

### WIFE CUTTING OFF FAMILY IS BROKEN

#### Jury Decides Lumberman Was Incompetent When He Left \$400,000 to Nieces.

### WIFE AND SONS PROFIT

#### One of Brothers Now Has Income of \$13 a Week—Contest in California Court Marked by Sensational Testimony.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 20.—The will by which Frank H. Holyoke, a lumberman of Bangor, Me., left the bulk of a \$400,000 estate to two nieces, Madeleine and Marie, was set aside today by a jury in Superior Court. By a 11-to-1 verdict the jury decided that Holyoke was of unsound mind when he made the will, just prior to his death, in Pasadena in November, 1911.

The will was contested by Sydney Archibald Holyoke, a son of the lumberman, now resident in Milwaukee, who was cut off with a bequest of \$100. The executors of the estate announced that an appeal in behalf of the Misses Holyoke would be filed immediately.

#### Widow Would Receive Third.

If the verdict stands in spite of the prospective appeal, Holyoke's widow, Mrs. Cora Holyoke, will receive one-third of the estate, or approximately \$200,000, although, under the terms of the will invalidated today by the jury, she was cut off with only \$10,000. The remaining two-thirds would go to Sydney Holyoke and his brother Harry, of Boston, who testified during the contest that his present income amounted to about \$13 a week.

The contest was marked by sensational testimony. The will specified that Holyoke had cut off Mrs. Cora Holyoke because of indiscretions. Mrs. Holyoke, on the stand, presented a letter purporting to have been signed by her husband just before his death and saying that she had been made the victim of a conspiracy designed to smother her character.

#### Handwriting Experts Disagree.

Two other documents she presented consisted of an order for \$5000 on the estate and instructions to the executors to remove from the court records of Maine and California all papers reflecting on her reputation and character. While she was on the stand attorneys for the Misses Holyoke arose and declared these documents to be forgeries. Handwriting experts engaged by each side disagreed as to the genuineness of the signatures.

### POTATO MARKET OPENS UP

#### Vancouver Merchants Advise for Spuds to Ship South.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Local merchants are advertising for potatoes in carload lots at 60 cents a hundred, to be shipped to Texas and other points in the South.

A commission firm in Denver has been in communication with a committee from the Commercial Club, saying that it could handle a large number of carloads of potatoes this Spring at 60 cents and 60 cents before the freight is paid.

Last year 10 cars were shipped through Denver through this firm, and the farmers, who were overloaded with potatoes, were pleased to get net 23 cents a 100 pounds for them.

### PLAY TO BE READ AT "Y"

#### Sixth of Series Scheduled Tonight at Association Home.

"If I Were King" is to be read by Elizabeth Eugenia Woodbury in the auditorium of the Y. M. C. A. Association tonight at 8 o'clock. This is the famous play by Justice Huntley McCarthy and its recent production by E. H. Sothern will add interest to the reading tonight by Miss Woodbury.

This is the sixth of Miss Woodbury's readings under the auspices of the educational department of the Y. M. C. A. The meeting is open to both men and women.

### ALASKA AGREEMENT NEAR

#### Single Point in Dispute Regarded as Not Serious Obstacle.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Conferences between the Senate and House on the Alaska railroad bill will begin tomorrow with virtually only one point in dispute—the House amendment to require that the entire line to be built by the Government for the development of the Northwestern territory shall be standard gauge.

The conferees of both houses are confident of reaching an agreement quickly, and their report may be ready before tomorrow night.

### WILSON GREET'S PYTHIANS

#### Supreme Chancellor Pledges Order's Support for Peace.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—President Wilson shook hands tonight with 1700 Knights of Pythias who are here attending the annual convention and celebrating the order's "golden jubilee." This was peace day for the supreme council.

Thomas J. Carling, of Macon, Ga., supreme chancellor, pledged the support of 800,000 "brothers" and 65,000 "sisters" to Secretary Bryan's peace policy.

