

PENDLETON GRAFT CHARGE IS DENIED

Accused Police Chief Says Pastor Must Prove Allegation—Court Offers Probe.

MINISTER AGAIN ACCUSES

District Attorney Says Grand Jury Recently Held Gambling Evidence Insufficient—City Has Detectives Making Search.

PENDLETON, Or., March 3.—(Special.)—Chief of Police John Kearney, charged by Evangelist Bulgin with receiving money for the protection of prostitution and gambling, brands the charges as absolutely false and without foundation and insists he will call upon the evangelist to prove them.

Circuit Judge Phelps today said it would not be necessary to send for Governor West in order to secure a grand jury investigation. "If Rev. Mr. Bulgin or anyone else has any positive evidence against gamblers he can get a grand jury to hear it mighty quick," he said.

Investigation Lately Made. District Attorney Stelwer said he had no knowledge of the charges made other than what had been reported to him by persons attending the meeting last night and that he had not received a message from the Governor. He said he had subpoenaed 20 and 40 witnesses before the grand jury in an effort to secure indictments against persons alleged to be gambling or permitting gambling in their places of business, but that no evidence was secured, the grand jury did not deem it sufficient to return indictments. He said many of the persons named by the evangelist as possible grand jury witnesses had already been before that body.

J. E. Montgomery, chairman of the police committee of the Council, and who is a member of the address meetings' choir, refused to make any statement for publication. He admitted, however, that detectives had been employed some time ago by members of the Council to investigate gambling charges and that when this evidence was presented to the Council a week ago that body decided to wait until after Bulgin left before taking it up. "We have nothing to say at the present time," he said, "but may have a statement to make later relative to the situation."

City Greatly Stirred. Mayor Matlock and City Attorney Carter refuse seriously to consider the charges. The city as a whole, however, has been greatly stirred. There were two big meetings tonight in one church meeting and one anti-church meeting. The former was addressed by the evangelist in the Bulgin Tabernacle, which was packed by more than 2000 persons. The second meeting was held at Rev. A. L. Lucas, of Walla Walla, in the Oregon Theater, to an audience of 1000. Mr. Lucas came over to reply to the charges made by the local ministerial association that he had been arrested in Denver for distributing immoral literature among the high school girls of that city; that his mother was a quarter blood negro; that he was backed by the saloon interests, and that he was a champion of the devil, stacking \$1000 in money in a table in front of him, he dramatically defied his accusers to appear and prove any one of the charges.

The Lucas controversy is due to a lecture he delivered here preceding the opening of the present series of revival meetings. Following his lecture the local ministers made the above charges, saying he had been arrested in an effort to defame the revival meetings. They also said he had been arrested and jailed in Dayton, Wash., for distributing pernicious literature among school boys. The Dayton arrest was not denied.

Damages Sued Threatened. Lucas announced that he would sue his accusers for \$50,000 damages. Evangelist Bulgin, speaking tonight on "Bulgin, Blackstone, Bootlegging and Booze," reiterated his charges that there is open and notorious violation of the laws in this city, and declared that instead of closing the meeting here in this city next Saturday night he has changed his mind and is going to stay in Pendleton "until war is over."

"I want to tell you right now that we have evidence enough in our hands to send several men to the penitentiary and some of them are mighty important, too. I know that if Governor West comes here and removes these crooked officials and puts in a special grand jury with a square judge you'll get a square deal, and we will send the scoundrels up."

The formation of a Law and Order League was perfected tonight and additional names were secured to the petitions calling upon Mayor Matlock to discharge his present police force.

MRS. JULIA GOODELL DIES

Rickreall Woman Succumbs After Being Ill Four Years.

WATERS TO BE ANALYZED

Member of Firm of Engineers and Chemists Reaches Ashland.

Mr. Pomeroy Gets Appointment.

SALEM, Or., March 3.—(Special.)—J. W. Pomeroy, of Seaside, was today appointed a member of the State Horticultural Board to succeed A. C. Goodrich, who died suddenly. Mr. Pomeroy was appointed to fill out the term, which will expire April 1.

DAUGHTER OF LEADER OF VOLUNTEERS INTERESTED IN SOCIAL SERVICE



MISS THEODORA BOOTH.

SOCIAL SERVICE AIM

Miss Theodora Booth Fond of Gayety and Pretty Clothes.

HOSPITAL COURSE TAKEN

Daughter of Volunteers' Leader Declares Absence of Parents Detracts From Pleasures of Visitors of Her Own Age.

BY EDITH KNIGHT HOLMES. Miss Theodora Booth, who has been visiting in Portland for a few days in company with her distinguished mother, Mrs. Ballington Booth, is a sweet, attractive girl, who loves pretty clothes and flowers, house parties, outings and a good time. Besides this, she is studying nursing, actively interested in social service, keeps house for her father and mother, assists the latter as a confidential secretary and is altogether charming and making their lives good and happy.

