CITIZENS RESCUE VICTIM

Many Strange Chinese in City and Public Demands Complete Cleanup of All Not Known as Law-Abiding Residents.

LA GRANDE, Or., Feb. 18 .- (Spe-

La GRANDE, Or., Feb. 18.—(Special)—Eng Chon, an elderly Chinese truck gardener who has lived here for a quarter of a century, was shot down and after a futile attempt to run away from his assailant, fell and was mercifessly beaten on the head with the butt of a revolver as the result of a tong war here.

Eng was on his way home at an early hour this morning when accosted by two Chinese who had probably been at his home searching for him One of the two, who, the assaulted man says, is Lem Quong, a cook in a local hotel, opened fire, while his companion ran. The shooting took place on Fourth street, and a score of residents were brought to the street by the prolonged cries for mercy by the victim. One bullet struck in the log. He was able to run, but was pursued for a block and fell near the aued for a block and fell near the Mormon Church, where his assailant pounced upon him and was beating him

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Lem Quong is said to be a Hop Sing, and the victim is the only representative of the Bow Leongs in this city. Eng is at the hospital and may live. Eight years ago poison was put in his food, but he recovered. Lem Quong, who is 26, came here from Walla Walla recently.

The city has many strange Chinese and Americans are demanding a complete cleanout of all Chinamen who have not established reputations for law observance.

WOMAN IS DECLARED CAUSE

Portland Gunman Says He Upheld His Honor in Shooting Tongman.

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The Ne'er-Do-Well" the pictured Rex Beach story of Old Panama, which has had such a successful run at the Hellig Theater, will conclude its engagement tonight, although many interested fans have not had an opportunity to see the film, which has proved one of the biggest drawing cards, if not the biggest, in Portland's motion picture history.

The success of "The Ne'er-Do-Well" the states very dull after his South American experiences. Down there he had to sleep with a smallpox patient, float for hours in fey water on a hair movie route to witness any production, for starting with Sunday the nine-reel Selig offering has played to crowded houses daily.

Presenting a strong story by a popu-

HOOD RIVER, Or., Feb. 18.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the board of directors of the Apple-Growers' Association yesterday a distribution of \$75. 600, returns on apples, was ordered. The total of former distributions reached 50 cents a box on the three grades, Blue and Red Diamond and Mountain brand, and 25 cents a box on family trade.

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A. W. Stone, executive manager of the association, reports that the association now has in storage only 27,000 boxes of fruit, about 41 carloads.

SNOWSHEDS TO BE BUILT

Great Northern Will Spend About \$3.000,000 in Cascades.

Have You a Boy Problem? It cannot be solved by arithmetic. Solve it by feeding him Shredded Wheat-a natural food that makes his body buoyant with the energy of youth-a muscle and brain-builder - contains the life of the wheat in a digestible form. Builds sturdy, robust boys and girls. Serve it for breakfast with hot milk. Made at Niagara Falls, N. Y.



MOVING PICTURE NEWS



TODAY'S FILM FEATURES.

Majestic-"Hazel Kirke." Majestic—"Hazei Kirke.
Heilig—"The Ne'or-Do-Well."
Pickford—"The Yellow Passport."
Peoples—"The Immigrant."
Columbia—"D'Artagnan," "His
Hereafter." National—"Hop, the Devil's Brew," Sunset—"The Lure of Heart's De-sire," Circle—"Fatty Arbuckle."

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CILBERT M. ANDERSON, who is disposed of his holdings to G. K. Spoor, the S in the combination, thus disposed in the partnership of one of the eldest film companies in the motion pictures world.

Anderson, the "Broncho Billy" of the pictures, is in New York, and many are the reports being circulated relative to his future actions.

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The gravely wounded man is at the Good Samaritan Hospital, where it was said late yesterday he has a chance for recovery. Two bullets entered the left breast, near the heart, one ranged through his jaw, while another broke his leg. Sue Quon Yee was shot in the left or heart one ranged through his jaw, while another broke his leg. Sue Quon Yee was shot in the leg.

The assassin is slight in frame and stofiel in character. He is a new arrival in Portiand, prominent Chiense say, and but little is known of him, save that he is a member of the Bing tong.

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Gertrude Robison often sits by her fireside and thinks of her eventful past. For instance, at the age of 7 she wrote a play, which was presented before an audience of famous actors, including Tom Wise, Robert Mantell and others. "That is one of the consolations of age." says Miss Robison, who is 22, "we at least have our memories."

H. D. Blauvelt, camera man for Bur-

POOLROOM PROPRIETORS FINED IN MUNICIPAL COURT.

Judge Langguth Sees No Difference

Between Playing Cards for Cash and Trade Tokens.

