

TRIAL REVEALS OLD HATRED OF TONGS

Bow Leongs Said to Have Marshaled for State and Hop Sings for Defense.

EVIDENCE IS CONFLICTING

Said Back, Wealthiest Chinese, Says Prisoner Accused of Murder Is Louie Hing—Witnesses Are Under Heavy Guard.

The ancient war between the Hop Sing and Bow Leong tongs showed its head in the testimony of Chinese witnesses in Circuit Judge Davis' court yesterday in the trial of Louie Hing, accused of murdering Lum Foon on the night of March 16, 1913.

The state's case was practically completed yesterday morning when Seid Back, wealthiest of all the Chinamen in Portland, further identified the prisoner as Louie Hing. He testified that Louie Hing had a whole lot of money and a certificate showing his right to live in America, for \$100. Last summer, he said, the president of the Hop Sing tong redeemed the certificate.

Three Names Are Given. All married Chinamen have three names. The jury was enlightened on this subject yesterday afternoon after they had considered the testimony of Celestials was concerned in the affair, because of the repeated reference to witnesses by different names.

Jim Wong was testifying. He said his name was not Jim Wong and never had been. Then he explained, through interpreter Harry Ding, that a Chinaman gets a name when he is born, another when he starts to school, and another when he is married.

Jim Wong had four names, because he inadvertently gave this name to the police on the night of November 7, after he had received a knife wound in the back, and it had been a member of the Sney Sing tong. He now vehemently denies that Jim Wong is any one of his names, but this name will stay by him on court records.

"We had better just get their maiden names," suggested Judge Davis after the Oriental system of nomenclature had been explained.

Contradictions Are Frequent. Three witnesses for the defense had been called when court adjourned last night. Each one of them testified to impeach state's witness. Seid Jan, partner of Lum Foon, the dead man, had denied membership in any tong. He had also declared that he was in the store when the fatal shots were fired.

Jim Wong testified that he used to belong to the Sney Sing, and that Seid Jan was then treasurer of that tong. He exhibited a receipt for \$50, his annual dues and assessments, which he said Seid Jan had given him. It looked like a laundry bill. The jury will consider it later.

Then, to impeach Jim Wong, it was brought out that he is now a member of the Hop Sing tong. Deputy District Attorney Collier tried to get Wong to say that the Hop Sing are putting up the money for Louie Hing's defense, but Wong said he didn't know about that.

Interpreters Check Each Other. Another Chinaman testified that at the time of the shooting Seid Jan was dealing fan tan in the gambling-room back of the store, and that he did not get out of the locked room until about the time the police arrived.

Arguments of the attorneys probably will begin this afternoon. During the trial Harry Ding, interpreter, secretary of the Heng Wo Wai, or Chinese General Peace Society, is also acting as interpreter to check up on Harry Ding. The defense has Moy Han, member of the Hop Sing Tong, to check on the two interpreters.

The state's witnesses, at their own request, are kept constantly under guard, as they fear harm at the hands of Hop Sing in the event of Louie Hing's conviction. They also declare that every Chinaman in the big audience which crowds the courtroom is a Hop Sing. Members of other tongs, they say, have not appeared at all.

J. H. DUNDRE HEADS CLUB

Progressive Business Men Elect and Hear Flattering Reports.

At the annual meeting yesterday at the Multnomah Hotel of the Progressive Business Men Club, J. H. Dundore, of Sherman, Clay & Co., was elected to succeed Jacob Kansler as president. R. W. Nesbit was named first vice-president and Hamilton Johnson second vice-president; Harold C. Jones, secretary, and P. H. Kneeland, treasurer.

Out of 13 nominees for the offices of trustees, the following five were elected to serve through 1916: Jacob Kansler, Earl A. Clark, S. C. Knasmussen, Owen Summers and the late Hamilton Johnson. The various club committees for 1914 were read, showing the club today has 370 members, 165 having been added to the list during the year.