### SUNDAY-CLOSING IS INTENT

#### Religious Body of Washington County to Initiate Measure.

SALEM, Or., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—To prohibit the conduct of business and gainful amusements on Sunday is the object of a measure to be initiated at the next election by the Washington County Christian Endeavor Union. The bill was approved as to form by Secretary of State Olcott today.

The measure exempts drug stores, physicians' shops, undertakers, livery stables, butchers and bakers.

A fine of from \$5 to \$100 is provided for violation.

### SEATTLE ABASH AT TANGO

#### But Two Couples in Theater Dance Between Acts.

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—George Mackenzie, manager of the Metropolitan Theater, saw 'em do it in New York, so why shouldn't Seattle? "No reason," said George. And therefore he announced to his audience tonight, which witnessed the opening performance of "The Quaker Girl," that they had the privilege of dancing the tango between acts in the main and balcony foyers. When the curtain went down on the first act, everyone in the audience turned out into the foyers to watch someone else tango.

The 18-piece orchestra played the tango music, and finally two couples took the plunge.

The tango between acts is an interesting diversion. It gives one an excuse for stretching. Many enjoyed the excuse, but few were venturesome enough to try the tango in front of the close-in audience which crowded around the two couples like interested spectators of a political argument.

Seattle appeared bashful with that tango thing tonight.

### MOVE IS TO DROP ARMSTRONG CHARGE

#### Case Against School Head Attacked on Ground City, Not State, Is Affected.

### JURY IS READY FOR TRIAL

#### Judge Kavanaugh to Decide Today if Indictment, Growing Out of Civil Service Scandal, Returned According to Law.

Motion to dismiss the indictments against A. P. Armstrong, County School Superintendent and ex-Civil Service Commissioner, on trial on charges of giving out information relative to a Civil Service examination, was made by Frank T. Collier, of counsel for the defense, after the jury to try the case had been selected and sworn yesterday. When court adjourned last night arguments on the motion had not been finished. Judge Kavanaugh, before whom the arguments were made, is expected to rule on the motion this morning.

Attorney Collier resists the indictments on the ground that the grossly charged are in violation of the Portland city charter, which charter was granted by the Legislature, and is, therefore, special legislation. That if any crime has been committed, it was against the city and not a state case. Deputy District Attorney McGuire represents the state.

The indictments charge that Mr. Armstrong, while a member of the City Civil Service Commission, furnished secret and special information relative to an examination for police captain to Robert H. Craddock, for the use and benefit of Craddock and Joe P. Keller, two applicants for the appointment as captain. Robert Armstrong, a brother of the ex-Civil Service Commissioner, was charged with aiding and abetting his brother in furnishing the information.

A. P. Armstrong is also under indictment, charging him with receiving a bribe and malfeasance while a Commissioner.

Only 22 prospective jurors were examined.

The jury follows: Mark Sidwell, L. D. Heater, M. H. Bottler, J. T. Smith, Ralph Stanz, Robert J. Louitt, Theodore L. Spield, John Boyd, E. M. Williams, R. S. Hulbart, Samuel Labbe and William McCartney.



John H. Lewis, Candidate for Re-Election as State Engineer.

berlain when the office was created in 1905.

Mr. Lewis seeks re-election on his record. He led the fight for the adoption of the water code in 1909, which law has been highly commended. His office has to do with the water resources of the state, and he conducts stream measurements, water power and other surveys in co-operation with the United States.

His first suggested co-operation between the state and Nation in the construction of reclamation works in 1912, which plan is now being favorably considered by a number of states. Mr. Lewis was recently appointed by the American Society of Civil Engineers on a committee to prepare a National water law.

Prior to his appointment Mr. Lewis had experience in railroad and Government reclamation work. His technical training was received at Stanford and Cornell universities. He is 35 years of age, a native Oregonian, having lived the greater part of his life in Portland.

### MRS. COE WILL APPEAL

#### CASES AGAINST EX-HUSBAND AND SANITARIUM TO GO HIGHER.

#### Divorce Action, Won by ex-Mate, and Suit Over Hospital Affairs Will Be Fought Over Again.

Notice that she would appeal from the decision rendered by Circuit Judge McGinn in her two suits against her husband, Dr. Henry Waldo Coe, and the Sanitarium Company was filed yesterday by Mrs. Viola M. Coe. Bonds for separate appeals in each case were signed by Mrs. Mae T. Cardwell and W. T. Williamson.