"I am interested in hospital and social service work. A short time ago I entered a hospital to train. No one but the head nurse knew who I was. She asked me if I wanted really to learn or only to play at nursing. I told her that I was in earnest, and she put me to strenuous training—ambulance duty, the operating room, desperate cases. She didn't spare me a bit and I am glad of it, for I learned so much about first aid to the injured."

"My 'mum' worked beautifully until one day father came in and before them she called out 'Hello, darling' and kissed me. There was consternation for a moment, and then he explained to the doctors and nurses assembled that I was his own daughter. "I just love social service work right in the hospital. It certainly is worth while to do things for the poor and the sick. Their faces light up so and they are so happy with just a little kindness."

"I have a scheme that I think will work beautifully. Like myself, there are ever so many girls tired of social traditions and making a name for themselves. They are anxious to help, and they will devote certain hours every week to reading to the convalescent patients and making their lives brighter. The girls are very enthusiastic over the idea, and I am looking forward to getting into harness after our trip."

WOMEN COHORTS CLASH

(Continued From First Page.) cratic majority in the House will see its way clear to reconsider what after all was a somewhat unconsidered action of the Democratic caucus."

Mrs. Evans and Mrs. Benedict warned the Democrats not to "dodge the issue," and said that action on the suffrage question must be taken at this session of Congress. "Gentlemen," Mrs. Beard said, "you cannot answer us by shaking in our faces that tatterdemalion of a state's rights scoundrel and then expect us not to read the newspapers when you repudiate your platform and violate express state rights in the matter of a Presidential primary. You cannot tell us that the platform will not allow this suffrage discussion because it is silent, but will permit the repeal of the canal tolls exemption, which it expressly forbids. It is undemocratic our resources to suppose that we cannot put these facts into the hands of 15,000,000 voters, including more than 3,000,000 free women. The political party which will enter into possession of the Federal Government March 4, 1917, will believe that woman suffrage is a matter of National concern and transcendent National importance."

Half Dozen Explain at Once. The representatives of the National Woman Suffrage Association disclaimed participation in the political warring of the Congressional Union,

NEW YORK MAKING AVENUES IN SNOW

Work on Main Arteries Begins to Show, but Side Streets Are Still Blocked.

16,000 SHOVELERS WORK

Perishable Foodstuffs Are Scarce, on Account of Bad Train Service and Fuel Is Lacking for Same Reason.

NEW YORK, March 3.—New York dug itself part way from under its deep blanket of snow and ice today and re-established something like normal communication with the outside world. Within the city 16,000 snow shovelers, 2500 extra teams, the entire equipment of the street cleaning department, millions of gallons of water for thawing and flushing, and about six hours of warm sunshine made it possible to maintain on the trunk thoroughfares a semblance of normal traffic. Little, however, could be done on the side streets.

Communication with outside points was on a basis greatly improved over that of yesterday's virtual prostration of means of transit. Except in a few cases, railroad tracks leading into the city were made available for regular use, but trains during the day were still from 30 minutes to five hours late. Trolley car transportation continued crippled in suburban rural districts. Much improvement was effected in telegraph and telephone connections. In this city perishable food supplies, as milk, butter, eggs, fresh vegetables and in some cases meat were in short supply, due to disorganized train service and interrupted street traffic. The same conditions hampered coal deliveries.

NEW YORK, March 3.—(Special.)—Ralph M. Dodson, son of Dr. O. M. Dodson, of Baker, Or., was one of the successful candidates for internships in the Bellevue Hospital which were awarded from the records made in the competitive examinations, held here during the last few days. Among the 15 seniors for Johns Hopkins University who were among the large number that competed Dr. Dodson stood first. Dr. Dodson will be in the service of Bellevue Hospital for two years.

Dr. Dodson returned to Baltimore, where he will continue his work until graduation this Spring. He received his undergraduate training at the University of Oregon, graduating in 1910. Another University of Oregon graduate who has achieved success in the study of medicine in the East is Dr. Frank Mount, of the class of 1908, son of Judge Wallace Mount, of Olympia, Wash. Dr. Mount is now house physician at the St. Luke Hospital. Among the 200 candidates for internships in the joint board examinations two years ago Dr. Mount tied for second place. He stood fifth in his graduation class at the physicians' and surgeons' college of Columbia University in 1912.

WHITMAN COLLEGE, Walla Walla, Wash., March 3.—(Special.)—Harry L. and for some time the committee room was in confusion when half a dozen women tried to explain things. At times during the hearings spectators who crowded the room gave vent to their feelings. Representative Hefflin, of Alabama, who spoke against suffrage, was frequently hissed.