Following the reading of reports and election of officers the club joined in learning the new club song written, words and music, by Arthur Von Jensen. It follows:

We are the progressive business men of Portland, Oregon. We strive for the good of all and never take a rest. 'Till all our work is done, You'll never see us stray. If you meet the fellow here, In our fight for prosperity.

For "Hoch der Kaiser," "God Save the King," and "Vive le France." All mean the same thing. To be, to be, to be.

GRANGE BIRTHDAY IS KEPT

Milwaukie Body's Accomplishments in 21 Years Are Reviewed.

Waukie Grange Has Done the State

Remarks were made by Mrs. Anna Kernbrodt, E. W. Bunnell and other members. It was shown that the Grange had gained 11 new members in the past year and had handled \$400, paying \$100 on the hall debt. Mrs. V. G. Benvie, the lecturer, was in charge of the programme.

NEW TERM SOON TO BEGIN

Academy of Holy Child Starts Second Half of Year February 1. The second term of the scholastic year at the Academy of the Holy Child, East Fifty-fourth and Alameda streets, begins February 1.

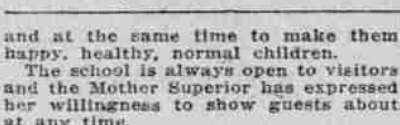
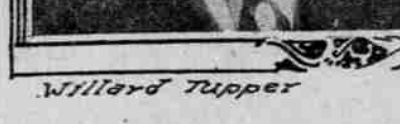
The academy is a select boarding and day school for girls, where an all-around English education is given. A specialty is made of classic and modern languages, drawing, needlework and vocal and instrumental music.

There is a kindergarten for children less than 6 years old in connection with the school.

The convent stands in roomy grounds and there are plenty of facilities for outdoor games and recreation.

The school endeavors to place the girls in an atmosphere of refinement.

CIVIL SERVICE SECRETARY WHO RESIGNED YESTERDAY, AND HIS SUCCESSOR.



and at the same time to make them happy, healthy, normal children.

TAXICAB REGULATION DUE

Ordinance for Posting Rate Schedule to Be Enforced February 1.

Enforcement of Portland's new taxicab ordinance will start February 1, according to an announcement yesterday by City Commissioner Daly.

At that time every taxicab company or owner must file with the city's public utilities department a schedule of rates for service according to a zone system which has been adopted by all taxicab companies in addition to filing the schedule, a plainly printed sign must be displayed on the inside and outside of each taxicab giving the rates according to zones.

The new ordinance prescribes a number of other regulations for taxicabs, including the licensing of all drivers and the "by word of mouth." A taxi driver may stand his car along the curb and wait for business without paying a license fee, however, he makes an outcry for passengers he is listed as a solicitor and must pay a quarterly license of \$10.

PERSONAL MENTION.

H. Dunning, of Seattle, is at the Carlton. G. D. Harton, of Seattle, is at the Perkins.

F. H. Miller, of Salem, is at the Perkins. G. L. Paget, of Seaside, is at the Cornwell.

F. S. Curl, of Pendleton, is at the Imperial. H. C. Hodge, of La Grande, is at the Cornwell.

H. A. Bell, of Bridal Veil, is at the Seward. J. S. Reid, of The Dalles, is at the Carlton.

O. M. Harris, of Spokane, is at the Norton. F. V. Horton, of Willows, is at the Cornwell.

R. J. Elliott, of Aberdeen, is at the Cornwell. P. W. Settemeyer, of Woodburn, is at the Oregon.

H. R. Voorhees, of New York, is at the Oregon. T. G. Bligh, a Salem hotelman, is at the Cornwell.

M. W. Jones, of San Francisco, is at the Multnomah. W. E. Thompson, of Bridal Veil, is at the Norton.

J. J. Ryan, capitalist of Butteville, is at the Imperial. J. H. Martin, a railroad contractor, is at the Multnomah.

The Rev. George F. Rosenmiller, of Astoria, is at the Seward. The Oregon Agricultural College basketball team is at the Oregon.