At the trial of the two suits before Circuit Judge McGinn, one for divorce and the second for a settlement of the property rights between Dr. and Mrs. Coe, Judge McGinn granted the decree of divorce to Dr. Coe and held that all the property now owned by Dr. Coe was in trust for Dr. Coe and his family. By the terms of the single decree which decided both cases, the two having been heard together, Mrs. Coe was denied against on every point that she raised in the two suits she had brought. The controversy between Dr. and Mrs. Coe arose as a result of a contract with the Government for the care of the Alaska insane and the sanitarium that were built and operated so those contracts might be carried out. Judge McGinn held in his decision in the cases that during Dr. Coe's absence in the Orient his control of the property had been wrested from him by his wife wrongfully and ordered that all the property in Mrs. Coe's name be held in trust for Dr. Coe and accounted for to him.

During the trial, which was had in December, much testimony was introduced relative to the \$30,000 home which Dr. Coe had built for his wife. Dr. Coe and the three sons testified that the family trouble began about the time they moved into the new house. The notice of appeal was filed yesterday by Attorneys Joseph & Hanev.

### PRIEST SEES PRISONER

#### ON WOMAN'S APPEAL PASTOR GOES TO ALLEGED MURDERER.

#### Police Believe Visit Marks Breakdown of Anthony Petras, Accused of Slaying Former Sweetheart.

AURORA, Ill., Feb. 20.—Rev. Leon M. Linden, pastor of Our Lady of Good Counsel, Roman Catholic Church, the former confessor of Anthony Petras, who is held in jail here on a charge of murdering his former sweetheart, Theresa Hollander, who was clubbed to death in St. Michael's cemetery last Monday night, was admitted to the prisoner's cell this morning for a long talk.

The clergyman is declared to have made the visit in response to a plea of an unknown woman.

The police were hopeful that the coming of the priest marked the beginning of a breakdown in the prisoner, who has steadily maintained his innocence. They think the woman who summoned the priest may have been Petras' wife.

The knife found in the cemetery near the body of Miss Hollander was lost three years ago by Frank Darrimont, of Chicago, who formerly resided in Aurora, and was a benchmate of Petras in the shop. Darrimont's name is on the knife handle.

### SLAVE FILM PERMITTED

#### CITY JUDGE REVERSES RULING OF CENSOR BOARD.

#### Jurist of Juvenile Court and School Superintendent Approve Picture. Children Under 18 Barred.

By a decision rendered yesterday by Municipal Judge Stevenson, allowing the moving picture film entitled "The Inside of the White Slave Traffic" to be exhibited in the Hellig Theater, a ruling of the Board of Censorship in this city was reversed for the first time since the board was established. The Board of Censorship and Mayor Albee had forbidden the exhibition of the film.

Judge Stevenson's decision was based on a personal study of the film and the testimony of numerous witnesses, including Judge Gatens, of the Juvenile Court, and City School Superintendent Alderman.

"This picture is an object lesson," said Judge Gatens. "Far from being indecent, it should be viewed by both parents and children. Its exhibition would lessen the work of the Juvenile Court."

Mr. Alderman testified that while he was not in favor of permitting young children to view the film, he thought it would have a beneficial effect on their elders.

W. H. Warren, Mayor Albee's secretary, spoke in favor of suppressing the film.

"The film may have a lesson," he said, "but it is not clearly defined. The luxurious scenes throughout the film and some of the captions were excluded from the theater during the exhibition. This ruling was accepted."

French Equatorial Africa is about the size of the mother country and has a population of nearly 4,000,000.

### JOHN D. MANN IS MISSING

#### Wife of Portland Attorney Asks Officials to Make Search.

City and county officials have been called on to aid in the search for John D. Mann, an attorney, who left his home 933 Montgomery street, on Saturday night, after bidding his wife and children goodbye. He was seen about town Monday, but since that day no one has been found who has seen him.