"Technical" gambling, or the playing of card games for values in trade, will no longer be tolerated, is the em-phatic statement of Municipal Judge

TACOMA, Wash., Ecb. 18.—Between 15.000.000 and \$5.000.000 will be spent by the Great Northern Railroad for concrete snowsheds in the Cascades, in accordance with an understanding reached with the State Public Service Commission.

The announcement was made today by C. A. Reynolds, chairman of the Commission, and it will mean the construction of concrete walls for fully 12 miles of tracks.

Putting this precept into practice was an easy matter. On Wednesday appeared Harry Travis, a poolroom proprietor, and three patrons of his place. Though it was shown that the same had been for trade tokens, to be exchanged for merchandise, the fine distinction did not appeal to the Judge, who imposed a fine of \$10 upon the patrons.

Nathan Element of Municipal Judge

roprietor, was sentenced to pay a \$10 ine Thursday for a similar offense. Nine habitues of his poolroom were ound gulity and their cases continued

found guilty and their cases continued for sentence.

"Am I the only one, Judge?" expostulated Eisenstein.

He was told that his was not the first case—nor would it be the last, if other violators were caught.

Judge Langguth explains that the custom seems to have been inclined toward tolerance in the treatment of such cases heretofore. It was admitted, he says, that the offense was technically established, but that no great nically established, but that no great amount of harm was considered to arise from the practice.

"It is undoubtedly a form of gam-bling," declared Judge Langguth, "It is designed to stimulate trade, though no money actually passes between the players. I consider it bad, in that it is easy for a young fellow to get the gambling habit with this jitney start."

dresses were delivered by Mrs. Roy Dunn, Mrs. W. L. Mellinger and Mrs. R. D. Graham. Short talks were made by the pastors of the churches. A ban-

by the pastors of the churches. A ban-quet was served at 6:30.

The main features of the programme last night were addresses by Mrs. A. A. Kellogg on "My Work Among the Chi-ness Women," Rev. Lee Tong on "Can the Chinese Be Evangelized?" and Louise Pond on "What the Chinese Mission Means to Me."

63 PASS AS TRUCKMEN

Civil Service Ratings for City Work Are Made Public.

Sixty-three out of 77 men who took a unicipal civil service examination ecember 14 for position as truck drivrs in the city service passed, accordng to the ratings made public yester-

day.
Those who passed follow: Those who passed follow:

A. O. Gross, G. P. Sinks, William R. Earle, P. S. Austin, J. B. Manin, K. A. Akceson, N. J. Weber, R. Shaffer, P. E. Baker, E. C. Cay, C. E. Brown, L. Tavelli, L. J. Norris, L. M. Trullinger, G. W. Birchard, M. E. Vaniorn, F. L. Davis, D. S. Brown, C. E. Mesenger, D. E. Stankey, E. J. Coloman, P. H. Viley, J. P. Bond, T. E. Slick, R. A. Parish, D. R. Urfer, A. Birkmeyer, R. E. Dye, H. Ceager, F. G. Millor, W. C. Gallagher, G. V. Lowman, H. S. Ellis, D. B. Maxfield, L. W. Pottage, M. Ryan, James Shaw, R. DesBorde, R. F. Solle, E. Bennett, E. Frennoble, S. J. Barnes, R. W. DeReign, P. Pfelfer, A. Stickel, F. S. White, William Moore, P. J. Vander, R. O. Conner, T. Drifs, E. W. Oberg, C. A. Fosberg, E. S. Liger, F. V. Zimmermian, J. H. Cox, O. D. Ane, J. R. James, H. Klein, W. W. Wilson, E. Whitesell, William Goerz, L. Ragnone.

Centralia Is After Convention.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Feb. 18 .- (Spe-CENTRALIA, Wash., Feb. 18.—(Special.)—All of the parent-teacher associations of Lewis County are boosting for the state convention of parent-teacher associations to be held in this city in April. A prize will be awarded to the association with the largest percentage of its members registered at the convention. During the present school year new circles have been formed at Dryad, Vader, Toledo, Littell, Veness, Morton, Dillanbaugh, Klaber and Newaukum.

East Side Christian Church.

The 25th anniversary of the opening of the Chinese mission of the Portland Christian churches was celebrated yesterday at the new East Side Christian Church. East Twelfth and Taylor streets, by the Federation of the Women's Missionary Societies, Ad
Wine Seized in Raid at Kennewick.

KENNEWICK, Wash., Feb. 18.—(Special)—One hundred and nine gallons of wine were seized by Sheriff C. E. Duffy and Deputy E. L. Baxter when they reached the premises of F. B. Dobblelaar, near Hoven, Wednesday. The search was made on a warrant issued by Justice C. Stacer upon a field complaint by Prosecuting Attorney Fristoe.