F. E. Carroll, of Shipper's Hot Springs, Carson, Wash., is at the Carlton. J. L. Welmer, of North Yakima, is at the Perkins, having come on shirvayta business.

R. S. Shaw, manager of the Hammond Lumber Company's Astoria interests, is at the Imperial. Professor Richard H. Dearborn, chief of the department of electricity, Oregon Agricultural College, is registered at the Seward from Corvallis.

BOARD'S SIDE QUILTS

W. A. Tupper Says Friction Is Cause of Resignation.

H. W. MACLEAN IS CHOSEN

Outgoing Secretary to Civil Service Department Served Under Three Administrations—New Man Is Prominent in Business.

Friction said to have existed for some time between Willard A. Tupper, secretary to the Municipal Civil Service Board, and members of the board, caused Mr. Tupper to send his resignation to Chairman Caldwell yesterday.

Mr. Tupper was appointed to his position February 1, 1911, during the administration of ex-Mayor Simon and while P. L. Willis was chairman of the Municipal Civil Service Board.

Mr. MacLean, who has been selected to take Mr. Tupper's place February 1, has been in Portland a year and a half. He came here from Oakland, where he was engaged by a branch of the Pacific Paper Company. He was transferred to Portland as local manager of the company, taking the place of Louis Colton. He held this position until January 1. Since then he has been connected with the F. S. Fields Abstract & Title Company. He is a member of the Commercial Club and has been a member of other commercial and industrial organizations in which he has participated in committee work.

Just what the trouble between Mr. Tupper and members of the Civil Service Board was has not been made public. It is known, however, that there has been friction for several months, principally between Mr. Tupper and Chairman Caldwell, of the Board.

The position is not subject to Civil Service removal and appointment being left to the discretion of members of the Civil Service Board.

RELIEF FUND GAINS \$188

LEXINGTON, OR., DENOTES \$102 TO AID BELGIAN SUFFERERS.

Error in Credit Places List of Gifts at Too High Figure and Value Is Now Set at \$39,000.

Additional cash contributions to the amount of \$188 were received yesterday by the committee of Belgian relief, the biggest single item being donations from the citizens of Lexington, which amounted to \$102.

Previous estimates of \$40,000 for the total gifts of cash and foodstuffs prove to be too high, an error having been discovered in crediting 1000 cases of condensed milk to the Union Meat Company. This was purchased by Theodore B. Wilcox with funds in his hands from the Commission for Belgian Relief, the money having been sent from abroad. The Union Meat Company had already made contributions of several barrels of pork. Donations amount to approximately \$39,000.

Cash received yesterday was as follows: previously acknowledged, \$12,505.34; Mrs. P. G. Oregon Portland, 1.00; George C. Wear, 1.00; Mrs. P. G. Oregon Portland, 1.00; Joseph Wear, 1.00; Citizens of Lexington, 102.00; E. J. Cashin, 5.00; Friends of the Portland, 7.50; Methodist Episcopal Sunday School, 8.00; Williams, G. Washburn, Wash., 8.00; Citizens of Washburn Commercial Club, 12.00; Thomas McPherson, Hood River, 10.00; A. B. Harding, Astoria, 10.00; Hugh Hume, Portland, 10.00; Total, \$12,625.34.

GASOLINE WARNING GIVEN

Fire Marshal Asks for Care in Handling Powerful Explosive.

Care in handling and using gasoline is urged by Fire Marshal Stevens in a "Safety First" bulletin issued yesterday. The bulletin is the first of a series to be issued in a campaign to prevent fires and accidents. The bulletin says, in part:

"There is as much explosive force in one gallon of gasoline as in \$2-3 pounds of dynamite. Dynamite is much safer for a careless person to handle than is gasoline, because gasoline is constantly giving off an explosive vapor that cannot be seen. This evaporation goes on so rapidly that one pint of gasoline, if left in an open basin in a room of normal temperature, will evaporate entirely in 24 hours. The vapor formed is heavier than air and consequently runs along much the same as a stream of water, seeking the lowest level; there to await the carelessly thrown cigarette stub, match or even the spark caused by the nail in the heel of a shoe striking other metal, when the vapor will ignite and its terrific force be released."