Mrs. Arthur M. Dodge, president of the National Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage, conducted the opposition to the amendment. Mrs. Henry White, of Boston, said woman had succeeded in getting all of her legal rights without the ballot and that the ballot was unnecessary. "The wise state recognizes that woman must be preserved for the work she only can do for the state," said Miss Alice H. Chittenden, of New York. "When a woman attempts to fight with the weapons of men she is playing a losing game."

Transitory Workers Object. Miss Margery Dorman, of the Wage-Earners' Anti-Suffrage League of New York, said that working women did not need the ballot. She said women in the labor world were transitory and accidental and could not have the experience necessary to cope with Government problems. In the course of the debate in the Senate, Senator Clapp said all the sinister influences of the country were lined up against woman suffrage. He said that he regretted good people in opposing suffrage allowed themselves to be used as a mask for these evil influences.

Senator Bryan, of Florida, made the first extended speech in the amendment. He contended, first of all, that the states should be allowed to deal with the question, saying that whether the negro women of Florida should vote no Florida had to say that the Japanese should vote in California.

32 RUTHENIANS SENTENCED FOR INCITING REBELLION. Father Alexius and Others Guilty of Conspiring Against Hungary in Cause of Preaching Their Faith.

ALASKA ROAD APPROVED

HOUSE AND SENATE AGREE TO EXPENDITURE OF \$35,000,000. Amendment Providing for Standard Gauge Line Is Stricken—Commerce Commission Not to Control.

LAD CONFESSES MURDERS

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OREGON BOYS SUCCEED

RALPH M. DODSON WINS PLACE AS BELLEVUE INTERNE.

Dr. Frank Mount, House Physician at New York St. Luke Hospital, Also Graduate of State University.

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MONK TO GO TO PRISON

FATHER ALEXIUS AND OTHERS GUILTY OF CONSPIRING AGAINST HUNGARY IN CAUSE OF PREACHING THEIR FAITH.

BUDAPEST, Hungary, March 3.—Sentence was pronounced today on 32 Ruthenians charged with inciting rebellion against the Austro-Hungarian government. The principal prisoner, Father Alexius, a Russian monk from Mount Athos, was condemned to 4 1/2 years' imprisonment. He was said to be the leader of the movement and was alleged to have carried on a propaganda under the guise of efforts to convert the Ruthenian peasantry to the Russian faith. The movement was said to have been financed in Russia.

The other 31 convicted persons were sentenced to terms ranging from six months to two and a half years. Twenty-three others were acquitted. Evidence was given in the course of the trial to the effect that it was Russia's intention eventually to absorb a great part of Hungary.

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PURE FOOD LAW SHAKEN

DR. WILEY SAYS RECENT DECISION NULLIFIES STATUTE. Supreme Court Bleached Flour Ruling Will Permit Manufacturers to Put Poison in Products.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, March 3.—There is a radical difference of opinion whether the Supreme Court by its decision in the bleached flour case, impaired the usefulness of the pure food law. Dr. Wiley, who was largely responsible for the passage of the pure food law, contends that the Supreme Court has nullified the statute for which he made such a hard fight. Dr. Wiley further asserts that the law must be amended if it is longer to be effective.

Representative Mann, of Illinois, who led the fight for the passage of the pure food law through the House, differs with Dr. Wiley as to the effect of the Supreme Court's decision. He says: "The decision deals with the problem as to the amount of poisonous substance to make the product deleterious to health, and does not, as I understand it, affect the adulteration or misbranding provisions of the pure food law. If there is in the product a poisonous substance so small in quantity that it is not deleterious the law did not attempt to cover that. In the bleached flour case it was contended that some poisonous substance was used in bleaching, but not enough to injure health."

Dr. Wiley has felt all along that the Supreme Court was antagonistic to the pure food and drug act. In view of the recent decision in the bleached flour case, Dr. Wiley says that Congress should strike out of the law the words "which may prove harmful to health," so as to make the law absolutely prohibit the use of any sort of poison in the preparation and manufacture of food products.

OPIMUM PLOT UNEARTHED

3 HELD IN GOTHAM IN ALLEGED SMUGGLING CONSPIRACY. Stevedore and Longshoreman Said to Be Aids in Bringing Drug From Persia Through Germany to America.

NEW YORK, March 3.—An extensive opium smuggling conspiracy, unearthed by Government investigators, came to light today and a hobnobber in Hoboken and two Mott street Chinese were placed under arrest. Opium, alleged to have been smuggled from Germany, was seized in a house in Chinatown.

