

THE EYES WIN COIN

Pretty Maiden Leaves Bogus Checks and Vanishes.

SEVERAL STORES VICTIMS

Frank Glahn Charms Money Away When Cashiers Find Loss Needs Cash at Once—Warning From Detectives Is Too Late.

A slim girl of 22 years, with blonde hair and blue eyes, described by William J. Burns International Detective Agency as a "dangerous woman forger" has just paid Portland her "Spring visit" and has left the city with several hundred dollars, gleaned from leading merchants and banks, by the old, old means of bogus checks.

The detective agency a circular letter, that unfortunately reached the city a day after the clever young penwoman had left town, that her name is Ada Tawber, but she made no use of that name while in Portland. She used plain Jane Smith in coaxing money from local strong boxes. Other names she has employed in victimizing about 25 banks throughout the country.

Miss Tawber dropped into Portland from California last week. She cashed checks of \$40 at each of three department stores and obtained a like sum from one of the banks. She is a blonde, five feet five inches in height, weighing 120 pounds, with blue eyes, a medium fair complexion, blonde hair, small, well-shaped nose and wearing stylish dress.

Frank Glahn Charms Cash Away. Checks issued here were drawn on the First National Bank, Chicago, and signed with the name of James E. Kennedy. Indorsement of the checks was written by Miss Smith in a backward slanting hand, and her address was given as 211 East Fifty-fifth street North.

The young woman presented letters from Chicago as she told the trustful money handlers with a frank glance from her very blue eyes that it would be a great accommodation if they would cash the checks for her and they did so. She thanked them very prettily and tripped out.

Her work is clever, but they'll get her some of these days, said a disgruntled man yesterday who had enjoyed the expensive pleasure of meeting Miss Smith.

CITY LOSES TO CUPID AGAIN

Miss Ivah Olmstead To Be Bride of Fire Captain Grenfell.

Once more Dan Cupid has invaded the city. He and used his dart in the stenographic department of the Auditor's office. Announcement was made yesterday by Miss Ivah Olmstead, stenographer, that Friday she will become the bride of Edward Grenfell, a captain in the Fire Bureau.

PERSONAL MENTION.

W. Bellak, of Albany, is at the Oregon. James Rice, of Madras, is at the Perkins. J. Regan, of Medford, is at the Nortonia. H. E. Veness, of Winlock, is at the Oregon. G. H. Rudd, of Albany, is at the Seward. W. A. Marvin, of Medford, is at the Seward. G. A. Saries, of St. Paul, is at the Seward. Julius Alm, of Silverton, is at the Perkins. Laxton McMurray, of Tona, is at the Perkins. G. F. Fogstrom, of Union, is at the Carlton. B. Williams, of Spokane, is at the Carlton. E. E. Kersey, of Dallas, is at the Imperial. W. H. Smyth, of Berkeley, is at the Portland. F. S. Ward, of Salem, is at the Cornucopia. G. Wingate, of Astoria, is at the Cornucopia. W. Belmont, of La Grande, is at the Multnomah. R. C. Bruce, of White Salmon, is at the Imperial. N. L. Rayen, of McMinnville, is at the Multnomah. J. W. Hughes, of Forest Grove, is at the Imperial. R. S. Wells, of Seattle, is registered at the Portland. James Ryan, of Mt. Vernon, Wash., is at the Nortonia. E. C. Roberts, of Lebanon, is registered at the Seward. Mr. and Mrs. Robert White, of Boise, are at the Cornucopia. C. D. Gabrielson is registered at the Oregon from Salem. H. L. McKean, of Wasco, is registered at the Perkins. Sam Arrington, of Seattle, is registered at the Nortonia. W. B. Harvey, of Spokane, is registered at the Cornucopia. G. A. Edmunds, of Tillamook, is registered at the Imperial. P. S. Weiss, of Seattle, a manufacturer, is at the Carlton. Mr. and Mrs. N. Williamson, of Moscow, are at the Portland. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nichols, of Astoria, are at the Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stinson, of Klamath Falls, are at the Portland. Custer A. Lang, of Mandan, N. D., a banker, is at the Carlton. Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Parker, of North Powder, are at the Nortonia. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon C. Corbaley, of Spokane, are at the Multnomah. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wendt, of But-

California Surplus Has Been Disposed Of.

AUSTRALIAN BUYING LARGE Idaho and Montana Are No Longer Competitors in Movement of Supply Left in Oregon and Washington.