No reason has been learned for his disappearance, and his friends and family believe that he is off on a short trip for the benefit of his health, and not caring to be disturbed, left no address.

Mr. Mann has offices with Julius Silvestone in the Chamber of Commerce building.

Mrs. Mann visited District Attorney Evans Tuesday and asked that he take any steps he thought necessary to aid in the search for her husband.

### MEMPHIS BANK TO PAY 50 CENTS.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 20.—Despite a shortage of \$1,091,750, creditors of the closed Nashville Bank will receive about 50 cents on the dollar, according to a report made public today by J. L. Hutton, State Superintendent of Banks.

### Hazing Sophomores Suspended.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 20.—Seventeen members of the sophomore class at St. John's College here have been suspended for hazing and sent to their homes, according to an announcement today by President Fell.

### Our Shoe Sale

#### Continues to Attract Eager Shoppers As Our Shoes Have All the Qualities of Comfort, Good Style and Reasonable Wear

- FOR GROWING GIRLS AND MISSES
  - Choice grade of high-cut shoes of dull calf, button style, just the shoe for school wear.
  - \$4.50 Models, Special . . . . . \$3.65
  - \$4.00 Models, Special . . . . . \$2.85
  - \$3.00 Models, Special . . . . . \$2.45
- FOR MISSES AND CHILDREN
  - Button shoes of patent calf and gunmetal calf, in foot-form shapes and well soles.
  - \$3.00 Sizes, Special . . . . . \$2.15
  - \$2.50 Sizes, Special . . . . . \$1.95
  - \$2.00 Sizes, Special . . . . . \$1.45
- Boys' \$2.75 Dress Shoes \$1.95
  - Of patent calf and gunmetal calf, blucher style and lace style, medium high toe with tips.

### BEST QUALITY BOYS' LOGGERS

- Tan grain, full double sole, wide toe model, nailed and sewed.
  - \$5.50 Grade, Special . . . . . \$4.65
  - \$4.50 Grade, Special . . . . . \$3.95
  - \$3.50 Grade, Special . . . . . \$2.95

### FOR GROWING GIRLS AND MISSES

- Tan grain, high-cut shoes, in lace style, with buckle at the top and full round toe.
  - \$5.50 Models, Special . . . . . \$4.45
  - \$4.50 Models, Special . . . . . \$3.45
  - \$3.50 Models, Special . . . . . \$2.45

### FOR MISSES AND CHILDREN

- Patent calf shoes and dull calf button shoes, with McKay sewed soles. Shoes that are made for service. Wide toe models.
  - \$2.50 Sizes, Special . . . . . \$1.95
  - \$2.00 Sizes, Special . . . . . \$1.75
  - \$1.75 Sizes, Special . . . . . \$1.45

"Help Save the Babies" The Oregon Congress of Mothers

Sale of Flags at the booth on the first floor, in charge of Mrs. S. J. Sherman and assistants.

FOR CHILDREN

Challie, Albatross and Serge Dresses that were \$6.95 to \$9.50

Saturday \$4.95 to \$5.95

Sizes 6 to 14 years

—Waisted styles, Peter Thompson models, and frocks with collars and cuffs of lace and velvet, ribbon trimmed, and others embroidered trimmed. In light and dark colorings, in plain and figured designs.

Children's 75c Rompers 59c

Sizes 6 months to 5 years

—Of crepe or fancy striped gingham and plain chambray. In close-fitting button leg style or new straight style. Piped with plain white or trimmed with fancy contrasting bands. Some with round necks and long sleeves, others with square neck and short sleeves. —Fourth Floor

A Sale of Hair Goods Of the Finer Qualities

\$2.50 Transformations, Special \$1.45

—Transformations of natural wavy hair, 14 inches long. Worn instead of a roll or wig.

\$4 Switches Special \$2.95

—26-inch natural wavy switches, short stems, all long hair and made on three separate mountings. Fine German hair.