The Custom-House officials learned that ramifications of the alleged plot extended through Germany to Persia, where the opium was grown. The method used by the smugglers consisted in employing a stevedore in Bremen, who carried the opium on board ship concealed in life preservers. There it was given to a member of the crew who acted for the smugglers.

On arrival at New York an American longshoreman was employed to take the opium to the hotel in Hoboken, whence it was removed to Yee Sang's shop in Chinatown. The discovery of 18 pounds of the drug concealed in a secret panel in the shop led to the arrests. It is believed the conspirators figured on realizing more than \$1,000,000 annually.

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Lipman Wolfe's Good Morning!

Spring Is Saying Good Morning!—Lovely new things are popping from their boxes. Every hour brings its fresh arrivals of colorful flowers. Interesting? No wonder the store is filled with delighted women, who come to see the endless supply of fresh new things. —Our invitation to come means a hearty welcome.

"The Balmacaan" Is the New Coat

In Junior Sizes —That's what they call it in England. It is a delightful, roomy, full-skirted coat—the 1914 version of the famous and practical "Sport Coat." Anything more gracefully "swagger" simply couldn't be imagined. The sketch gives you an idea of it. The materials are rough mixtures and stripes—quite English, and most distinguished in appearance. Worth \$10.00 or \$12.00, but specially priced at \$6.95.



—Incidentally, this is the first time that a new and assuredly popular coat has been offered early in the season at so low a price.

Hats That Are Clever and New

—Every day we are adding new models to our showing of fine trimmed hats—hats that have the stamp of correctness. We offer the newest and most fashionable models, small, close-fitting hats, and high side bandeaux chapeaux, made of fine imported straw. A visit to our salon will be of great interest to every woman. —Cleverly tailored and dress \$15 to \$25.

AFTERNOON FROCKS FOR JUNIOR GIRLS

—Perfect loves of dresses, made of taffeta, messaline, poplin and half a dozen other materials. Changeable and plain colors, or with prim little printed patterns, clustered blossoms, tiny bouquets of roses—the very newest things in dress materials. The burrified, bouffant skirts that are so becoming to juniors are here in full force. We are delighted with them.

Now for the Babies

—Cunning little hand-made slips of sheer nainsook, with just the touch of hand embroidery or feather stitching that makes every baby's dress "individual." Just the daintiest things you can imagine. The simple, fresh little designs that are seen on Bebe when he rides triumphant with his nurse dans la rue or the boulevard, are copied in these charming slips for Baby. —Priced variously from \$1.00 to \$2.00.

THE EASTER LILY COLLAR IS HERE

—The smartly rounded flare of sheer linen, like the single curving leaf of the calla, is the latest vogue in Spring collars. Decidedly it is the most becoming and picturesque collar that we have seen in many a day. —To be worn attached to jackets or blouses as the case may be. Some are prettily embroidered. Priced at from \$1.00 to \$3.50.

FROM ENGLAND

—Narrow plaited "ruffings" (which is English for ruche) have come to the neckwear department. They are of plain and printed chiffon, but they have enough of stiffness in their firm folds to make them seem quite substantial. At 75c a yard.

Boots for Spring

—New models that exemplify the latest and best features in the New York shoes. This season the long vamp is the graceful decree of fashion. The gracefully curved Cuban heel, modified after the manner known as Louis XIV, is a distinctive trait of a delightfully designed dress boot of imported patent colt with dull kid top and quarters. A boot that will be appreciated by the woman who wishes to make her Spring costume a success. —Just in—\$7.50.

A SALE OF AMERICAN CUT GLASS

—An Eastern buyer of cut glass cancelled his order because of a delay in delivery. Hence our chance to secure his entire order straight from the manufacturer at a lower price than we have ever known before. We invite you to come and see it and to inspect the prices. We feel sure that you will be as pleased as we are. —Here are a few of the most salient items: \$1.50 Nappies . . . 98c \$3.50 Bowls . . . \$1.98 \$1.25 Nappies . . . 78c \$4.00 Fernery . . . \$2.75 \$3.50 Sugar and Creamer Sets, Special. . . \$1.78

mento River; the Southern Pacific Company and Morgan's Louisiana & Texas Railroad & Steamship Company, which control the Direct Navigation Company, operating on Buffalo Bayou, between Houston and Galveston, Texas. Two Seek Linn Commissionership. ALBANY, Or., March 3.—(Special.)—J. D. Irvine, of Brownsville, today filed formal notice of his aspiration for the Republican nomination for County Commissioner of Linn County. He is a former Mayor of Brownsville, and has held other positions of prominence in that city. This makes two aspirants in the field, a petition having been filed by T. M. Holt, of Thomas. O. H. Russell, of Sweet Home, the retiring County Commissioner, also probably will seek re-nomination.