Interest in the grain trade just now centers in the market, rather than in the wheat. The Australian buying in California has imparted a firmer tone to all the Coast markets, although there are no indications of export trade in oats in any of the northern ports. In the past week, 5000 tons of oats have been taken in California for export, and it is said this clears up the surplus in that state. In Idaho and Montana there is a considerable effect on sentiment favoring higher prices for wheat, the idea being that shipments would be safer and the insurance less. This theory was in a measure confirmed by a rush of Eastern orders to purchase here, especially the July delivery, in which fully nine-tenths of the business was centered.

NEW CROP IS TAKEN

EXPORTERS ARE LARGE BUYERS OF FUTURES AT CHICAGO.

Foreign Business Assumes Heavy Proportions With Kraspinz Will Helm Out of Way for Present. CHICAGO, April 12.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. Elmer S. Hank, of Portland, are registered at the Great Northern.

At any rate, the market is in a firm condition and sellers refuse to make any concessions, while moderate advances are necessary in order to effect purchases, as was the case at the Merchants' Exchange yesterday, when the bids for May oats were raised a quarter.

It was the first session of the exchange in its new quarters and there was a large attendance. At the close of the session, the wheat market was firmer, but no reason was assigned for it beyond the Chicago advance. Bids for milling and other things were raised 1 cent, and red Russian bids were 1 to 2 cents higher. Club and fine offers were unchanged from Saturday.

WHEAT

Leading futures traded as follows: Open High Low Close May... 1.15... 1.07... 1.15... 1.15... July... 1.24... 1.16... 1.24... 1.24...

Foreign Grain Markets. LIVERPOOL, April 12.—Cash wheat, 14 higher, corn, unchanged to 14 higher; oats, 14 higher.

OUTSARE FIELD FIRM

Supply Left in Oregon and Washington.

Receipts of poultry and meats were light today; only a few sales were reported. No changes were reported in the butter or cheese markets.

COUNTRY PRODUCE TRADE LIGHT

No change was reported in the egg market. Hogs were not as plentiful as usual at the opening of the week, and with a good offering were limited and the market continued firm.

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THESE ARE THE GOODS

Prices Well Maintained for All Descriptions.

TWELVE HUNDRED HEAD IN Supply of Hogs Is Lighter Than Usual and Market Scores Dime Advance—Sleep Business of Small Volume.

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DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

Table with columns: Date, Station, Wind, Clouds, Rain, etc. for various locations including Portland, Astoria, and others.

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WEATHER CONDITIONS.

A general depression in central and northern Columbia and a large high-pressure area over the Lake region. Showers and thunderstorms were reported from the Pacific coast to the Ohio valley.

FORECASTS.

Portland and vicinity—Showers; south coast portion; southeasterly wind.

TRAVELER'S GUIDE.

FRENCH LINE. Compagnie Generale Transatlantique. SAILED FROM NEW YORK TO BORDEAUX L.A. TOURAINE... Apr. 24, 3 P.M.

AUSTRALIA. Honolulu and South Seas. "VENTURA", "SONOMA", "SIERRA". Sailed from Sydney, N.S.W., Apr. 12, 1915.

SAN FRANCISCO. April 12.—Mexican dollar, 38c. Fresh fruits, 30c; prime fruit, 25c; fresh fruit, 20c.

AMERICAN ABOVE PARTY AT LONDON. LONDON, April 12.—American securities market was quiet today. The market was unchanged, a large business was transacted.

FRUITS CURRENT IN THE PACIFIC CITY ON FRUITS, Vegetables, Etc. LONDON, April 12.—Bar silver, 23 1/2 per ounce; gold, 105 1/2 per ounce.

SAN FRANCISCO. April 12.—Tarpentine, 11c; turpentine, 10c; rosin, 9c; asphaltum, 8c.

NEW YORK SUGAR MARKET. NEW YORK, April 12.—Raw sugar firm; refined steady; cut loaf, 8c; granulated, 7c.

STOCKS ARE IRREGULAR. UNITED STATES STEEL SEARS. GENERAL LIST DROOPS. Prices React With Free Selling and Renewal of Bear Attacks—Time Money Is Higher.

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THE BIG BROTHERS. The San Francisco and Portland S. S. Co. Sailed from San Francisco, N. S. Co., Tel. Marshall 4500, A. 4121.