35c Bottle of Brilliantine, Special 25c

—Brilliantine will brighten your false hair and make it look like new.

Hair Nets

—3 for 50c, real hair nets. Special, 2 for 25c.

—Gray hair nets, 20c each.

—6 for 25c silk nets, with or without rubber, special, 3 for 10c. —Mezzanine Floor

Lipman Wolfe & Co. Merchandise of Merit Only

For the Boys

First Showing of New Spring Suits

—The boys' Spring suits are more attractive this season than ever before. Smart, snappy models in the regulation Norfolk or novelty styles, and the newest English models.

—Of shepherd plaids, pencil stripes, broken checks, chevots, serges, new tweeds and fancy mixtures.

—Sizes from 6 to 18 years. Prices from \$5.00 to \$14.50.

Boys' Spring Reefers

—That sell from \$7.50 to \$12.50 are now ready and can be had in navy blue serges, black and white checks in the Norfolk and "reefer" styles. Also white serges. Sizes 2 to 8 years.

BOYS' NEW HATS AND CAPS ARE READY

and sell from 65c to \$2.25 for the hats and 35c to \$1.50 for the caps. Good looking fabrics, in mixtures, silks and terry are used in their construction, as well as plain serges.

THE WASHABLE BLOUSES ARE ALSO HERE

and priced from 50c to \$1.50, of madras, chambray, percale and soisette in the new plain colors and fancy stripes. With attached and detached collars and some with French cuffs. Sizes from 6 to 14 years.

ATTRACTIVE SPRING WASH SUITS FOR LITTLE FELLOWS

—In all the new styles, and particularly attractive are the new Oliver Twist suits with separate waists and pants. Sizes 2 to 8 years. Prices \$1.19 to \$17.50 each. —Fourth Floor.



The New Spring Suits for Young Women

\$17.50 to \$43.50

The first complete showing of authentic modes as created by world-famous designers of juniors' apparel.

—The high waist line and the low waist line, both are correct.

—Coats which are mere boleros and others that are full fledged coats; both are fashionable.

—A little "box coat" model, trimmed down the front and across the back with plaid silk is very attractive, and hangs loose in front. The skirt of this suit is also trimmed with the plaid silk to correspond with the coat. Undoubtedly this is one of the most unique suits of the season.

—These suits are true to Paris in a material way, for they are of

Crepe Poplin Granite Crepe  
Serge Wool Poplin  
Black and White Check Worsteds

Chiffon Taffeta Silk Dresses \$25.00 to \$35.00 in the Bustle Style

Loose Separate Coats With the Flare \$20 to \$35 in all the new colorings Fourth Floor.

Girls' Wash Frocks in New Fascinating Styles of gingham, poplin, linen, ratine, pique and crepe, in plain colors, fancy striped materials, checks and plaids. In the French coat and bolero straight style. \$1.00 to \$10.00. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Fourth Floor.

Special Engraving News

100 Engraved Cards, Special, 59c

—These to be made from your own plate on Crane's finest stock.

Engraved Copper Plates and 100 Cards

—In four styles of script at \$1.19; Old English, \$1.77; Shaded Old English, \$2.76; French Script, \$1.77; Shaded French Script, \$2.75; Roman Script, \$2.20, and block lettering at \$1.77.

Engraved Monograms, Special, 15c

—Two-letter monograms stamped in gold or silver on any paper bought here for, the quire, 15c.

PLAYING CARDS

—Usually 50c; now 39c; 40c cards, 33c; 25c cards, 18c; 15c cards for 12c, and 10c cards for 8c package.

—500 and bridge score cards at 3c the dozen. —Basement

Women's 25c and 35c Stockings

Special 18c Pair

—Of fast black or tan cotton in the Bursen brand, or seamless silk lisle in black or white. Also silk plated boot stockings in seamless fast black.

50c and 65c Stockings, Special 35c Pair

—Fast black, silk plated stockings in medium weight with double garter tops, double soles, heels and toes, seamless, full and elastic. Also full fashioned black, white or tan stockings of silk lisle in medium weight. First Floor.