Read The Oregonian's

FOR FREIGHT CARS

Oregon Calls Upon Interstate Commerce Commission to Aid Lumber Movement.

BANKRUPTCY DANGER TOLD

Lack of Railway Equipment Places Some Mills in Serious Position, Says State Public Service Body in Telegram.

SALEM, Or., Feb. 18.—(Special.)—
Urgent request that the Interstate
Commerce Commission come to the assistance of Oregon shippers in relieving the present shortage of freight cars
in the state, was telegraphed today to
the commission at Washington by the
Oregon Public Service Commission.

Unless relief is soon furnished to
lumber mills, many of them will be
forced into bankruptcy, according to
the Public Service Commission. In the
meantime the Oregon commission is
conferring with representatives of the

meantime the Oregon commission is conferring with representatives of the railroads of the state to secure relief, and the roads have been instructed to furnish daily reports as to the number of cars which they have available for Oregon loading.

Conference Is Today.

A conference with railroad officials bf the different lines, it was announced today, would be held tomorrow in Portland.

Screen Gossip.

E. J. Myrick, manager of the Columbia Theater, returned yesterday from Seattle, where he spent two days on a business trip.

William Duncan, leading man with the western Vitagraph forces, is a very strong man physically, and morally, too, for that matter. He dearly loves a joke, and while the company stayed for refreshments in one of the small towns on the way to Bear Valley he stopped on the way to Bear Valley he stopped ports full of grain for lack of wareports full of grain for lack of ware-house facilities for storing the products.

Need Is Set Forth.

In its telegram to the Interstate Com-merce Commission today the Public Service Commission said: "The Southern Pacific's Oregon lines merce Commission today the Public Service Commission said:

"The Southern Pacific's Oregon lines and the Oregon-Washington Railway & Navigation Company complain that they cannot get cars from Eastern connections. For a considerable time there has been an entire stagnation of the lumber business in this section due largely to shipping conditions. The opening of markets now offered will go to Monte Carlo and Paris. Before her return to America in June she will select gowns to be worn by herself in a series of new photoplays in which she is to be seen under the management of William Fox.

Arthur Hoops has received a letter from England in which he is accused of being someone's long-lost son. Mr. Hoops wishes it announced that he is not lost, never was, is not English, and has never been east of Seventh avenue, New York, in his life. However, any beautiful girls having long-lost brothers would do well to apply to him before trying elsewhere.

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"The situation here is made more difficult because Oregon is at the extreme end of the lines, but this should not prevent our receiving a ratable supply of equipment. Your best efforts will be greatly appreciated."

TACOMA COWS TUBERCULAR

Mill Inspectors Swoop Down on Dairymen Early in Mornring.

TACOMA, Wash., Feb. 18.—(Special.) Representatives of the State Agri-ultural Department swooped down

inspectors' orders. Creamery Goes Up at Castle Rock. CASTLE ROCK, Wash., Feb. 18.— (Special.) — P. S. Dykeman has begun



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Don't Hesitate COME EARLY!

Seattle Man Killed in Auto Crash. SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 18 .- Thomas H. Edwards, aged 35, manager of the Western Printers' Supply Company, who was injured in a collision be-tween his automobile and a streetcar this morning, died this afternoon at a hospital.

work on his new creamery plant here. Excavating is well under way. M. S. Strand will superintend the construction work. The building will be of concrete and up to date in every department.

the Aberdeen Daily World's new often work of the Aberdeen World become in this end to be with the members of the jocal relief committee, of which Dr. F. H. Dammasch is chairman. He left in the provided. The new establishments are all on Third street, three doors south of the Elma postoffice.

Mr. Ribcowsky reported that he was receiving a warm reception wherever he went and that the work of raising

BULGARIA'S LOSSES HINTED

Relief Worker Here Says Nation Has 150,000 Widows and Orphans.

New Elma Business Plants Open.

ELMA, Wash., Feb. 18.—(Special.)—
Three new business buildings opened their doors yesterday for the new business which is looked for the present time, work of raising funds for the present Elpif committee, New York City, who is touring the United States and organization of the Business which is looked for the present English touring the United States and organizating the work of raising funds for the relief of the widows and orphans in Royal Tailors, the Star barber shop and Bulgaria incident to the war. He was monia, paraffin and acctone of high grade.

afternoon for San Francisco.

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CLATSKANIE, Or., Feb. 18 .- (Sperial.)-The Interstate Logging Company and Kratz' mill have resumed op-"There are 153,000 war widows and erations. The Benson Company and

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