EXTENSION CLASSES SET

University of Oregon Announces Programme for Week.

The University of Oregon announces the following extension classes for this week in the Central Library: Tonight Dr. Schmidt will meet his two groups in German literature at 7 and 8 o'clock in room A. The two

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Exclusive Portland Agents for Richardson's Celebrated Table Linens—The World's Standard

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Tonight, Benefit of Flower Mission Day Nursery. Be sure and attend. Admission 50c.

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37th Annual Clearance Sale

Unusual Opportunities to Buy Dependable Merchandise at the Lowest Prices

Interesting News for Men!

Our Entire Stock of Men's Suits, Balmacaans and Raincoats Reduced

Men's Store, Main Floor—We have clothed hundreds of Portland men during the clearance and hundreds more will yet avail themselves of the big savings to be had here! Suits, Balmacaans and Raincoats for men and young men in widely-advertised makes in the choicest fabrics and patterns to be found anywhere. S. & H. Trading Stamps Given With Purchases.

Men's \$15.00 Suits and Balmacaans at \$11.95 Men's \$20.00 Suits and Balmacaans at \$14.95 Men's \$25.00 Suits and Balmacaans at \$18.75

Men's \$30.00 Suits and Balmacaans at \$22.50 Men's \$35.00 Suits and Balmacaans at \$26.25 Blues and Blacks are also included at these Special Clearance prices.

Annual Clearance Men's Shirts

\$1.50 Fancy Negligee Shirts \$1.15 \$5.00 Fancy Negligee Shirts \$3.65

Men's Store, Main Floor—Thrifty men will not overlook this chance to supply their shirt needs because the savings are decidedly worth while. All well-known makes are included at Clearance Price (White Shirts Excepted).

\$1.50 Fancy Negligee Shirts \$1.15 \$2.00 Fancy Negligee Shirts \$1.35 \$2.50 Fancy Negligee Shirts \$1.85 \$3.00 Fancy Negligee Shirts \$1.95 \$3.50 Fancy Negligee Shirts \$2.55 \$4.00 Fancy Negligee Shirts \$2.95 Men's \$5.00 Shirts in stiff or soft cuff styles, Clearance Special \$3.65

Men's \$5, \$6 Union Suits \$3.95

Main Floor—Men's imported "Stuttgarter" natural sanitary wool Union Suits in ankle length styles. These are the regular \$5.00 and \$6.00 garments. Prices for this \$3.95 Clearance Sale at, suit \$3.95

Clearance of Velour Hats 1/2 Price

Men's 50c Ties at 3 for \$1.00

Main Floor—Our entire line of men's imported velour hats in all the new colors and shapes 1/2 Price \$5 to \$7.50 values

Great Clearance Boys' Clothing

Boys' \$6.50 Russian Suits \$3.95 Boys' \$5 Suits at \$3.95 Boys' \$15 Suits \$11.25

Main Floor—Great Clearance of odd lines Boys' Russian-style Suits. These are made of best materials and are shown in good colors. Ages 2 1/2 to 7 years. Suits selling at \$5.00 and \$6.50, now \$3.95

Boys' Overcoats 1/2 price—Odd lines in splendid materials. Broken sizes, from 6 to 17. Your 1/2 Price choice tomorrow at \$1.25

Odd Lines of Boys' \$1.50 and \$2 Pants Special 98c

Entire Line Boys' Mackinaws at Clearance Prices

All Men's \$4 Shoes Clearance \$3.48 Pr.

