the Progressive Business Men's Club at the Multnomah Hotel yesterday was well represented by those who will hear the result of their speaking this evening. A minute and one-half was allotted to each candidate for his oration. Eugene Brookings presided and C. Christensen was chairman of the day.

J. J. Sayer, of the Portland Commercial Club, called attention to the excursion to the Oregon Agricultural College, via McMinnville, Sheridan and Dallas next Thursday and Friday. Copies of the new by-laws of the club were distributed for suggestions or corrections from the members and May 2 was named as "Woolgrowers' day" for the luncheon. Participation in the Rose Festival parade by the club was referred to the executive committee.

Although the speeches in general were to the point, some things were especially noticeable. The egotism of some prevented them from mentioning their names, and, after all, as George M. Hyland said: "Numbers count only at Salem." The speeches were filled with references to the candidates' taxes, age in the state and present complicated laws.

Harry Lane and George S. Shepherd were the only candidates for United States Senator and Congressman who were present. Lane said that he will continue the Panama Canal to Portland and Shepherd would extend the Columbia River to the canal. George M. Hyland spoke of progress to be accomplished and Walter H. Evans laid stress on his character as a father, saying that his family has full faith in him and that the public may be sure he will do his duty fearlessly if elected District Attorney.

OREGON CITY SECURES NEW MINISTER FROM EAST.

Rev. Mr. Milliken.

OREGON CITY, Or., April 16.—(Special.)—With the arrival here last week of Rev. Mr. Milliken, formerly of Detroit, Minn., this city has secured another able minister, who has taken up his new work with a vim which insures success.

SCHOOL BIDS RECEIVED

Board Meets in Tilford Building to Consider Tenders.

At a meeting of the School Board yesterday afternoon in the Tilford building, tenders were received for work connected with Richmond School and with the new Lincoln High School. F. A. Naramore was appointed superintendent of properties.

May 1 was the date fixed for the reapplication of present teachers. Miss Sadie Innis was appointed as additional teacher for the Weston and Lower Bridge schools. The appointment was made to relieve the pressure due to an increase in the number of pupils at those schools.

VOTE NUMBER 117 X.

Harry C. McAllister for Sheriff. Honest, earnest, energetic, competent. (Paid Adv.)

A London medical journal advocates the better airing of banks, offices and business premises over Sunday as a means of improving public sanitation.

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FOWNES KID FITTING SILK GLOVES

All good dealers 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50

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J. L. BOWMAN NEEDS HELP!

Wants good live men to help carry away the Clothing, Hats and Furnishing Goods in his store at Fifth and Alder Streets

On account of his having to give up the store in so short a time he needs these men so badly that today he is selling splendid suits made from pure, high-class wool at the sacrifice price of

$5.00 for Suits worth $12.50 and $15. We'll admit that there are not all sizes in every line and that some of them were carried over from last season, but remember that the $5.00 is only the regular price of the pants alone.

$8.50 for Suits worth $15.00 to $18.00 and they are all good ones. There are plenty of Suits to choose from at this price.

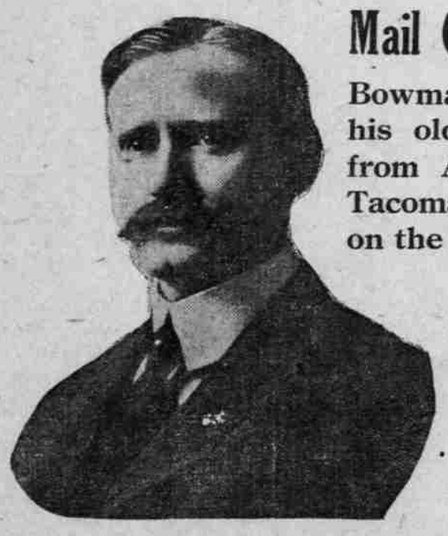
$10.00 for Suits positively worth $20.00. This may seem exaggerated to some people, but in this range are Suits made from cloth worth up to $2.00 per yard and Suits that have cost the store as high as $13.50 to manufacture.

$12.50 for Suits selling between $20 and $25. Many of these are made in the highest class tailor work that our factory can turn out.

Furnishing Goods

Cut in Prices Even Lower Than Suits

White Handkerchiefs, always 10c, now.....5c
Carlis Coon Collars, always 12½c, now.....5c
Fine Lisle Hose, always 2 for 25c, now.....9c
Wool Cashmere Hose, always 25c, now.....12½c
E. & W. Collars, always 25c, now.....12½c
All 25c Neckwear, now.....19c
All 50c Neckwear, now.....35c
All 25c Suspenders, now.....19c
The Lenox Hat always $2.50 and $3.00, is now being sold in the Closing-Out Sale at.....$2.15



Mail Orders Promptly Filled

Bowman says he would like all his old friends and customers from Ashland on the south to Tacoma on the north and Pocatello on the east to send in mail orders for either suits or furnishing goods. He will personally pick out the order and see that every customer sending in mail orders is more than satisfied.

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