Women's \$4 and \$5 Shoes at \$2.69

Clearance sale of men's and women's shoes. All the new lasts, including English, Button or lace styles in many snappy new models. These are standard makes and we have a full line of all sizes and widths. Shoes selling heretofore at \$4.00, priced for \$3.48 Clearance at, pair \$3.48

Women's \$5.50, \$6 Shoes \$4.69

Smart new footwear in latest models with imported cloth tops in fawn or gray colors. Button styles of patent leather with Louis Cuban heels and welt soles. Just received.

Women's \$25 Coats at \$12.49

Women's \$12.50 Fancy Waists at \$4.49

Second Floor—Choose from these handsome new Coats at about half regular prices. Stylish new belted models, flare skirt effects; Balmacaans and loose-back styles in nearly every desirable material, including Astrakhan, Velours, Chinchillas, French Flannels, etc. Coats worth up to \$25.00. Clearance price only \$12.49

Second Floor—Beautiful Waists for evening and street wear of chiffon, laces,orgette crepes, satins, messalines, crepe de chine and combination effects. Long or short sleeves and low necks. Some with fancy vest effects and standing collars. Waists which were formerly marked to sell up to \$4.49 \$12.50. Clearance price only \$4.49

TEA ROOM 4th Floor

A quiet, restful place to take your luncheon while downtown. All food prepared under rigid inspection. Prompt service.

Clearance Muslin Underwear

Second Floor Great piles of dainty, snowy Undermuslins temptingly priced for quick Clearance. Buy now.

\$1.50 Slipover Gowns 79c

Second Floor—Women's lace and embroidery-trimmed Gowns in slipover and open-front styles. Regular \$1.50 grades at \$1.19 and 79c regular \$1.25 grades at 79c

\$3.50 Princess Slips \$1.39

Second Floor—Shown in white, pink, black, blue, yellow and lavender. Fine quality materials, trimmed with dainty laces. Slips worth \$1.39 up to \$3.50 now \$1.39

\$1.50 Combinations At 59c

Second Floor—Dainty lace and embroidery trimmed styles of longcloth or raincoat. Princess and waistline effects. Open, closed or knicker drawers. \$2.50 slips now \$1.19. \$1.50 \$1.50 slips now on sale at 59c

\$2.50 Corsets \$1

Bargain Circle, First Floor—Made of good quality coutil and nicely finished at top. Excellent models for the average figure. Four or six hose supporters attached. All sizes in the assortment. Corsets worth up to \$2.50. On \$1.00 special sale now at \$1.00

NEW COURT CODE DRAWN

Simplification of Practice Proposed in Legislative Measure.

With a view to simplifying procedure in District and Justice Courts, Harry Newkirk, local attorney, has drawn up a new code which he will present to the Legislature now in session, in the effort to procure its adoption throughout the state. The measure proposed does away with

SYRIANS STILL COMPETE

Group Barred for Irresponsibility in City Work Bid Individually.

Having been ruled out of the competition for municipal sewer contracts on a charge of irresponsibility, the Oregon Contracting Company, an unincorporated group of Syrian laborers, has changed its name and again entered the race. The new plan of procedure appeared at Wednesday's meeting of the City Council, when individual members of the old firm submitted the lowest bids for East Franklin street sewer work in their own names. Under the system employed heretofore they had underbid other contractors and all join in to do the work, dividing the earnings.

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A safe, reliable home treatment for the quick removal of superfluous hairs from your face or neck is as follows: Mix a stiff paste with some water and powdered delatone, apply to objectionable hairs and after 2 or 3 minutes rub off, wash the skin and the hairs are gone. This simple treatment is unobtrusive and no pain or inconvenience attends its use, but to avoid disappointment be certain you get genuine delatone—Adv.

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Written pleadings in the District and Justice Courts. The plaintiff goes before the Justice and tells him the cause of his complaint against the defendant, and a summons issues for the appearance of the latter, when the parties are brought together and the Justice hears the cause and determines it.

Although the invention of the rubber shoe is attributed to an Italian cobbler in use in Corea at least two centuries before his time.